

Nursing Resources St George's Library International Nurses' Day 2015

In celebration of Nurses' Day 2015, the library has curated this list of resources to support George's nurses' clinical practice, CPD and learning.

Databases

Bibliographic databases provide access to the latest information in medicine and health care.

A bibliographic database is a database where you can find citations, references and abstracts containing information relevant to all forms of publications.

Databases are subject-specific:

- CINAHL and BNI cover nursing
- AMED covers complementary and allied medicine
- MEDLINE and EMBASE cover biomedicine and related fields
- PSYCINFO covers psychology, social behaviour and health sciences

To access a database you will have to log-in with an NHS OpenAthens Username and Password.

The NHS databases can be accessed via the library webpages <http://library.sgul.ac.uk/nhs-staff> or direct at <http://www.library.nhs.uk/hdas>

Visit <http://openathens.nice.org.uk> to self-register for Athens.

AMED Allied and Complementary Medicine 1985 to present Allied health professions, complementary medicine About	BNI British Nursing Index 1992 to present Nursing, midwifery, health visitors About	CINAHL Cumulative Index to Nursing and Allied Health Literature 1981 to present Nursing, allied health professions About	EMBASE Excerpta Medica Database 1980 to present Drugs and pharmacology, other aspects of human medicine About
Health Business Elite 1922 to present Healthcare administration, institution management	HMIC Health Management Information Consortium 1979 to present Records from King's Fund and Department of Health	Medline 1950 to present General medical database	PsycINFO 1806 to present Psychology and allied fields



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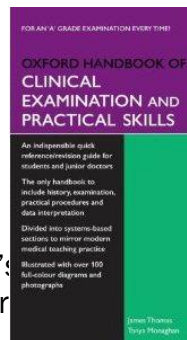
Books

The library houses a comprehensive book collection, which includes a large general nursing section and specialist nursing resources.

Many nursing books are now available in electronic format and accessible online, via Athens, including **67 Oxford handbook nursing titles** such as:

Oxford handbook of adult Nursing
Oxford handbook of critical care nursing
Oxford handbook of emergency nursing
Oxford handbook of perioperative practice

Details of all books are available in the library's search engine
<http://www.huntersearch.sgul.ac.uk> or the library's search engine
<http://unicorn.sgul.ac.uk>



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Journals

Keeping up to date can enhance clinical decision making and help to keep nursing practice current.

Journals disseminate current research and the most recent ideas, debate and issues in circulation in a specific discipline.

The following journals are available electronically via Athens, and a selection of these are also available in print in the silent study area of the library.

- *British Journal of Community Nursing*
- *British Journal of Nursing*
- *Creative Nursing*
- *Evidence-based Nursing*
- *Journal of Advanced Nursing*
- *Journal of Nursing Education*
- *Journal of Nursing Management*
- *Nurse Education Today*
- *Nurse Prescribing*
- *Nursing Ethics*
- *Nursing Management*
- *Nursing Older People*
- *Nursing Standard*
- *Nursing Times*



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Websites

Cochrane

<http://www.cochranelibrary.com>

Evidence-based reviews of the effectiveness of healthcare interventions.

Cochrane Nursing Care Field

<http://cncf.cochrane.org/>

Supporting the Cochrane Collaboration and its role in providing an evidence base for nursing care.

Essence of Care

<http://www.gov.uk/dh>

Essence of Care contains 12 benchmarks, to support localised quality improvement, by providing a set of established and refreshed benchmarks supporting front line care.

Essential Nursing Resources

<https://sites.google.com/site/nahrsnursingresources/>

Includes resources for nurses and other health professionals; databases, electronic books, electronic journals and Web sites, curated by the American Medical Library Association's 'Nursing and Allied Health Resources Section'

Social Media

RCN

<https://www.facebook.com/royalcollegeofnursing>

<https://twitter.com/theRCN> Handle: @theRCN

WeNurses

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<https://www.facebook.com/pages/WeNurses/450073041703701>



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