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Dental Library Temporary Closure

Beginning on August 16, 2011, the Dental Library was closed and will remain closed for several months, to allow for work on the air conditioning system. Librarians are located in the Dental School and are available to assist with your information needs.

Elizabeth Strother, estrot@lsuhsc.edu (*link removed*), is located in room 2111 (2nd floor Administration Building), phone: 504-941-8160.

Julie Schiavo, jschia@lsuhsc.edu (*link removed*), is located in room 2115 (2nd floor Administration Building), phone 504-941-8162.

Zerita Dupre, zdupre@lsuhsc.edu (*link removed*), is located at the Isché Medical Library in the LSUHSC Resource Building, phone: 504-568-6101.

Or email the dentlib@lsuhsc.edu (*link removed*) which is monitored by all.

Although the Dental Library is closed, we are sometimes able to retrieve some books and journals for you to borrow. Please contact Liz or Julie if there is anything you need. We are still available to help with online searches, reference questions, accessing articles, etc. As always, some materials are available [full-text](#) (*link removed*) from the Libraries' catalog, [Innopac](#) (*link removed*).

To return books that you have checked out, either use the Dental School bookdrop in the 3rd floor breezeway, bring them to one of the librarians, or return them to the Isché Library (downtown) or its bookdrop.

The PayPaw printer, coin-op/PayPaw color photocopier, and scanner have been moved to Room 5316 and are available whenever the school is open. For assistance during regular business hours, contact Computer Services in Room 5312.

Thank you for your patience. We will do our best to accommodate your information needs during this time.

-- [Julie Schiavo](#) (*link removed*)

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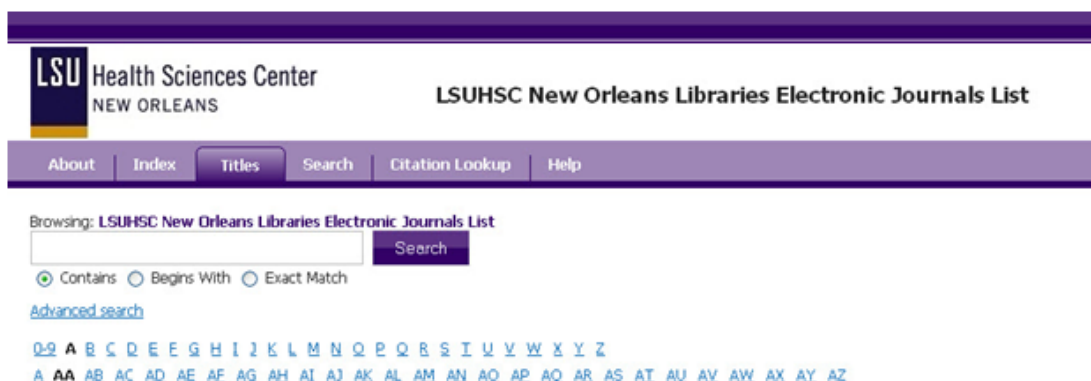
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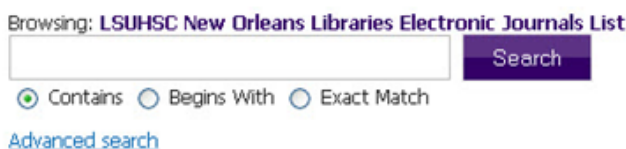
Electronic Journals List Gets a Makeover

Since the Library launched access to it in mid-2008, the Electronic Journals List has proven to be a very popular resource for all of the Health Sciences Center's faculty, students, and staff. The list not only includes the majority of the Library's electronic journal subscriptions, but it also has many titles available through state and regional consortia agreements. A number of these titles are not necessarily within the scope of subjects in our collection, but they may be of benefit to you. This list provides a great way to access these resources.

After many years of the same layout, the Electronic Journals List was recently revamped and received a completely new look:



In addition to the aesthetic makeover, elements were added to increase the list's functionality, many of which are working behind-the-scenes. However, one noticeable change affected searching: previously, the basic search defaulted to keyword searching, retrieving any resource with the search term in its title. Now you can change the basic search from the default "Contains" to either "Begins With" or "Exact Match" by using the radio buttons just below the search box:



This new search option is available from all screens used to browse titles, and there are even more ways to customize your search through the "Advanced search" link below the search box.

If you need assistance with the Electronic Journals List or any other Library resource, please do not hesitate to contact us via e-mail (reference@lsuhsc.edu (link removed) or dentlib@lsuhsc.edu (link removed)) or phone (504-568-6102 / 504-568-8339).

