An Introduction to the Library, Nursing Resources & Research

Mount Saint Mary College

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Learning Objectives

- Review Library resources
- Accessing Library resources
- Research strategies
- Live demo
Where is the Library?
EXTRA CREDIT

Where is the Curriculum Library?
How do I find the Library’s web page?
Welcome to MyMSMC!

MyMSMC is Mount Saint Mary College’s portal for students, faculty and staff. Please use the button below to sign in.

MyMSMC enhanced portal  
SIGN IN

If you are unable to login you can Activate Your MSMC Account

Visitors and guests

The links on this page will give you access to the college’s public website as well as shortcuts to the most frequently-used information.

More to explore
- Student Activities
- Residence Halls
- Commuter Life
- Scholarships
- Mount Athletics
- Study Abroad Program
- Safety & Security
- Bishop Dunn Memorial School

Alumni
- Alumni Association
- Alumni Benefits
- Alumni Notes

Resources
- Campus Store
- Career Center
- Kaplan Recreation Center
- Room Reservation Request

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Curtin Memorial Library
Returning Student Housing Deposit
Deadline: February 27, 2012

College News & Announcements

- Longer Snow Days at the Library
- Healthy Tip from Health Center
- Scholarship offered for St. John's University Master Program
- Mount Students Earn Prestigious National Honor
- Pre-Midterm Academic Support
- Alpha Sigma Lambda Honor Society 2012 Scholarship
- Mock Interview Week
- Dental Wellness
- SURE Summer Research Opportunity
- Interdisciplinary School Psychology Masters Program
- Athletics Freshmen
- Study Abroad Info Sessions
- Third Edition of MSMC Security Quarterly
- Heart Health from the Health Center
- Price Chopper Scholarship Program
- We The Kings at MSMC

Campus Calendar

- Monday, February 13
  - 9:00am Teacher Recruitment Day Res.
- Tuesday, February 14
  - 9:00am Teacher Recruitment Day Res.
- Wednesday, February 15
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When is the Library open?
How do I use the databases when I can’t get to the Library?
Online from anywhere, 24/7!!
Nursing and Health Library Guide

The Nursing and Health Library Guide contains links to a wide variety of nursing and health research resources, library and reference materials, database articles, web sites, news links, and information on APA citation style.

Last Updated: Aug 30, 2012
URL: http://libraryguides.msm.edu/nursing_general

Books & Articles
Background Information
E-books
Web Site Links
Citation & Research Help
Evidence-Based Nursing
Newswatch

Search the collection
Search for library books, DVDs, etc.

Keyword

Search

Click here for the newest nursing arrivals at the Library!

The Library of Congress classification section for nursing, medicine, and health is R. Also note:

- Dentistry
- Geriatrics
- Human Anatomy
- Microbiology
- Nursing
- Pediatrics
- Physical Therapy

Find Articles Using Databases

CINAHL with Full Text (Cumulative Index to Nursing and Allied Health Literature)
Contains full text for many of the most used journals in the CINAHL index. CINAHL with Full Text is considered the definitive research tool for all areas of nursing and allied health literature. Subject coverage includes nursing, biomedicine, health sciences librarianship, alternative/complementary medicine, and consumer health.

Health Reference Center Academic
Provides access to full-text peer-reviewed journals and other periodicals on many medical disciplines, with emphasis on nursing and allied health.

Health Source Nursing/Academic Edition
Provides access to full-text peer-reviewed journals and other periodicals on many medical disciplines, with emphasis on nursing and allied health.

LexisNexis Academic
Provides full-text documents from news, business, legal, medical, and reference publications with a variety of flexible search options.

Medline
Contains citations and abstracts covering a broad range of medical topics relating to research, clinical practice, administration, policy issues, and health care services. Produced by the U.S. National Library of Medicine, MEDLINE contains all records published in the MEDLINE database.
How to start?

- Put the problem in the form of a question
- Search
- Examine your results
- Revise your search question if needed
Question-based literature review strategy

What is the problem?

“Children with autism are difficult to treat and their parents are weird/demanding.”

What is the question?

“Are there unique orientation, patient education, & treatment information needs of the child and family impacted by autism?”

What are the question’s concepts?

1: autism  2: information
3: patient education  4: treatment
Review

- Review Library information
- Accessing Library resources
- Research strategies
- Live demo next (including citation style!)
This presentation available online at http://libraryguides.msmc.edu/nursing_general