Using Clinical Information Resources for Excellent Patient Care

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Objectives

• Physicians will utilize the Internal Medicine LibGuide comfortably.

• Physicians will utilize Library services to better serve their patients.
No sleeping...
Did you know there are library resources in EPIC?
Library Resources in EPIC
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Clinical Resources

Below is a list of helpful resources for your facility. Because of licensing agreements, please only use the links for your facility or the all facilities heading.

ALL FACILITIES
ACR Appropriateness Criteria
Aetna Better Health PDL Amerigroup PDL
AmeriHealth Caritas PDL
Bayou Health PA Form
Catch-up Immunization Schedule
CDC PPE training Video
Child Immunization Schedule
Healthelinks
LA. Healthcare Connections PDL
La. Medicaid (No Bayou Health) PDL
LINKS-Login
LSUHSC Library
LSU New-Innovations Login
MedNews Plus
Physician Monitoring Program
ProQuest
UnitedHealthCare PDL
UpToDate
Neil M. Davis approved abbreviations

UNIVERSITY HEALTH - SHREVEPORT
ACR Appropriateness Criteria
Ask A Librarian
ClinicalKey
ClinicalKey for Nursing
DynaMed
E-Priv
GE Muse
Harrison’s Online
ICD-9-CM
PubMed
Red Book®
UHS 2015 Antibiogram
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Disease Management
DynaMed
EPRIV
Harrison’s Online
ICD-9-CM
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UHC 2015 Antibiogram
UHC COPD Protocol
UHC HTN Protocol
UHC Lexicomp
Library Resources in EPIC

- **Travel/Exposure**
- **Documentation**
  - **BestPractice**
    - Problem List
    - Expected Discharge
    - Progress Notes
    - Communication
    - Remove LDA
    - Discharge Inst
  - Orders
    - Manage Orders
  - Charges
    - Charge Capture
  - Treatment Team
    - Treatment Team
    - Giving Handoff
    - Receiving Handoff

**Create Patient Care Coordination Note**

- **Diagnosis**
  - **Gi bleed**
    - Code: K92.2
    - Noted: 08/22/2016
    - Share w/Pt: Yes
    - Updated: 08/22/2016
  - Hospital (Problems not being addressed during this admission)
    - **Alcohol abuse**
      - Create Current Assessment & Plan Note
    - **Alcohol intoxication (HCC)**
      - Create Current Assessment & Plan Note
    - **Alcohol withdrawal (HCC)**
      - Create Current Assessment & Plan Note
    - **Alcohol withdrawal delirium, acute, hyperactive (HCC)**
      - Create Current Assessment & Plan Note
    - **Alcohol withdrawal syndrome (HCC)**
      - Create Current Assessment & Plan Note
    - **Alcoholic cirrhosis of liver without ascites (HCC)**
      - Create Current Assessment & Plan Note
    - **Alcoholic gastritis without bleeding**

- **Search in Clinical Knowledge Base**
Library Resources in EPIC

DynaMed comes up first because the display is alphabetical. If you want to see UpToDate info click UpToDate in the sidebar.
Library Resources in EPIC

Search Results for professional level information on gastrointestinal hemorrhage or GI bleed in adults.

- Approach to acute upper gastrointestinal bleeding in adults
  - Early endoscopy
  - Antibiotics for patients with cirrhosis
  - Summary and recommendations

- Approach to acute lower gastrointestinal bleeding in adults
  - Recurrent lower GI bleeding
  - Consider an upper GI bleeding source
  - Summary and recommendations

- Overview of the treatment of bleeding peptic ulcers
  - Inpatient versus outpatient management
  - Summary and recommendations
### Library Resources in EPIC

#### Scheduled Medications

**Ciprofloxacin (CIPRO) 400 mg in dextrose 200 ml IVPB**
- 400 mg, Intravenous, for 60 Minutes, Every 24 Hours Scheduled, First dose on Tue 8/23/16 at 0900, For 14 days

