**Locating Electronic Resources**

**Open Internet**
- Website Authority
  - Authorship, Responsibility, Content, Dates, Navigation/Quality
- Google, Google Images & Google Scholar
  - Other search engines, Metacrawler.com, Dogpile.com, Bing.com, Ask.com
- Editorial control & copyright issues

**Databases (full-text, informational, bibliographic)**
- Searching (word counting vs. site hits vs. other algorithms)
- Boolean searching (AND, OR, NOT)
- Medical Literature (Medline)
- What’s Available? Years, formats, vendors, i.e. Ovid, PubMed
- Nursing Literature (CINAHL, HealthSource Nursing ([www.inspire.in.gov](http://www.inspire.in.gov))
- National Practice Guideline Clearinghouse

**Journals (Print or Electronic)**
- Peer Reviewed/Refereed
- Other Literature (Meeting Abstracts, Book Chapters, Technical Reports) ([Google Scholar](http://library.medicine.iu.edu/ill))
- Databases ([Databases link](http://library.medicine.iu.edu/ill))
- Nursing, Biology, Chemistry, Psychology, Business, Legal, News, General,
- Consumer Health

**Using Electronic Resources**
- Full-text articles
- Electronic textbooks
- What if you do not see a “Full-Text” link in Ovid or a IUSM Icon in PubMed?
  - Click the Find It Button
  - Check IUCAT to see if we own the print version
  - If we do not own it, order via Document Delivery: [http://library.medicine.iu.edu/ill](http://library.medicine.iu.edu/ill)

- What is Bibliographic Software?
  - Download to personal libraries like EndNote, Reference Manager, Refworks
Portal pages are developed for departments or specialties:
- AIDS/HIV: http://library.medicine.iu.edu/body.cfm?id=76&oTopID=75
- Anesthesiology: http://library.medicine.iu.edu/body.cfm?id=131&oTopID=75
- Bioethics: http://library.medicine.iu.edu/body.cfm?id=132&oTopID=75
- Nutrition & Dietetics: http://library.medicine.iu.edu/body.cfm?id=284&oTopID=75
- Obstetrics/Gynecology: http://library.medicine.iu.edu/body.cfm?id=326&oTopID=75
- Pediatrics: http://library.medicine.iu.edu/body.cfm?id=309&oTopID=75
- Public Health: http://library.medicine.iu.edu/body.cfm?id=111&oTopID=75
- Radiology: http://library.medicine.iu.edu/body.cfm?id=134&oTopID=75
- Surgery: http://library.medicine.iu.edu/body.cfm?id=138&oTopID=75

Finding Health-Related Statistics: http://library.medicine.iu.edu/body.cfm?id=73
Finding Tests, Instruments, Surveys: http://library.medicine.iu.edu/body.cfm?id=74
Finding Dissertations: http://library.medicine.iu.edu/body.cfm?id=197

Publishing Information

- References for publication/publishing
  - Verification (citation matching)
  - Instructions for Authors, formats
  - Copyright, permissions
  - How to cite electronic resources

Online Databases & Full-Text Resources for IUSM

- Library Homepage: http://library.medicine.iu.edu

- Ovid Databases (includes Ovid Medline, Health & Psychosocial Instruments, etc.), IUCAT (book catalog) are located on the horizontal toolbar of the library homepage

- Other databases (e.g. CINAHL, PsycInfo, Web of Science, Journal Citation Reports (Impact Factor), business, engineering and additional databases are located searching Databases on the toolbar

- Full-Text Electronic Journals are located on the library homepage under A-Z Journals on the toolbar

- To locate print books and journals search IUCAT on the toolbar
**Additional Authoritative Sites**

Centers for Disease Control (CDC)  
www.cdc.gov

Food & Drug Administration (FDA)  
www.fda.gov

Genetic Disorders & Birth Defects Information Ctr  
http://geneinfo.medlib.iupui.edu/

Google Scholar  
http://scholar.google.com/

INSPIRE (Indiana Virtual Library)  
www.inspire.net  
*Includes HealthSource Nursing & Medline with free full-text links*

Instructions for Authors  
http://mulford.meduohio.edu/instr/

MedlinePlus (Consumer Health Information)  
www.medlineplus.gov

National Guideline Clearinghouse  
www.guidelines.gov/

Indiana Public Health Information  
http://library.medicine.iu.edu/body.cfm?id=203

TOXNET (Toxicology Data Network)  

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**Library Assistance for Training, Questions, Literature Searches**

Email: medlref@iupui.edu or call 274-7182 between 9am-5pm, Monday-Friday

Document Delivery (Interlibrary Loans for articles or books)  
http://library.medicine.iu.edu/ill

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