

Subject Guide for Nursing

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Databases:

Medline- Created by the National Library of Medicine. Contains abstracts from over 4800 current biomedical journals.

PubMed- Free database created by the National Library of Medicine. Contains Medline, Old Medline, out of scope citations, and some life science journals.

Cinahl- Searchable “Cumulative index to allied health.”

Stat Ref- Contains over 35 searchable medical resources including *Harrisons Principles of Internal Medicine*, *Mosby’s Drug Consult* and the *Merck Manual*.

Health Reference Center Academic- This database contains a combination of indexes, abstracts, and full text articles on research related to health, wellness, and medicine.

Health Source: Nursing/Academic Edition- Contains full text to over 400 scholarly medical journals. Health Source also provides indexing and abstracting of over 500 journals.

The databases may be accessed from any workstation on campus or remotely. For remote access please visit the library’s research webpage at <http://www.tvcc.edu/lrc/research.htm>, then follow the instructions for logging on to the databases.

Periodicals:

American Journal of Nursing (AJN)

RN

Nursing Outlook

Geriatric Nursing

Journal of the American Medical Association (JAMA)

New England Journal of Medicine

British Medical Journal

Periodicals are located in the center of the library, and are in alphabetical order. Issues from the previous year are placed under the shelf for patron convenience.

Locating Print Materials:

iLink: Trinity Valley Community College’s online catalog. Materials may be searched for across all 4 campuses including the Health Science Center. The availability and location of material will be displayed above the call number. Searching may either be done by author, title, keyword, or subject. The online catalog may be accessed remotely by clicking on [TVCC LIBRARY CATALOG](#). Below you will find helpful terms and the MESH heading for that term. MESH headings (Medical Subject Headings) are used exclusively in the MEDLINE database.

Subject Terms:

Term	MESH Heading
AIDS	Acquired Immunodeficiency Syndrome
Alzheimer's	Alzheimers Disease
Cancer	Neoplasms
Common Cold	Rhinovirus
Diabetes	Diabetes Mellitus, Type 1 or Type 2
Diseases	Disease
Flu	Influenza
Heart Attack	Myocardial Infarction

Reference Books:

Cinahl (Cumulative Index to Nursing and Allied Health Literature)

REF Z 6675 .N7 .C8 .RT41 2004.

Mosby's Medical, Nursing and Allied Health Dictionary

REF R 121 .M89 2003

Taber's Cyclopedia Medical Dictionary

REF R 121 .T144 1997

Gale Encyclopedia of Medicine

REF RC 41 .G35 1999

Fundamentals of Nursing

REF RT 41 .P844 2001

Critical Care Nursing

REF RT 120 .I5 .C752 1998

Merck Index

REF RS 51 .M4 2004

General Print Materials:

Frye's 3000 Nursing Bullets NCLEX-RN

RT 51 .F37 2004

Fundamentals of Nursing: Standards and Practice

RT 55 .F793 2004

Nurse's Legal Handbook

RT 41 .F8816 2002

Saunders's Q&A Review for NCLEX-RN
RT 62 .S53 2004

So You Want To Be A Nurse?
RT 82 .C25 2004

Nurses Quick Check: Diseases
RT 65 .N78 2005

Critical Thinking in Nursing: A Cognitive Skills Workbook
RT 84.5 .L565 2004

Multimedia:

Mosby's Medical Terminology Series (video recording) located in Academic Reserves behind the circulation desk.

Body Atlas (video recording) located in Academic Reserves behind the circulation desk

Atlas of Human Anatomy (video recording)
QM 25 .V53 1996 PT.1 and PT.2

Documentation: The Language of Nursing (CDROM)
RT 50 .C67 2000

Mosby's Comprehensive Review of Practical Nursing (CDROM)
RT 62 .M62 1998

Using Nursing Research: Process, Critical Evaluation, and Utilization (CDROM)
RT 81.5 .D46 2000