Nursing Resources for Research

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Learning Objectives

• review research resources
• citing sources
• live demo (if time is available)
Research resources

• Books
• Databases of journal articles
Why not Google?

• Anyone can publish anything on the Internet
• Requires your time to evaluate which results are accurate and valid
• Does not include information found in library databases of **scholarly journals**
Databases are key

• Online collections of journal and newspaper articles, scholarly information from published works

• Searchable

• Often contain full-text articles
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.

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

Evidence-Based Nursing | Class presentations

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:

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.

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When to cite sources

• When referring to an idea or concept from something you read

• When quoting from something you read or heard

• When you want to give the reader some other places to look for additional information
How to Cite Sources

Cite a source whenever you

• Use another person's words, ideas, opinions or theories

• Present facts, statistics, graphs, and drawings that are not common knowledge

• Quote someone's written or spoken words

• Paraphrase someone's written or spoken words
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Review

• Search databases (not Google)
• Where to find nursing resources
• Citing sources
• On to the live demo!!!
DO NOT WAIT UNTIL THE DAY BEFORE YOUR ASSIGNMENT IS DUE TO CONTACT YOUR LIBRARIAN
Thank you

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