How socially connected are you?

Dear health care professional,

Thank you for taking few minutes of your time to respond to this survey about your use of social media for professional purposes. Your participation will provide an insight on the perceptions of health care professionals living in the Arab region on the use of social media for their professional development.

If you have any questions or comments, please do not hesitate to contact me using the contact information below.

Best wishes.

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* Required

Social media network usage

1.	Which of the following social media networks do you use? *
	You can select more than one network. Check all that apply.
	Facebook
	Twitter
	Instagram
	Linkedin
	Youtube
	Snapchat
	All of the above
	Other:
2.	How much time do you usually spend using social media networks on a daily basis? * Mark only one oval.
	Less than an hour
	up to 2 hours
	up to 3 hours
	up to 4 hours
	5 hours or more

3.	Do you use social media network Mark only one oval.	s for pro	ofession	al purposes? *	
	Yes				
	No Skip to question 7.				
Pr	ofessional use of socia	al med	dia ne	tworks	
4.	Rate your use of social media net (e.g. networking, health promotion, Mark only one oval per row.		or profes	ssional purposes.	*
		Never	Rarely	Most of the time	All the time
	Facebook				
	Twitter				
	Instagram				
	Linkedin				
	Youtube				
	Snapchat				
	Other (as specified in question 1)				
5.	What are your reasons for using so You can select more than one reason Check all that apply. Networking Health promotion		edia net	works profession	ally? *
	Knowledge exchange				
	Employment/research opportu	nities			
	Professional development				
	Self promotion				
	all of the above				
	New update				
	Other:				

6. Rate the impact of using social media networks on your professional development and practice. *

Mark only one oval per row.

	Not at all helpful	Somewhat helpful	Very helpful	Extremely helpful
Improving knowledge about the profession				
Improving clinical reasoning skills				
Improving critical thinking skills				
Improving clinical skills				
Improving problem solving skills				
Improving creativity				
Improving clinical/professional decision making				
Improving patient outcomes				

Personal information

	s will be used for research purposes only.
7.	Your age in years *
3.	Your gender * Mark only one oval.
	Male
	Female
9.	Your nationality *
Э.	Country you're living in *
1.	Which city? *
2.	Your professional qualification * Check all that apply.
	Diploma
	Bachelor
	Masters
	Doctorate
	Other:

13.	Your line of work is mainly: *	
	Mark only one oval.	
	Academic	
	Clinical	
	Both	
	Other:	
14.	Number of years of clinical experience following your entry level education: *	
15.	Comments	
16.	Name and contact information	
	(Optional)	

