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Instructions prepared for the Stony Brook University community

Remote Access to Full Text Resources

Remote access to the Health Sciences Library electronic products requires a NetID and NetID password, the same is true for electronic products of the University Library. This is not the same as your SOLAR login and password. Please follow the instructions below to find out what your NetID is and to create your NetID password by first logging into SOLAR.

Finding your NetID and Setting your NetID Password

To find out what your NetID is or to change your NetID password, log into the SOLAR system, http://www.stonybrook.edu/it/newssolar.html Under “Security and Personal Data” click on “NetID Maintenance”. Here you will find your NetID (usually your first initial and last name), and the opportunity to set up a security question or change your password.

NetID Maintenance

This link will allow you to set or change your password. The first time you use this link you will be asked to set up a security question and response. Every time you attempt to change your password you will be asked the security question. You must provide the correct response before you will be allowed to continue. Please make sure that the answer to your security question is easy for you to remember and answer but difficult for others to know.

To set up your security question click the “Click here to set or change your NetID Password”.

Trouble?

If you have forgotten your NetID or NetID password, use SOLAR to reset it.
If you have forgotten your SOLAR password, on the SOLAR login screen under Get Help, try the Online Help or Report a Problem.

Already Know the Journal Title?

The Health Sciences Library gateway to online full text journals is the eJournals list. The eJournal tab is in the middle of main screen on the library’s website: www.library.stonybrook.edu/healthsciences

Step 1: Go to www.library.stonybrook.edu/healthsciences

From this page, you can link to the journals available electronically to affiliated Stony Brook University users.
There are four ways to search:

1. Title begins with – use when you have the first few words or the entire journal title
2. Title equals – use when you have the exact journal title
3. Title contains all words – use to find journals when you have some words in the title
4. ISSN equals – use when you have the international standard serial number (often provided in database records such as MEDLINE)

**Step 2:** Click on the link that contains the required year for your citation.

American journal of forensic medicine and pathology (0195-7910) from 03/01/1980 to 12/31/2003 in Journals@Ovid LWW Journal Definitive Archive Collection from 03/01/1996 to present in Journals@Ovid LWW Total Access Collection

**Step 3:** When at the publisher’s website, find the link for “Search” to find the specific article, or use the link for “Archive”, “Past Issues”, “Browse Issues”, or another variation to view available volumes and years. Click on the year, volume, and then issue to find the desired article.

**Finding Journals by Subject Area**

**Step 1:** To locate journals by broad subject categories, use the “Browse e-journals by subject” menu.

**Step 2:** Next, select from the subtopics provided to link to journals on that subject.
Getting Help with Full Text Resources

1. Call us at 631-444-3099.

2. Email your question using the web form on the library website, click on “ask a librarian click here now” or email refhsclib@stonybrook.edu

3. Talk to a librarian in person, 9:00am-5:00pm Monday-Friday.

4. Schedule a consultation with a librarian in your office or in the library to learn more about our resources or for assistance with database searching.

5. There are many available database and searching tutorials for specific health sciences subjects at: http://guides.library.stonybrook.edu

Finding Full Text from PubMed

Step 1: Access PubMed LinkOut from the Health Sciences Library website: www.library.stonybrook.edu/healthsciences

Step 2: To locate the database, either use the Databases tab or click on the direct link under “Popular Databases”.

Step 3: After compiling your list of citations, change the Display Setting from Summary to either Abstract or Abstract (text) and then click apply. Or, click on the title hyperlink. Both of these actions display not only the abstracts, but also the icons that link to full text if available.

Step 4: After Abstract display is selected, citations will include the icon. Click this icon for access to the full text article. To see if the library has the print version, click on this icon.

Another icon that may appear, such as this example, is the full text link added to the citation by the journal’s publisher. Another icon links to free full text in the PubMed Central repository.

Step 5. After clicking on the icon, an Article Linker Search Results screen will display. Click on the Article link if provided, if not, then click on the Journal link to find the needed article.
Search criteria:
Article: Patellar resurfacing in total knee replacement: five-year clinical and economic results of a large randomized controlled trial
Author: Brummer, Susanne
ISSN: 0363-5053
DOI: 10.2106/JBJSJ.00725
Volume: 93
Issue: 16
Page: 1473
Citation: [Citation Information]
Always check the date for accuracy. Click the link for more information.
Available online via the following links:
Coverage Range: 01/01/1995 - present
Links to contact: Journal
Resource: Sage Journals
If article is not accessible locally, check if available as:
Step 2: The Health Science Catalog for print volumes
by Journal Title
by ISSN
Step 3: The Main Library Catalog for either online or print
by Journal Title
by ISSN
Step 4: If not found above, request through Interlibrary Loan.
Link to Interlibrary Loan Request Page
Help Desk
Ask a Librarian