**Folic Acid (FOLVITE) tablet 1 mg**
- 1 mg, Oral, Daily, First dose on Tue 8/23/16 at 0900, For 30 days

**LORazepam (ATIVAN) injection 1 mg**
- 1 mg, Intravenous, Once, Mon 8/22/16 at 1500, For 1 dose

**Octreotide (Sandostatin) injection 50 mcg**
- 50 mcg, Intravenous, Once, Mon 8/22/16 at 2130, For 1 dose

**Ondansetron HCL (ZOFRAN) 4 mg/2 mL injection 4 mg**
- 4 mg, Intravenous, Once, Mon 8/22/16 at 1730, For 1 dose

**Pantoprazole (Protonix) 80 mg in sodium chloride 0.9 % 20 mL IV Syringe**
- 80 mg, Intravenous, for 2 Minutes, Once, Mon 8/22/16 at 1245, For 1 dose

**Spironolactone (Aldactone) tablet 100 mg**
- 100 mg, Oral, Daily, First dose on Tue 8/23/16 at 0900, For 30 days

**Therapeutic Multivitamin WITH minerals (Thera-Vite/Thera-M) 27-0.4 mg tablet 1 tablet**
- 1 tablet, Oral, Daily, First dose on Tue 8/23/16 at 0900, For 30 days

**Thiamine tablet 100 mg**
- 100 mg, Oral, Once, Mon 8/22/16 at 1500, For 1 dose
Library Website
http://lib.sh.lsuhsc.edu
Consumer Health Resource – healthelinks.org
Consumer Health Resource – healthelinks.org

Designed with faculty clinicians and library faculty for Louisiana consumers/patients.

Provides an easier interface by limiting results on topics to one major review and then a link to MedlinePlus.gov.

Every resource vetted by the library faculty and if needed clinical faculty are consulted if there is a question on the quality of a resource.
The Amazing Captain Fit! A Web Comic

Health sciences librarians Talicia Tarver and Deidra Woodson have created *The Amazing Captain Fit*, a health-related comic book. Tarver and Woodson collaborated with illustrator Nick Fechter, an LSU-S graphic art student, and consulted with Dr. John Vanchiere from the Department of Pediatrics. The authors' goals are to improve health literacy and combat obesity among young children. Production of the comic book was funded by the Health Information Literacy Award given by the National Network of Libraries of Medicine South Central Region.
Beware Medicine/Pediatric Residents! Dr. Vanchiere mentioned when I was last promoting *The Amazing Captain Fit* at a conference that we need someone to dress up as Amazing Captain Fit. So don’t make eye contact with Dr. Vanchiere if you could fit in a theoretical Amazing Captain Fit’s costume.
Library Website
http://lib.sh.lsuhs.edu
Highly Used Resources

LSU Health Shreveport Health Sciences Library

New Acquisitions

Review a list of materials that the Library acquired during July 2016.

Resources

Library Catalog
Databases
Electronic Journals
Electronic Books
DynaMed
UpToDate
PubMed
Clinical Decision Making Tools
Image Database Portal
LibGuides/Subject Portals
Alumni Portal
Information for Authors
NIH Public Access Policy

Historical Information

Library Information

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From DNA to Beer - A New Exhibit in the Library

The Health Sciences Library will host the traveling exhibit, From DNA to Beer: Nature In Medicine & Industry, from July 25 to September 4, 2016. This exhibit explores the
Highly Used Resources

PubMed – the most important tool for finding the latest information.

- citations are from journals that have an explicit peer-review process, follow ethical research guidelines, and have clear statements on the financial or intellectual bias that may reduce the quality of the study.
- Indexed citations are from 1946 to the present (they continue to go back each year)
- has 26 million citations in the database as of end of 2015.
- indexes 5600 worldwide journals in about 40 languages.
- citations include 40% which are published in the U.S., about 93% which are published in English, and about 85% (of the 7% that is foreign language publications) have English abstracts written by authors of the articles.
Highly Used Resources

Both DynaMed and UpToDate rely on searches of PubMed to obtain the data they incorporate into their reviews. Both will always have a time-lag in comparison to PubMed.