-- [Rebecca Bealer](#) (link removed)

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Faculty Publications Display

In early 2011, the Library developed a new Faculty Publications display that highlights recent articles by LSUHSC-New Orleans researchers. The display is being regularly updated with materials that have been gathered into the [Faculty Publications Database](#) (*link removed*), which is maintained by the Library as a prominent resource; it includes a handy link to a PDF document of the monthly bibliography of display articles.

The articles on display, rotated out monthly, are in the Library's Reference area (near the Library elevator) on the third floor of the Resource Center Building. The Library staff is happy to emphasize the important work published by the scientists and educators at the Health Sciences Center.

The Dental Library's



display has been
suspended while their
physical space is
being renovated.

About the Library's Faculty Publications Database:
The Faculty Publications Database includes citations to papers, editorials, letters to the editor, meeting abstracts, books, and book chapters authored by at least one member of the LSUHSC-New Orleans faculty, 1998 - present. Information in this database is retrieved from several sources, including: PubMed, ISI Web of Knowledge, SCOPUS, EMBASE.com, CINAHL, PsycInfo and contributions directly from faculty members. Access to this database is available to the public. To add your faculty publications, or for questions about this database, contact kkerdo@lsuhsc.edu (*link removed*).

If you need assistance with this database or any other Library resource, please do not hesitate to contact us via e-mail (reference@lsuhsc.edu (*link removed*) or dentlib@lsuhsc.edu (*link removed*)) or phone (504-568-6102 / 504-568-8339).

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Digital Collections Update: LSUHSC Academic Catalogs

In addition to the [Tiger Rag](#) (*link removed*) and our [graduation programs](#) (*link removed*) the Isché Library has added our [academic catalogs](#) to our ever growing online resources.

The most recent years are already available (2010/2011-1996/1998, 1992/1994). With another pair of hands, borrowed from our [Dental Library](#) while it undergoes renovation, we are speeding through the digitization of our Academic Catalogs. We hope to have catalogs dating back to the 80s...and beyond up by the end of the month.

If you need assistance with Digital Collections or any other Library resource, please do not hesitate to contact us via e-mail (reference@lsuhsc.edu (*link removed*) or dentlib@lsuhsc.edu (*link removed*)) or phone (504-568-6102 / 504-568-8339).

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Announcements

The Isché Library has published three new webpages of interest in the last few months:

- A new brochure entitled, [Finding Full-Text Articles](#) *(link removed)*;
- A new [resource guide](#) *(link removed)* on [Practice Exams](#) *(link removed)*; and
- A new [FAQ](#) *(link removed)* to answer basic questions regarding the Isché Library.

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Staff News

Kathryn E. Kerdolff, MLIS, AHIP, Reference Librarian, has renewed her membership in the Academy of Health Information Professionals (AHIP) at the Distinguished member level.

Molly Knapp, MA, AHIP, Reference Librarian, gave birth to a son, Dax Munson, on March 9th. She was one of the instructors for an online course entitled, *Get Mobilized! An introduction to mobile resources and tools in health sciences libraries* to librarians nation-wide. The course began mid-July and runs through early October.

Jennifer K. Lloyd, MLIS, AHIP, Information Technology & ILL Librarian and Acting Head-Circulation, became the Communications Chair for South Central Chapter of the Medical Library Association (SCC/MLA) in August, when the previous chair moved to China.

Mary L. Marix, MLS, AHIP, Reference Librarian, has renewed her membership in the Academy of Health Information Professionals (AHIP) at the Distinguished member level.

Joseph Plummer, MA, Dental Evening Circulation Associate, left the Library in July.

Julie Schiavo, MLIS, AHIP, Dental Reference Librarian, has been elected president of the Dental Section of the Medical Library Association (MLA). She has also been accepted into this year's class at the University of Pittsburgh iSchool's Certificate of Advanced Study Program in Health Sciences Librarianship and has been granted a full scholarship from the Institute of Museum and Library Services to cover the costs for the program.

Debbie Sibley, MEd, MLS, AHIP, Acting Director, attended the International Federation of Library Associations (IFLA) in August in San Juan, Puerto Rico. She serves on the Standing Committee for Science and Technology Libraries.

Elizabeth A. Strother, MLS, MBA, AHIP, Head of the Dental Library, had been promoted to the rank of professor/librarian in the LSU system.

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Publishing Information

LSUHSC Library-New Orleans **Library Bulletin** is published three times per year, corresponding to the university's three semesters. For comments and corrections, please contact Jennifer K. Lloyd at jlloyd@lsuhsc.edu (link removed).

Archived copies of the newsletter may be found via the LSUHSC Library's homepage at <http://www.lsuhsclibrary.edu/no/library/> (link removed). Additionally, the LSUHSC Dental Library publishes its own newsletter, the *Library Explorer*. Copies are archived via the [LSUHSC Dental Library homepage](#) (link removed) under *Library Explorer*.

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