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Chart 1. Types of patient education materials available from member societies

Society	Wellness guide	Prevention resources	Procedure or test specific information	Rx info	Alternative treatment options	Condition specific tools	Self-management guide
American Academy of Ophthalmology	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
American Geriatrics Society	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Society of Nuclear Medicine			X			X	
American Society for Reproductive Medicine	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
American Academy of Otolaryngology/HNS		X				X	
American College of Emergency Physicians	X	X					
American Society of Clinical Oncology	X	X	X	X		X	
American Congress of OB and Gynecologists	X	X	X	X	X	X	
American Academy of Family Physicians	X	X					
American College of Physicians		X	X			X	X



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American Academy of Dermatology	X	X	X	X	X	X	
American Academy of Hospice and Palliative Medicine					X		X
Society continued	Wellness guide	Prevention resources	Procedure or test specific information	Rx info	Alternative treatment options	Condition specific tools	Self-management guide
American Urological Association	X	X				X	
American Society of Nephrology		X				X	X
Society of Critical Care Medicine			X		X	X	
American College of Surgeons				X	X	X	X
Total	9	12	9	7	8	13	7

Data based on responses to CMSS survey, spring/summer 2013.

Data does not include responses from the society that it was considering or in process of planning development of this particular type of patient information material.