

Before sharing a Hadith on social media you must verify it's authentic

**Question:** May Allah treat you well. Is it permissible to circulate Hadith from the Prophet صلى الله عليه وسلم on social media without verifying the authenticity of the Hadith?

**Shaykh Fawzan:** No, this is not permissible. It is not permissible for you to circulate Hadith until you have verified its authenticity by returning to the collection of the Sunnah and knowing the narrators from the Imams and the books which contain which Hadith are authentic and those which are not authentic. This must be clarified. Do not deceive the people.

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