How the library can help YOU

You get: Reliable information from a variety of sources

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Access to articles from newspapers, magazines and journals through our Database collection.
- EBSCO – Medline
- EBSCO – Healthsource
- EBSCO – Cinahl

The Research Process:

You may not always find an article on exactly the topic you are looking for. Revise your search and check different resources.

Remember to use the word AND between concepts, ie:

diabetes AND insulin AND synthesis

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1. Login to Ocean Cruiser
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Helpful Resources for Medical Terminology

Relevant websites


http://healthfinder.gov/ - Produced by the US Department of Health and Human Services, this site has an encyclopedia about health information, plus provides service information and other health news.

http://science.gov – This portal produced by the US government links to sites divided by area of science, including health and biology.

http://www.nlm.nih.gov/medlineplus/ - Produced by the National Library of Medicine, this resource links to encyclopedias, drug information and other health related topics. Of note is the video library of surgical procedures.


http://www.mayoclinic.com/ - The Mayo clinic has an amazing website for finding medical and drug information.


APA websites

http://owl.english.purdue.edu/owl/resource/560/01/ - Perdue University’s Online Writing Lab (Owl)’s APA style and formatting guide.


http://lib.ocean.edu/the_source/APA.htm APA guide from “The Source” a citation resource produced by OCC professors.

http://www.noodletools.com/ - Noodle Tools – a commercial website that offers citation services for pay, but also allows you to create single citations for free.