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## OmniFile Full Text Mega Edition

Wilson OmniFile Full Text, Mega Edition comprises the following databases: Education, General Science, Humanities, Social Sciences, and Business. Backfiles going back to as early as 1982 ensure successful searches.

**New for September 2011**

## Clinical Skills and e-book collection

**NEW!!**

Two new resources for 2011 for Health Sciences Students are Clinical Skills Online from Elsevier. This collection of 80 narrated video clips explains from start to finish many of the clinical skills practiced in Nursing studies. They cover, amongst others, areas such as Respiratory Care, Wound Care and Blood Transfusion.

Health Sciences students will also benefit from another e-book collection of 10 titles covering core curriculum areas.

**To access the databases you will need to login using your name, GMIT student number and library PIN. (See PIN guide for details)**

**Nursing Portal:** For an extensive and relevant list of Nursing-related websites and reports, please go to the Nursing Portal on the Library website.

## Online Journals

Online versions of many of our print journals are available by following the link on the catalogue record to the electronic version. Some journals are available online only and are also linked from the catalogue. In addition, thousands of journals are available in electronic format via the databases

## Multimedia

Moore library holds a growing multimedia collection covering many subject areas. These include many Royal College of Nursing and Mosby titles. For a complete list please view the Library Collections link on

<http://library.gmit.ie> or come and browse the collection on the first floor.

**DVDs, videos, etc. are now available for 2 night loan**

## Internet

**Wireless access and more sockets for laptops now available in Moore Library**

PCs providing access to the Internet, MS Office, printing and student accounts are available for library users on the first floor.

## Exam papers

Past exam papers can be found on the first floor in print format. Many can also be viewed or printed from the library website at <http://library.gmit.ie>.

## Contact details

Please ask staff at the information desks or phone

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## Nursing Studies

## Moore Library Nursing and Health Sciences



## Health Sciences

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# Nursing

The library holds a broad range of resources, both print and electronic, to support the many subjects studied in the Department of Health Sciences.

Printed resources include:

- Books,
- Journals
- Theses
- Exam papers
- Lecturers' material.

Electronic and multimedia resources include

- Electronic books
- Online journals
- Internet access
- DVDs and video

For further information on any of the services, facilities or resources available in the library please contact staff at the Information Desks or refer to the other library guides.

## Library Catalogue and Website

The library website is the starting point for locating information. It is the entry point to multiple print and electronic resources, exam papers, and your library account. The catalogue itself is a searchable listing of all print and multimedia materials held in GMT Libraries. It also links to many of the Electronic Resources. Available at <http://library.gmit.ie>

## Print Resources

### Books

There are over 115,000 volumes held in GMT Libraries (16,000 in Castlebar). They are shelved in subject order according to the Dewey Decimal Classification system. Each book in the library is assigned a Dewey class/shelf number that identifies its subject matter. This number can be found on the spine of the book, and in numerical order on the shelves. The following is a broad outline of the Dewey numbers in the Nursing area:

300.72	Research
306.461	Sociology of Health
610.73	General Medical Nursing
610.7368	Psychiatric Nursing
612	Anatomy and Physiology
615	Pharmacology
616.8	Mental Health
808.2	Writing up Research

001-699 are held on the ground floor.

700-999 are held on the first floor.

### Journals

Journals are often the most up-to-date source of information on a topic. Moore Library subscribes to approx. 70 print journal titles, many of which relate to nursing. The current year's journals are shelved on the ground floor and are arranged in alphabetical order according to course. Titles include:

**Journal of Clinical Nursing**

**British Medical Journal**

**Journal of Advanced Nursing**

Back issues of journals are held on the journal shelves on the first floor.

**Thousands of fulltext journals are also available in electronic format via the online databases.**

*See Electronic Resources*

### Desk Reserve & Lecturers' Material

**Heavily used items and lecturers' material is held on Desk Reserve at the Circulation/Information Desk on the ground floor and may be used in the library for 3 hours at a time.**

### Other

Other printed resources include Government, especially Department of Health and Children, and exam papers.

## Electronic & Multimedia Resources

**Summon** is a search engine that retrieves content from GMT print and electronic resources. It 'summons' information from books, e-journals, e-books, and many other categories of library material. Operational since 2011, this 'discovery' service provides simple and advanced searches of library collections. (See Summon guide for details)

## Databases

Databases are online collections of journal articles, books, etc. All databases may be searched individually, or as a collection through the Summon search engine.

### E-Books

Ebrary's Academic Complete collection contains more than 50,000 individual titles across most academic disciplines. These include Nursing, Medicine, Psychology, Business and Economics, Education, Technology and many more.

**Health Source Nursing Academic Edition** provides more than 550 scholarly full text journals focusing on many medical disciplines. This is one of the main resources for Health Sciences students.

[Academic Search Premier](#) is a multi-disciplinary full text database containing full text for more than 4,650 journals, with more than 3,900 peer-reviewed titles. This collection offers information in nearly every area of academic study including: nursing and health sciences, chemistry, arts & literature, medical sciences, ethnic studies, and many more.