Both DynaMed and UpToDate have:

- transparent methodology for gathering the literature they have experts to review on topics (DynaMed - http://www.dynamed.com/home/content/evidence-based-content and UpToDate - http://www.uptodate.com/home/editorial-policy
- free mobile offerings.
- cover a wide range of topics on a medical condition
- tract CME from your searching.
Satisfaction

WHEN YOU USED A SOURCE OTHER THAN UPTODATE TO ANSWER A CLINICAL QUESTION AND THE ATTENDING SAYS, "EXCELLENT."
From DNA to Beer - A New Exhibit in the Library

The Health Sciences Library will host the traveling exhibit, *From DNA to Beer: Nature in Medicine & Industry*, from July 25 to September 4, 2016. This exhibit explores the partnership between science and industry to develop techniques using and modifying microorganisms, like yeast, molds, and bacteria, to create a host of new therapies and produce better foods and beverages. The exhibition illustrates the history of this dynamic relationship among microbes, medicine, technology, and industry, which has spanned centuries. The exhibit, on loan from the National Library of Medicine, will be accompanied by artifacts from the Library Archives.

Local Artist’s Work on Display in Library

The work of Ashley Pfanner Wachal, a local artist native to Bossier City, is on display in the Health Sciences Library until September 15, 2016. The collections in the exhibit include *Life, Reinventing the Shotgun*, and the first painting in her current series, *Tree*. See the artist's interpretations of the joys and challenges of life and her explorations of the iconic Louisiana symbol: the shotgun house. To purchase her paintings, please contact Ashley at 318-773-6944 or pfanner83@aol.com.

Ashley discovered her passion for art in middle school and continued to develop her talents throughout high school and college. She attended Louisiana Tech University, where she majored in Studio Art and completed a graduate degree in Art Education. After teaching high school art in Caddo Parish for four years, she decided to dedicate her career to being a professional artist. Ashley sees the creative process as parallel to the human spirit; just as every person has a story, so does each artistic endeavor. She encourages viewers to experience each piece by interpreting its meaning in an individualized way, creating their own unique narrative. Shown here is a collage highlighting a few of her paintings.
Library Information and Library Services

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- Gifts & Donations
- Hours & Holiday Schedule
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- New Acquisitions
- Library Website Index
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Hours & Holiday Schedule

Library Hours
- Monday - Friday: 7:30 a.m. to 11:00 p.m.
- Saturday: 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m.
- Sunday: 12:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m.

Click here for Computer Lab closings
History of Medicine Calendar

Holiday Hours

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Library Information and Library Services

August 22, 2016

Lab Calendar

- Occupational Therapy Class -- Library Orientation - Occupational Therapy Class (C)
  11:00 am - 12:00 pm LibraryComputerLabs 1-417

- Medicine ITE Exam - Medicine ITE Exam - 2016 (Exam)
  7:00 am - 5:30 pm LibraryComputerLabs 1-419

- EPIC Training -- Nursing Students (Class)
  8:00 am - 4:30 pm LibraryComputerLabs 1-417

- PeopleSoft Training (Class)
  8:30 am - 4:30 pm LibraryComputerLabs 1-419

- Medicine ITE Exam - Medicine ITE Exam - 2016 (Exam)
  7:00 am - 5:30 pm LibraryComputerLabs 1-417

- FACTIS - FACTIS Block 3 (Class)
Library Information and Library Services

Library Services
- Ask a Librarian
- Classes & Searching Guides
- Comments and Suggestions
- Department Liaisons
- ILLiad (Interlibrary Loan)
- Off-Campus Access/VPN
- Writing Consultants

Reference Services
- Database Searches
  Experienced librarians can conduct your search for you, or assist you in refining your own strategies.
- Current Awareness
  Librarians can automate database searching of your topic and deliver the results to your email on a regularly

Need help?
- E-mail us
  shlibref@lsuhsc.edu
  E-mail inquiries are checked at least twice daily Monday through Friday.

