The Library's Web of Science consists of two citation databases containing information gathered from numerous scholarly journals in all areas of research. Now, users have access to current information and retrospective data from 1970 to present.

**Science Citation Index Expanded**
- Includes approximately 425,000 new cited references per week.
- As of January 1991, contains searchable, full-length, English-language author abstracts for approximately 70% of the articles in the index.

**Social Sciences Citation Index**
- Includes approximately 60,000 new cited references per week.
- As of January 1992, contains searchable, full-length, English-language author abstracts for approximately 60% of the articles in the index.

Distributed from other indices, Web of Science provides access to the articles’ cited references. Advantages are: determine who is citing your research and how it is being used to support current research; track the research activities of colleagues; and follow the history of an idea or methodology from its conception to the present day.

Search options available are: Quick Search Enter topic terms in the Quick Search text box. General Search Search for records by topic, author name, source title, and author address. Advanced Search Create complex searches using field tags and set combinations. Open Saved Search Search for records by opening a previously saved search history file.

As always, for any assistance on the above indices, feel free to contact the Reference Department at the Isché Library (504) 568-8102 / (504) 568-8339, or at the Dental Library (504) 568-8507.

-- Carolyn K. Bridgeswater
Anouncing InfoPOEMs via InfoRetriever

LSUHSC - NO faculty, staff, and students now have access to InfoPOEMs (Patient-Oriented Evidence that Matters) via InfoRetriever an online clinical awareness system of filtered, synopsized, evidence-based health information.

What is InfoPOEMs?
InfoPOEMs is the name of the clinical health information system. InfoRetriever is what you use to search, locate, and retrieve the POEMs.

InfoPOEMs using InfoRetriever is an easily searchable system of current, clinically relevant, evidence-based health information that has been filtered for relevance, graded/labeled with a level of evidence (systematic reviews to expert consensus), and synopsized in a brief review that covers the core points of an article or study. The synopsis is the POEM.

Why use InfoPOEMs?
InfoPOEMs can quickly locate patient diagnoses, therapies, prognoses, guidelines and research-based recommendations as a POEM. The POEM links to the evidence-based citation.

How to access InfoPOEMs?
InfoPOEMs is available on campus (LSUHSC domain) and off campus using WAM (link removed) access.

Access InfoRetriever

And use the keyword search.
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-- Kathryn E. Kerdolff (link removed)
GIDEON (Global Infectious Disease and Epidemiology Network) Online is a global infectious disease knowledge management tool. It uses an interactive application to provide diagnosis and reference in the fields of tropical and infectious diseases, epidemiology, microbiology and antimicrobial chemotherapy.

GIDEON is made up of four modules: Diagnosis, Epidemiology, Therapy and Microbiology.

1. Diagnosis component - generates a ranked differential diagnosis or simulation of a clinical problem.
2. Epidemiology component - presents the epidemiology of individual diseases transmitted, including their status in any given country, or worldwide.
3. Therapy component - includes information on how drugs and vaccines are used, their side effects, trade names, testing standards.
4. Microbiology component - identifies any bacterium or yeast, or contrasts two or more species.

The database includes 337 diseases, 224 countries, 1,147 microbial taxa and 306 antibacterial (-fungal, -parasitic, -viral) agents and vaccines. Complete lists of GIDEON content are available.

GIDEON is updated on a weekly basis. Resources used include all relevant citations appearing in MEDLINE searches, periodic publications of the World Health Organization, abstracts of major international meetings, user feedback, and latest additions from the following:

- National Health Ministry Reports
- Technical Reports of the World Health Organization
- Texts and Monographs
- Journals and Periodicals

Additional information is available from the GIDEON tutorial.
Access is available on-campus to all LSUHSC domain computers. Access is also available off-campus via the WAM (link removed) (Web Access Management) portion of the Libraries’ catalog (link removed). To use the WAM system, patrons must be registered with the Library and have an LSUHSC barcode. For assistance with registering with the Libraries or with obtaining a barcode, please contact the Circulation Desk at either the Isché Library (504-568-6100) or the Dental Library (504-619-8550). Access is provided through the SCAMeL Consortia.

For more information about GIDEON, please contact the Reference (link removed) Department at the Isché Library (504) 568-6102 / (504) 568-8339, or at the Dental (link removed) Library (504) 619-8507, or stop by the library for a quick demonstration.

-- Pauline Fulda (link removed)
Now you do with RefWorks, "Your personal online database and bibliography creator."

RefWorks is a web-based bibliographic manager that allows you to create and organize your own personal database of references. You can import references from multiple databases such as Ovid (link removed), PubMed (link removed), EBSCOhost (link removed), and Medline Central (link removed), and you can import saved text files.

Don't have a reference from an online source? Don't worry. You can also enter references the old-fashioned way, manually. Once you have your references in your database, you can organize them and create a bibliography in seconds. RefWorks will even format your references using the style of your choice, and you can select from over 250 styles including APA, Vancouver, MLA, and Turabian. You can also incorporate your references and bibliography directly into a paper while you write using Write-N-Cite or OneNote/Cite View.

