

Social Media Guidelines

Thank you for following the Association of Military Surgeons of the United States, also known as AMSUS, the Society of Federal Health Professionals (“AMSUS”) through our website and social media platforms. While visiting our Facebook, LinkedIn, Twitter, Youtube, or other social media sites, please keep the following guidelines in mind.

By participating in AMSUS’ social media platforms, you agree that you have read and will follow these guidelines. In order to preserve a climate that encourages both civil and fruitful dialogue, AMSUS reserves the right to delete posts from participants who violate these guidelines and to suspend or terminate the right of any participation for any reason without notice. If you have questions about these guidelines, please contact AMSUS at amsus@amsus.org

AMSUS SOCIAL MEDIA GUIDELINES:

The creation of AMSUS-labeled social media channels on AMSUS’s website and third party social media websites, and any postings and comments therein, shall not contain or link to language or illustrations that:

- Are libelous, defamatory, obscene, threatening, offensive, demeaning, derogatory, abusive, ad hominem, or off-topic
- Are solely for commercial purposes
- Endorse any candidate or office holder or partisan political position
- Violate the Sherman Act or any other anti-trust laws
- Violate AMSUS’s antitrust compliance policy
- Include spam or chain letters
- Violate third party’s privacy rights, proprietary rights, or any other applicable local, state, national, or international law
- Degrade others on the basis of gender, race, class, ethnicity, national origin, religion, sexual preference, disability, or other classification

Keep in mind that information posted on these social media channels is available for all to see, and comments are subject to defamation, antitrust, and other laws. AMSUS will not be held liable for any injury or damage resulting from statements posted on AMSUS-labeled social media channels.

THE LEGAL STUFF

By posting materials to AMSUS-labeled social media and AMSUS’s website, mentioning AMSUS in your public social media posts, or voluntarily providing your social media handle to AMSUS, you grant to AMSUS the nonexclusive, world-wide, transferable right and license to display, copy, publish, distribute, transmit, print, and use such information or other material in any way and in any medium, including but not limited to print or electronic form.

AMSUS is not responsible for the content of third party social media websites and does not make any representations regarding the content or accuracy of materials on them. Before posting on AMSUS-labeled social media channels, please review and abide by the terms of use and privacy policy of the specific social media website.

The opinions of AMSUS social media channel creators, moderators, posters, and commentators, are their own, and not necessarily that of AMSUS.

With these rules and guidelines in mind, happy posting!

AMSUS Moderator
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