



Health Library for North Staffordshire Newsletter

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Welcome

Welcome to the Health Library for North Staffordshire newsletter. Read on to learn more about how we can support you. Find out about the latest activities at the library and our recent blog posts.

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Change to the Health Library Bulletin

The frequency of this Health Library bulletin will change this year from bi-monthly to quarterly. Make sure you don't miss an issue by signing up to receive the bulletin directly to your inbox. Contact the eresources librarian Cheryl, c.kent@keele.ac.uk to be added to the subscriber list.

Themed issue

Over the beginning of this year we have been posting all about the different ways you can develop your digital skills and how the Health Library can help. This issue of the bulletin is a special themed issue on digital skills.

You live, work and study in a digital world. You need the right skills to maximise your potential to achieve success in your studies, work and for your patients.

The Health Library can help you to:

- develop your digital skills
- demonstrate your skills for your course, revalidation, appraisals and professional development
- deliver increased productivity, improved quality and best patient care

Develop Your Digital Skills

Develop



Develop your digital skills

Develop your digital skills with the Health Library

Demonstrate



Demonstrate your skills

Demonstrate your skills in assignments, revalidation, research and publications

Deliver



Deliver best patient care

Use your digital skills day-to-day to deliver the best patient care

At the Health Library

We have a plethora of resources and training opportunities to help you to develop your digital skills. So, if you want to prepare your literature search plan, use resources more effectively and get referencing right, read on.

Our eTutorials help you to develop your digital skills

We have been showcasing how the Health Library can support you in developing your skills. Please explore these blog posts which detail the training and development opportunities available to you. Our content includes interactive tutorials, videos, quizzes and presentations:

- [What are digital and information skills? Have you got them?](#)
- [Your digital skills – how can the Health Library help?](#)
- [Information skills to support literature searching](#)
- [Analyse your question to get your literature search off to a good start](#)
- [Develop your search skills with our online tutorials](#)
- [Learn to use the right resource](#)
- [Is the information you find good quality?](#)
- [Make sure you use information ethically](#)
- [Use your digital skills to share the information you find](#)
- [Stay up-to-date with updates in your field](#)
- [More training options to develop your digital skills](#)
- [Let us know what you thought](#)

Make the most of your digital skills with these tips and tricks

We've been sharing tips and tricks on twitter/X to help you to develop and demonstrate your digital skills and use them to deliver best patient care. It is a reminder of the many ways that the Health Library can support you. Take a look at some selected resources:

- [Tips and Tricks 1-5](#)
- [Tips and Tricks 6-10](#)
- [Tips and Tricks 11-15](#)
- [Tips and Tricks 16-20](#)
- [Tips and Tricks 21-55](#)

Where can you access Health Library resources?

You'll find links to all our different resources on the Health Library website:

- [Midwifery and nursing databases \(Keele\)](#)
- [Medical databases \(Keele\)](#)
- [NHS Resources](#)

Where can you find Health Library training opportunities?

We have a range of training opportunities to help you to develop your skills:

- [Information Skills tutorials](#)
- [Online guides and support](#)
- [Training and workshops for Keele students](#)
- [Training and workshops for UHNM staff](#)
- [Services offered by the NHS Outreach Librarians](#)

Stay up to date

You can stay up to date with changes at the Health Library by checking:

* [Health Library News](#) blog * [Information Skills for Health](#) blog * [@CECLibrary](#) on Twitter

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