- Phone us
  (318) 675-5477
  If calling after hours or on weekends, please leave a message and Reference will return your call.

Visit us
The reference librarian offices are located on the first floor.
Library Information and Library Services

ILLiad (Interlibrary Loan) permits ordering articles or book materials from other institutions if we don’t have the material.

We charge back any costs from the lending library to the requestor. Costs can range from Free-$100. Average is about $3-9. Turnaround time is from 1 business day to 2 weeks. It depends on the library providing us with the article. We send articles to requestors even on weekends.

The name of the requestor is responsible for payment. Even if you order the article for a faculty member you are still responsible. Confirm in writing that someone other than you will pay to prevent unexpected bills.
Library Information and Library Services

READ the Instructions FIRST!!
Login with current LSU Health email/network and password.

Off-Campus Access/VPN

About Off-Campus Access to E-Resources
Off-campus access to most library databases and e-journals is available only to current LSU Health Shreveport students, faculty, and staff. Many of the Health Sciences Library and other institutional electronic resources are governed by license agreements with vendors.

The VPN (Virtual Private Network) is the method for accessing resources remotely.

VPN Access Link
LSUHSC-S F5 VPN Instructions

Additional information about the VPN
• The VPN service creates a secure connection between your computer and the LSU Health Shreveport network.
• While connected to the VPN, you will have access to the university's computing resources as if you were on campus. This includes access to many resources licensed by the Library, such as online journals, books, and databases as well as some institutional systems related to patient care.
• The VPN may only be used on a university-owned or personal computer belonging to current LSU Health Shreveport Affiliates.
• LSU Health Shreveport Information Technology Group maintains access to the VPN. Contact them with any questions or problems with the VPN.
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Download the software because it is easier to use! Go to Medical School - Room G-303 with your laptop if you need assistance.
Library Information and Library Services

Writing Consultants

The LSU Health Shreveport (LSUHS) Health Sciences Library's Writing Consultants assist LSUHS faculty, staff, and students and University Health staff by editing and proofreading writing projects. The service is offered free of charge.

Services at a Glance:
The consultants will:

- Edit documents for grammar, punctuation, syntax, and usage.
- Assist writers in developing and preparing documents for submission and/or publication.
- Review different types of documents, including (but not limited to):
  - Research articles
  - Poster text
  - Grant proposals
  - CVs
  - Resumes
  - Personal statements

Please Note:

- We are not subject experts and do not edit for content.
- All documents will remain strictly confidential.
- Students will receive help with the writing portion of their assignment in terms of organization, grammar, punctuation, etc. The consultants will not do the assignments for the students.
- Any patient information should be de-identified before the document is sent to the Writing Consultant Service.
- No assistance will be provided for theses, dissertations, or writing assignments that are part of exams.
- Consultants' editing comments may not show up on some mobile devices. For best results, access the returned document on a laptop or desktop computer.

Submission Guidelines:

- 1. Send your document as an email attachment to the Writing Consultant Service (ShvlLibWriting@lsuhsc.edu).
- 2. Be sure to link to or attach the submission guidelines for your document.
- 3. Describe in your email any specific details the consultants should know. Include the formatting style that you should use, such as APA, AMA, etc.
What about clinical information?

THE MOMENT YOUR ATTENDING HEARS YOU ASKED A FELLOW INSTEAD OF LOOKING UP THE EVIDENCE
LibGuides/Subject Portals

http://guides.lsuhsc.edu/internalmedicine
LibGuides/Subject Portals

Many of the same resources found on the Library main page but all in one place with the clinical resources you need!
5-Minute Clinical Consult: Premium 2017  
ISBN: 9781496339973  
Publication Date: 2016-05-18

Brocklehurst's Textbook of Geriatric Medicine and Gerontology

CURRENT Medical Diagnosis and Treatment 2017

Ferris's Clinical Advisor 2017  
ISBN: 9780323280468

Instant Work-Ups: A clinical guide to medicine 2017  
ISBN: 9780323376419
What other resources can help you find information fast and stand out like Katie Ledecky?
LibGuides/Subject Portals
Fast Clinical Tools

Please note that this is a limited list of clinical resources. Be aware that the Selected E-Books Tab and the Library’s E-books list has many more resources listed.

