



TABLE 2. ACS APPS\*

Name	Description	Cost	Devices
American College of Surgeons Clinical Congress	The annual ACS Clinical Congress has its own app that allows users to access the conference schedule, create a personal schedule, search for speakers or sessions, and read the <i>Clinical Congress News</i> .	Free	iPhone iPad Android BlackBerry
<i>Journal of the American College of Surgeons</i>	The <i>JACS</i> app keeps users updated on the most important advances in surgery, allowing them to read journal articles, share articles, receive notifications on new content, and view embedded videos.	Free	iPhone iPad
Advanced Trauma Life Support (ATLS)	This app provides ready access to resources delineated within the ACS ATLS course.	Free (additional content can be purchased within the app)	iPhone iPad

TABLE 3. RESEARCH AND LITERATURE REVIEW APPS



Name	Description	Cost	Devices
Twitter	Twitter is a social media app that may be used to spread ideas and communicate in surgery. Users can create an account and follow the ACS, hospitals, researchers, or colleagues and join or initiate conversations.	Free	iPhone iPad Android
Docphin	Docphin is an app for aggregating relevant journal articles, allowing for easy scrolling through abstracts to keep current on the latest research.	Free	iPhone iPad Android
<i>The Lancet</i>	<i>The Lancet</i> app is one of many individual journal apps that provide access to journal articles.	Free	iPad
Read by QxMD	Read by QxMD allows access to full journal article text by using institutional subscriptions, providing users an interface to read and organize pertinent literature.	Free	iPhone iPad

\*List of apps current as of press time.