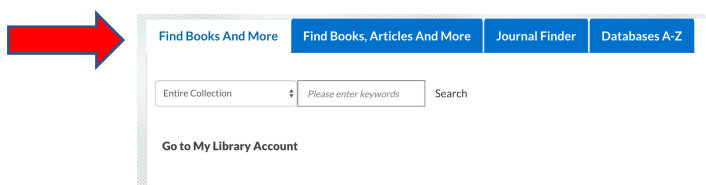


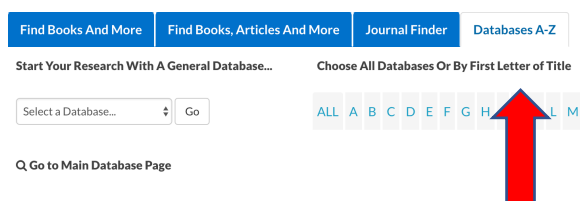
Library Information for HS300 Students

Finding Scholarly Materials:

Use the “Find Books and More” tab on the library’s homepage to search materials in the LIU collection.



Use the “Databases A-Z” tab to search through LIU’s database subscriptions.



If you come across a book, video or journal article you need for your research, and the Brooklyn Library does not provide it, request it through our Interlibrary Loan (ILL) service. This tab can be found on the main library page under “Library Services.” (You will need to create an account the first time you use Interlibrary Loan.)

Students have off-campus access to the article databases and library e-materials. The system will require you to enter your MyLIU Username and Password when prompted.

Get in Touch with LIU Brooklyn Library

Website/Live Chat:

<http://www.liu.edu/Brooklyn/Brooklyn-Campus-Library>

Call a Librarian:

718-780-4513

Text a Librarian:

Text “askbrooklyn” and your question to 66746

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Bkln-libref@liu.edu

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For in-person help, come visit us at the Ask-a-Librarian desk on the 3rd floor!



Finding Health Databases:

By searching a database, researchers can access relevant materials from many different journals, cutting down search times. To find Health Services information:

1. From the library's website, click on "Databases A-Z"
2. To see a range of health services related databases, click on "Go to Main Database Page"
3. Click on the first drop-down menu: All subjects.
4. Select Medicine or Public Health. There are about 29 for Medicine and 36 for Public Health listed here.

Helpful Health Databases

- **Medline (Ebsco) or the free version of PubMed:** MEDLINE provides authoritative medical information on medicine, nursing, dentistry, veterinary medicine, the health care system, pre-clinical sciences, and much more.
- **CINAHL Complete:** Provides indexing for 3,001 journals from the fields of nursing and allied health, with indexing back to 1937.
- **Alt-HealthWatch:** This alternative health database provides full text for more than 140 publications in the collection, including full text for many peer-reviewed journals.
- **Proquest Central Essentials:** ProQuest Central Essentials provides comprehensive, full-text, periodical coverage from 12 complete ProQuest databases, including Research Library and US Newsstream. These curated databases are focused on science, technology, business, health, religion, arts, literature, humanities, social sciences, and education.

Relevant Websites

- **MedlinePlus.gov--** www.medlineplus.gov: The National Library of Medicine's online platform to provide information on health and drug issues, as well as provides a directory of medical services.
- **New York City Department of Health & Mental Hygiene--** www.nyc.gov/health: New York City's department responsible for public health.
- **Center for Disease Control--** www.cdc.gov: The federal organization that focuses on the health prevention, promotion, and preparedness activities in the United States.

Citation Assistance

- LIU Brooklyn Library's APA LibGuide (<http://liu.brooklyn.libguides.com/apa/overview>)
- Owl Purdue (https://owl.purdue.edu/owl/purdue_owl.html)

Search Tips

Use Keywords in the search boxes, not entire questions.

To narrow your search, you can add multiple keywords using AND, OR, and NOT.

Use the options of the side of the results page to limit the date range if you are looking for more current information. This will weed out older articles.

Make use of the e-mail, save, and download functions to keep track of all of your sources.

Most articles will also have a cite option, meaning the database will create a citation for you.