Harrison's principles of internal medicine

Diagnosaurus® - General Differential Diagnosis Tool

VisualDx - Dermatology Differential Diagnosis Tool

Bristol Stool Scale - Dr. Marion's favorite

5-Minute Clinical Consult Premium 2017

Cochrane Library (Systematic Reviews and Meta-analyses are indexed and can be linked to through PubMed)

CURRENT Medical Diagnosis and Treatment 2017

DeGowin's diagnostic examination
LibGuides/Subject Portals

Fast Clinical Tools

DynaMed

EKG plain and simple

Ferri’s Clinical Advisor 2017

Fluid, Electrolyte, and Acid-Base Physiology

Guide to Laboratory and Diagnostic Tests

Handbook of Fluid, Electrolyte, and Acid-Base Imbalances

Procedures Consult - Many procedures contain videos

PubMed

Scientific American Medicine

U.S. preventive services task force recommendations

UpToDate

NOTE: To access UpToDate off-campus with a username and password, you must first register on campus. UpToDate then requires you to verify your affiliation with the institution every month. Using UpToDate through the electronic health record should verify your affiliation automatically.

Access to UpToDate is generously provided by the medical school and University Health
Please note that this is a limited list of clinical resources. Be aware that the Fast Clinical Tools Tab and the Library’s E-books list has many more resources listed.

- Conn’s Current Therapy 2016
- Andreoli and Carpenter’s Cecil Essentials of Medicine
- Brocklehurst’s Textbook of Geriatric Medicine and Gerontology
- Clinician’s Pocket Reference - Leonard G. Gomella; Steven A. Haist
LibGuides/Subject Portals
Selected E-Books

- Critical Care Medicine
  ISBN: 9780323089296

- Current Diagnosis and Treatment: Geriatrics

- Essential Clinical Procedures

- Evidence-Based Physical Diagnosis
LibGuides/Subject Portals

Selected E-Books

Goldman-Cecil Medicine
ISBN: 9781455750177

Harrison's Principles of Internal Medicine

ICU Book - Marino

Principles and Practice of Hospital Medicine - Sylvia C. McKean; Daniel D. Dressler; Jeffrey Ginsberg; John Ross; Daniel Brotman

Principles and Practice of Mechanical Ventilation
LibGuides/Subject Portals

Selected Internal Medicine Journals

- ACP Journal Club, 1991 to present
- American Journal of Lifestyle Medicine, January 2007 to present
- The American Journal of Medicine, January 1995 to present
- Annals of Internal Medicine, January 1993 to present
- American Journal of Preventive Medicine, January 1998 to present
  - Free: BMC Medicine, November 2003 to present
- BMJ Case Reports, 2008 to present
- BMJ: British Medical Journal (continues British Medical Journal, July 1988 to present
  - Free: Cleveland Clinic Journal of Medicine (continues Cleveland Clinic Quarterly), January 1987 to present
- Clinical Practice (continues Therapy), January 2012 to present
  - Free: CMAJ: Canadian Medical Association Journal (continues Canadian Medical Association Journal), September 1985 to present
- Disease-a-Month, January 1995 to present
- Evidence-Based Medicine, January 1995 to present
LibGuides/Subject Portals
Selected Internal Medicine Journals

JAMA: Internal Medicine (continues Archives of Internal Medicine), January 2013 to present
JAMA: Journal of the American Medical Association (continues Journal of the American Medical Association), January 1960 to present
Journal of General Internal Medicine, January 1997 to present
Journal of Hospital Medicine, January 2006 to present
Journal of Internal Medicine, January 1997 to present
The Lancet, January 1995 to present
Mayo Clinic Proceedings, January 1997 to present

