PubMed Searching

and

Public Health and Health Services Research Resources at the National Library of Medicine

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Author Searching

Enter the author's last name plus initials without punctuation in the search box. Click "Search".

Click "Advanced" to use the search builder. Select "Author" from the All Fields menu. The author search box includes an autocomplete feature. Subject Searching

Identify the key concepts for your search.

Enter the terms (or key concepts) in the search box.

Suggestions will display as you type your search terms.

Subject Searching

PubMed may modify your search terms to enhance your retrieval.

To see how PubMed modified your search, consult the "Search details" box displayed on the results page and click the "See more..." link for further information. MeSH

Medical Subject Headings

MeSH is the National Library of Medicine's controlled vocabulary thesaurus. It consists of sets of terms naming descriptors in a hierarchical structure that permits searching at various levels of specificity.



27,149 descriptors in 2014 MeSH

218,000 entry terms

219,000 headings called Supplementary Concept Records (formerly Supplementary Chemical Records) within a separate thesaurus

MeSH Translations

MeSH terms

The See-Reference mappings (also known as entry terms) for MeSH terms

MeSH Subheadings

Publication Types

MeSH Translations

Pharmacologic action terms

Terms derived from the Unified Medical Language System (UMLS) that have equivalent synonyms or lexical variants in English

Supplementary concept (substance) names and their synonyms.

MeSH Searching – Focus

Replace general search terms with more specific ones (e.g., search for "low back pain" instead of "back pain").

Add additional terms to your search.

Use the sidebar filters to restrict your results by publication dates, species, article types, etc.

MeSH Searching – Expand

Click the "Related citations See all" link for a relevant citation to display a pre-calculated of PubMed citations closely related to the article.

Remove extraneous or specific terms from the search box.

Try using alternative terms to describe the concepts you are searching.

MeSH Searching - Exploring the Tree

"dental public health" = 41437 citations

MeSH = "public health dentistry" = 30631

MeSH offers Subheadings; Major Topic restrictions, Entry Terms, and the Tree

Combining Terms using "History"

Click "Advanced"

Combine using search numbers

Single Citation Matcher

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Fill-in-the-blank form

Use this result to find "Related Citations"

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Use "Display Setting"

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Click "Send to" and select "Citation Manager"

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PubMed Tutorials – for short "how-to" videos

Topic-specific queries – search help and at bottom, PubMed Dental Health Journal subset

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Health services research investigates three major aspects of health care: *access* to care, the *quality* of the care, and its *cost*.

Health services researchers attempt to *evaluate* the *effects* and *outcomes* of the health care "system" on people's health.

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The <u>National Library of Medicine</u> (NLM), <u>National Institutes of Health</u> (NIH), and the <u>U.S. Department of Health and Human Services</u> (HHS), <u>Office of Disease Prevention and Health Promotion</u>, have worked together to develop preformulated search strategies (structured evidence queries) that search high-quality, peer-reviewed scientific literature to identify research evidence for selected <u>Healthy People 2020</u> objectives.

These one-click strategies search PubMed, an NLM database that provides access to millions of citations from MEDLINE, life science and public health journals, and on-line books. PubMed includes links to many sites providing full text articles and other related resources. Click on the topic areas listed above to link to specific search strategies.

This site is supported by the NLM with the assistance of the collaboration, Partners in Information Access for the Public Health Workforce. Your feedback is important to this project and will be greatly appreciated.

To share the resource with colleagues and staff, this handout provides a project overview.

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