



## Physician Best Practices



Doc Halo is a mobile health platform and the only real-time communication tool needed by physicians. All of your professional text messages, photos, videos and files are transmitted securely and accessed in one place. Your Doc Halo app contains a directory of departments and specialties to browse or search so you can quickly find other Doc Halo users to securely message.

### Common Clinical Uses:

- Quickly message (consult, question, request, notify) another physician to discuss patient care.
- Take and send a photo of a wound, rash or other clinically relevant finding.
- Quickly reach your nurse or staff member and exchange a secure message.
- Receive all your messages from the after-hours answering service, call center and operator.
- Create groups with clinicians you frequently message.
- Use Doc Halo pager functionality and dispose of your pager.
- Turn your app on Auto-forward when a colleague is covering calls for you (the sender will be notified who you are forwarding to).
- Turn your app off-duty when you do not want to receive messages from colleagues or staff (there is an "emergency override" in case you need to be reached).

**Phase 2 Functionality:** Additional features can be selected. Ask your administrator when they will be available.

- The Handoff rounding tool allows you to carry a patient list and share with your colleagues. It integrates with your EHR and also has charge capture.
- Regular and critical Lab results can be viewed.
- Medical alerts and alarms can be integrated depending on the use cases needed by the organization.

Doc Halo has many useful features made specifically for practicing physicians, such as Auto-forwarding, Off-duty, Quick Notes, Urgent Messages and Pager functionality.



### SUPPORT

The mobile and web apps are very intuitive, but in case you need help, every department has an administrator/super user and physician champion who are well-trained on the functions and features of Doc Halo.

You can also watch quick instructional videos. Go to [DocHalo.com](http://DocHalo.com) in your web browser, sign in using the same username and password that you use for the mobile app and click On-Demand Training.