

Here are some tips to help you navigate the web with a special focus on gerontology and rehab:

You can access Medline at www.nlm.nih.gov/ here you will find your best source of medical articles and scientific journals on the web, also via Pubmed.

Some gerontology specific sites:

www.sagelink.ca Home of the Centre for Studies in Aging & Health at Providence Care in Kingston, Ontario.

www.gerontario.org is the site for the Ontario Gerontology Association which has its own resources as well as links to related sites. Note: we hold the OGA publications in the library.

www.alzheimerontario.org is the site for the Alzheimer Society of Ontario. The ASO publications can be downloaded full text.

www.cagacq.ca is the site of the Canadian Association on Gerontology whose Vision is “to be the Canadian authority on individual and population aging”. CAG publications are also held in the library.

<http://www.health.gov.au/> from the Australian government, department of health.

www.geron.org is the site of the Gerontological Society of America and has its own literature on the practice of gerontology, education and research as well as links to many journals.

<http://www.uwo.ca/actage/> is the website for the University of Western Ontario Canadian Centre for Activity and Aging which is a repository of publications

www.sfu.ca/iaq/links/journals is an international site for access to journals on gerontology.

www.nia.nih.gov/ is the National Institute on Aging and is a broad base for access to information for health professionals and consumers alike.

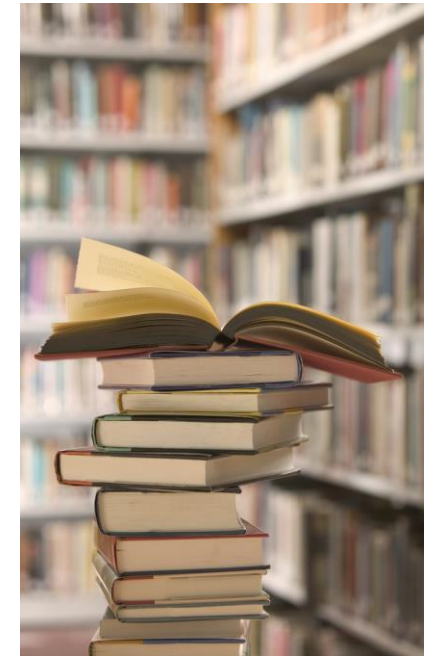
www.chpca.net is the Canadian Hospice Palliative Care Association site which includes a directory of services across Canada with many other links.

www.heartandstroke.on.ca Heart and Stroke Foundation of Ontario includes best practice guidelines for stroke care in long term care facilities and many links.

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health sciences library



Location
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Hours

*The library is accessible
any time using the number 5000 at
the door*

*information specialist hours
Tuesday and Thursday 9am to 5pm*

The Library

The St. Joseph's Health Centre Library provides information access and services to all members of staff and volunteers to support evidence based practice, in their clinical and non clinical fields of health care.

Purpose

In keeping with our Mission
“We are dedicated to compassionate, person centred care through discovery, innovation and partnerships.”

Library mission

The mission of the library is to provide easy access to information, for all staff and volunteers, in support of evidence based, current best practice, education and research and to promote awareness of new developments in the health care field through current awareness and knowledge exchange.

In keeping with our mission you have access to:

- ✚ information in support of patient and resident care
- ✚ new developments in the health care field
- ✚ current awareness
- ✚ factual information - reports, statistics
- ✚ instruction on “how to find stuff”

and we support:

- ✚ best practice in every discipline
- ✚ special functions within St. Joseph’s Health Centre and the community
- ✚ educational programs
- ✚ research

Services

The following services are available to all staff and volunteers:

- ✚ **books and journals** may be borrowed for a two week period
- ✚ **interlibrary loan services** from around the world through -
 - Docline – the National Library of Medicine freeshare program

- Canadian Medical Libraries Association listserv program
- The Ontario Health Libraries Association
- The Ontario Libraries Association
- the Wellington-Waterloo-Dufferin Health Library Network which includes the Universities of Guelph and Waterloo

- ✚ **current awareness services** -
 - recommended reading lists from current journals
 - tables of contents upon request
 - awareness of remote, virtual education
 - access to email alerts for specific journal tables of contents

✚ literature searches

- ✚ **photocopying services** – articles from journals in accordance with Canadian copyright law

✚ how to find stuff

the information specialist will meet with you to teach quick ways to find what you are looking for at your desk, and you become a Champion

- ✚ **patient education materials** – books, DVDs and webinars on demand are also available

The cataloguing system is the National Library of Medicine. This site can be accessed for medical information also www.nlm.nih.gov