The Library recently purchased a subscription to the Oxford University Press Medicine Collection of full-text eJournals. This package includes 78 key titles across Medicine, Social Care and Public Health & Epidemiology including:

- Age and Ageing
- Alcohol and Alcoholism
- Annals of Oncology
- Archives of Clinical Neuropsychology
- BJA: British Journal of Anaesthesia
- Brain
- British Medical Bulletin
- European Heart Journal
- European Journal of Cardio-Thoracic Surgery
- Journal of Gerontology
- Journal of Infectious Diseases
- Journal of Pediatric Psychology
- Journal of Public Health
- Nephrology Dialysis Transplantation
- QJM: An International Journal of Medicine
- Research Evaluation
- Rheumatology
- Social Cognitive and Affective Neuroscience

These journals can be accessed on-site (no log-in required) and off-site using an Athens username and password from: [http://www.oxfordjournals.org/subject/medicine/](http://www.oxfordjournals.org/subject/medicine/) and also through the full A-Z e-journals listing on our website [http://www.hselibrary.ie/mid-west](http://www.hselibrary.ie/mid-west).

**OVIDMD**

Following the recent trial of OvidMD, the library now has a full subscription to the resource. It can be accessed on-site (no log-in needed) and off-site also using an Athens username and password from: [http://www.ovidmd.com](http://www.ovidmd.com)

This resource simultaneously searches UpToDate, Ovid MEDLINE, evidence-based guidelines, full-text Current Opinion review journals, Clinical Consult ebooks, and more. We are also in the process of setting up external linking to all of our eJournals, so that the Ovid MEDLINE results will link straight to full-text coverage where we have a subscription to the journal from another publisher e.g. Oxford. By facilitating access to several resources through one interface, this provides fast access to information from a variety of sources through a single search - ideal for point of care queries.

Many thanks to all those who forwarded feedback during the trial.

For further information on using OvidMD, please contact michelle.dalton@hse.ie.

**UpToDate now available remotely/off-site**

UpToDate.com is now available to staff off-site/outside the HSE Mid-West network. Simply select the Athens log-in option when accessing the website remotely, and enter your username and password. If you do not have an Athens account you can self-register at [www.hselibrary.ie/mid-west](http://www.hselibrary.ie/mid-west).
NEW MID-WEST RESEARCH SECTION IN THE LIBRARY

The library continually aims to support and promote research in the HSE Mid-West region. Every month we publish a poster of the latest staff research which is displayed on the door of the library and we have recently developed a new section to highlight staff publications.

The section is located beside the Nursing Journals and Free Press reading area and includes printed copies of the most recent articles published by staff in the Mid-West which staff can read in the library.

Many of these articles are also available online through our ejournals on www.hselibrary.ie/mid-west.

Next time you are in the library drop by our new section and catch up on what your colleagues are researching and publishing!

RESEARCH ON RESEARCH

Searching for unpublished data for Cochrane reviews: cross sectional study. Schroll et al. BMJ 2013; 346 (Published 23 April 2013) http://www.bmj.com/content/346/bmj.f2231


FINDZEBRA

FindZebra (http://findzebra.compute.dtu.dk/) is a specialised search engine supporting medical professionals in diagnosing difficult patient cases. Rare diseases are especially difficult to diagnose and this online medical search engines comes in support of medical personnel looking for diagnostic hypotheses. With a simple and consistent interface across all devices, it can be easily used as an aid tool at the time and place where medical decisions are made. The retrieved information is collected from reputable sources across the internet storing public medical articles on rare and genetic diseases.

WWW.SCIGIT.COM – RESEARCH COLLABORATION MADE EASY

http://www.SciGit.com is a free online tool that helps you collaborate with other researchers. The tool helps you to keep track of changes done by each person and see the differences between different versions of your paper. You can work offline and merge changes easily with previous documents. It supports a variety of formats including Microsoft Word and your documents are only accessible to people you grant permission to.

NEW VIDEO TUTORIAL ON SYSTEMATIC REVIEWS FROM YALE UNIVERSITY

Yale University recently launched a useful short video guide (7 minutes long) on the search process in a systematic review. The video is available to view at http://bit.ly/XVm0cd. They also have a number of other useful tutorials available on various databases, research impact factors and citation analysis which you can browse using the menu on the right of the website.

TESTING TREATMENTS INTERACTIVE

How do you know whether one treatment is better than another, or whether the evidence about a treatment’s benefits and harms is reliable? Does current research address what you want to know?

http://www.testingtreatments.org/ contains the full text of the 2nd edition of the book Testing Treatments by Imogen Evans, Hazel Thornton, Iain Chalmers and Paul Glasziou. The book aims to promote involvement in current and future health research, and outlines practical steps that both patients and health professionals can take together to do this. The website also contains links to additional resources and videos which help to explain and illustrate the principles and messages contained in the book.
NEW BOOKS IN THE RML

COCHRANE JOURNAL CLUB

#42: Training to recognise the early signs of recurrence in schizophrenia
#41: Colloids versus crystalloids for fluid resuscitation in critically ill patients

MID-WEST RESEARCH: RECENTLY INDEXED IN PUBMED


**PLEASE CONTACT THE LIBRARY FOR ASSISTANCE WITH SOURCING THE FULL-TEXT OF ANY OF THE PUBLICATIONS REFERRED TO IN THIS NEWSLETTER.**

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