Already using another bibliographic manager? That's okay. You can use RefWorks too. RefWorks will import your references from other bibliographic managers such as ProCite and EndNote, and since RefWorks is web-based, you can access your RefWorks database from home, school, or work.

To get started, head over to the Library Services (link removed) webpage and click on RefWorks. Access is available on-campus to all LSUHSC-drawn computers and off-campus via the WAM (link removed) (Web Access Management) portion of the Library's catalog (link removed). To use WAM patrons must be registered with the Library and have an LSUHSC barcode. Once you have reached the RefWorks homepage, click on User Login to sign up for an individual account. Registration is free, and once you have signed up you will receive an email confirming your registration. For more information on how to use RefWorks check out the Quick Start Guide (link removed) (pdf) and Tutorial (link removed).

For assistance with any of the Libraries' resources, please contact a Reference (link removed) Librarian at the iSchool Library (504) 598-8102/8139, or at the Dental (link removed) Library (504) 517-8507.

-- Marlene Bishop (link removed)
Embargo Lifted

The LSUHSC Libraries is proud to announce the lifting of the embargoes on a number of important journals. Embargoes are established by publishers to encourage the continuation of print subscriptions. This practice allows publishers to charge a premium for the most current material. While the Libraries have had print subscriptions for most of these titles, we can now offer online access to the latest content. Titles include Biochemistry, Journal of Biological Chemistry, and eleven titles published by the American Society for Microbiology.

LWW Titles expand electronic access

The LSUHSC Libraries is pleased to announce an expansion in our electronic journal title list. Through a consortial agreement with the LSUHSC Library in Shreveport, the Libraries have added 279 journal titles from Lippincott Williams and Wilkins (LWW). Some titles are electronic only and some are in both print and electronic formats. All titles are included in the Libraries' online catalog, INNOPAC (link removed) and on the Electronic Access to Journals (link removed) web page. For all assistance, contact the Reference (link removed) Department at the Medical Library (504) 588-6102 or at the Dental (504) 588-8507.

New Library Display

The three newest LSUHSC doctors are the subjects of a new display in the Itochi Library. Dean James Cairo, PhD of Allied Health, Dean Elizabeth Fortham, DrPH of Public Health, and Dean Larry Holt, MD of Medicine and their respective publications are featured. The display cases are located around the Library stairs.
Search Hints: Analyze this!

ISI Web of Science Results Analysis feature obtains data values from a field you select and then produces a report showing the values in ranked order. For instance, by searching the Web of Science for articles on HIV Disease and Women, this feature will allow users to generate a list of authors who have published articles on that subject. The authors who published the largest number of articles would be at the top of the list.

To perform a Results Analysis search: Click the Analyze button on any Summary Results page to go to the Results Analysis page.

Select a field and the number of records in the set to be analyzed along with a display and sorting option.
The Record count ranks the values from highest to lowest, according to the number of records in which each value appears. Selected field sorts the list in ascending alphabetical (A-Z) or numeric (0-9) order.

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Library Bulletin

Staff News

Carolyn K. Bridgewater, MLIS, MSW. Reference Librarian at the John P. Ischel Library, has been elected incoming secretary of the Hospital Library Section of the South Central Chapter of the Medical Library Association.

Pauline O. Fulda, BS, AHIP, Associate Director, received the first prize research award along with Hanne Kwastik for their paper, “Strengthening Professional: A Chapter Level Formative Evaluation of the MLA Mentor Initiative” which was presented at the South Central Chapter of the Medical Library Association annual meeting in October in Houston, TX. Pauline and Hanne also presented a poster, “Empowering Scholarly Communication through the Open Access Movement: A Historical Perspective.” Additionally, Pauline received the Yvonne Educational Services Area Tutor of the Year Award for Jefferson Parish. She has been a volunteer literacy tutor for 2 years.

Kathryn E. Kerdoff, MLIS, AHIP. Reference Librarian at the John P. Ischel Library, received an honorable mention for research along with Maureen Knapp for their paper, “Library Resources for Health Information Retrieval: Measuring Librarian Instruction into the Equation: Effectiveness Research Study” which was presented at the South Central Chapter of the Medical Library Association annual meeting in October in Houston, TX.

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Jennifer K. Lloyd, MLIS, AHIP. Circulation and Interlibrary Loan Librarian/Web Coordinator, was elected vice president/president elect of the Health Sciences Library Association of Louisiana.
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All current LSUHSC faculty, staff, and students should receive an automatic announcement about the availability of a new issue. If you are not receiving these announcements or if you are not a current member of the LSUHSC community and would like to receive these announcements, please contact Jennifer K. Lloyd at jljackson@lsuhsc.edu.

Archived copies of the newsletter may be found via the LSUHSC Library's homepage at http://www.lsuhsc.edu/lsulibrary.

Additionally, the LSUHSC Dental Library publishes its own newsletter, the Library Explorer. Copies are archived via the LSUHSC Dental Library homepage under Library Explorer.

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