



Connecting Covenant Health physicians and staff with current high quality information to support evidence-based decision-making, policy development and excellence in patient/resident care

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Online resources

Library Services partners with the AHS Knowledge Resource Service (KRS) to provide Covenant Health staff and physicians access to a wealth of electronic resources on the KRS website at <http://krs.ahs.ca>. The website offers:

- subject guides with links to top quality health/medical resources
- point of care resources (e.g. DynaMed, Nursing Reference Center)
- drug information resources (e.g. RxTx, Lexicomp)
- databases (e.g. MEDLINE, CINAHL, PsycINFO)
- online journals (e.g. CMAJ, Critical Care Nurse, Lancet)
- ebooks on health and medical topics

Accessing KRS licensed resources from home or other offsite locations may require entering your AHS/Covenant Health network username/ password.

Literature searching

Using evidence-based principles, library staff will search the literature to locate appropriate resources to support your information needs. Please contact Library Services or fill out a literature search request form on CompassionNet.

Instruction

Please contact Library Services to book library orientations, group and one-on-one instructional sessions on how to effectively conduct literature searches, or to learn more about any of our resources.

Current awareness (Electronic table of contents)

Tables of contents from the current issues of selected journals or ongoing subject search alerts can be automatically sent to you by email or an RSS feed. For more information please contact library staff.

Borrowing materials

Covenant Health Library Services is a member of the **NEOS Library Consortium** - a group of Alberta health, government, college and university libraries that collaborate to share resources. Find our books, journals, audiovisual recordings and electronic titles using the NEOS online catalogue at <http://catalogue.library.ualberta.ca/>. Contact Library Services to obtain a library card number which will enable you to borrow materials from any NEOS member library.

Journal articles and interlibrary loans

When journal articles and other materials are not available within Covenant Health libraries, our staff are often able to obtain them from other sources. Contact Library Services or fill out an Article request form on CompassionNet.

Hours of operation

Mon – Fri 07:30 – 15:45

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