McGill Journal of Medicine, 1995 to present
Medical Clinics of North America, January 1996 to present
Medicine, May 1922 to present
Nature Medicine, January 1995 to present
The New England Journal of Medicine, January 1990 to present

PLoS Medicine, October 2004 to present
Preventive Medicine, January 1993 to present
Southern Medical Journal, August 1908 to present
LibGuides/Subject Portals
Selected Databases

- AccessMedicine
- AccessSurgery
- Adverse Drug Interactions (The Medical Letter, Inc.)
- ClinicalKey
- Cochrane Library
- Dietary Supplements Labels Database (National Library of Medicine)
- Drug Information Portal (National Library of Medicine)
- DynaMed
- Medical Letter on Drugs and Therapeutics (The Medical Letter, Inc.)
- PubMed
- Stat!Ref
- UpToDate

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Lead with answers.

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Search for diagnoses, conditions, drugs and more...

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# ClinicalKey Multimedia

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ClinicalKey Multimedia

Browse Multimedia

Filter By:

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- Internal Medicine: 374637

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- Videos: 3530

Subscribed Content
Selected Resources - Guidelines

Please note that this is a limited list of clinical resources. Be aware that the Fast Clinical Tools Tab and the Library's E-books list has many more resources listed.

American Academy of Neurology guidelines

American Association for the Study of Liver Diseases guidelines

American Association of Clinical Endocrinologists medical guidelines for clinical practice

American College of Chest Physicians - CHEST Guidelines and Consensus Statements Beyond Antithrombotic Therapy

American College of Gastroenterology guidelines

American College of Physicians guidelines - ACP clinical recommendations

American College of Rheumatology practice guidelines

American Diabetes Association clinical practice recommendations 2016

American Heart Association and American Stroke Association scientific statements and practice guidelines topic list

American Society of Hypertension position papers
LibGuides/Subject Portals
Selected Resources - Guidelines

- American Society of Transplantation guidelines and opinions
- American Thoracic Society statements
- American Urological Association guidelines and policies
- Endocrine Society Practice guidelines
- Global Initiative for Chronic Obstructive Lung Disease (GOLD) Guidelines
- HCV Guidance: Recommendations for Testing, Managing, and Treating Hepatitis C
  Dr. Morris recommended website for staying on top of HCV testing, management and treatment.
- Infectious Diseases Society of America guidelines
- National Comprehensive Cancer Network guidelines (Must complete free registration)
- U.S. preventive services task force recommendations
LibGuides/Subject Portals
IM Board Prep Material

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**Board Vitals - Internal Medicine**
To use Board Vitals you must register on campus and create an account. After you confirm the account, you may login to practice questions. Use this same link on your mobile device and sign in to access Board Vitals on your phone or tablet.

**Board Vitals - Internal Medicine MOC**
To use Board Vitals you must register on campus and create an account. After you confirm the account, you may login to practice questions. Use this same link on your mobile device and sign in to access Board Vitals on your phone or tablet.

**First Aid for the Internal Medicine Boards**
ISBN: 9780071713016

**Harrison's Principles of Internal Medicine - 18th ed. Review Questions**
To use the Review Questions you must create a AccessMedicine account and login before you can practice questions.

**Resident Readiness®: Internal Medicine**
LibGuides/Subject Portals
Other Specialty Resources.

Click on any tab to access that specialty’s resources.
Even with all this what if you look for something for more than 10-20 minutes??
Nothing worse

WHEN YOU HAVE SEARCHED FOR HOURS FOR THE CLINICAL INFORMATION YOU NEED

AND THE LIBRARIAN FINDS IT IN 5 MINUTES
Need help?

Julia M. Esparza, MLS, AHIP
Alexandria (Lexi) Brackett, MA, MLIS, AHIP
David Duggar, MLIS, AHIP
Montie’ Dobbins, MLIS
Questions

Contact Julie Esparza, Clinical Medical Librarian 5-4179
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