

Print Resources

Journals

All the journals currently subscribed to by UHB Library Services are available electronically. For a comprehensive list, please refer to the 'UHB Journals' section in this guide or search via the **ASK Discovery tool** using your Athens login for a complete list.

Books

For a comprehensive list of books available on Infectious Diseases across the four sites, please search the Library Catalogue:-

www.base-library.nhs.uk

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ASK a librarian

Awareness

24/7 ACCESS on each site for all staff

Support

SUPPORT in your STUDIES

Knowledge

Ever been puzzled by a clinical condition?

ASK your Outreach Librarian to:

- Guide you to evidence based resources
- **Carry out literature searches for patient care, audit, guidelines, CPD and research**
- Inform you of the latest evidence bulletins
- **Review and improve books, journals and electronic resources**
- Support your Journal Club
- **Attend ward rounds, meetings or clinics**
- Support your departmental Team Knowledge Officer

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Good Hope, Heartlands, QE and Solihull Libraries

Library Website:

www.uhblibrary.co.uk

ASK Discovery tool:

<http://tinyurl.com/z795c8c>

Electronic Resources

The NHS subscribes to key healthcare databases, full text journals, e-books and more for its staff. To access these you need to have an Athens username and password. You can obtain one by self-registering at:

<https://openathens.nice.org.uk/>

You can find out more about Athens Self-Registration or pick up a flyer from the Education Centre Libraries at Good Hope, Heartlands, QE and Solihull.

e-Books Collection

eBook titles are listed on the library catalogue www.base-library.nhs.uk

Choose your own eBooks by simply logging on with your Athens account at www.ebookcentral.proquest.com/

e-Journals

You can access the following electronic journals using your Athens account from [ASK Discovery Tool](#):

- [BMC Infectious Diseases](#)
- [Canadian Journal of Infectious Diseases](#)
- [Case Reports in Infectious Diseases](#)
- [Emerging Infectious Diseases](#)
- [Infectious Disease Alert](#)
- [Infectious Disease and Therapy](#)
- [Infectious Diseases](#)
- [Infectious Diseases in Children](#)
- [Infectious Diseases in Obstetrics and Gynaecology](#)
- [Interdisciplinary Perspectives on Infectious Diseases](#)
- [Journal of Global Infectious Diseases](#)
- [Lancet Infectious Disease](#)

Useful Websites

This section lists some useful websites, organisations, professional bodies, and patient information sites useful for Infectious Diseases professionals.

Anatomy TV

<http://www.anatomy.tv/>

Access to 3D models of human anatomy. The anatomical models can be rotated and layers of anatomical details stripped away and added as required. *Access via Athens*

ASK –Discovery Tool

<http://tinyurl.com/z795c8c>

This is a “Google” type tool enabling a “one search” for guidelines, eBooks, eJournals and full text articles. *Access via Athens*

BMJ Case Reports

www.casereports.bmj.com/

Clinically important common or rare conditions. Browse recent cases by specialty, or locate videos and images. *Access via Athens.*

British Infection Association

www.britishinfection.org/

Promotes the science and practice of medicine and to further research.

BMJ Best Practice

<https://bestpractice.bmj.com/>

Point of care, clinical decision making tool. *Access via Athens.*

Clinical Key

www.clinicalkey.com/

Provides access to a large collection of reference material, books, journals, images and videos. *Access is via Athens.*

Clinical Skills

www.clinicalskills.net/

Lists 275 clinical skills procedures, all in a user-friendly illustrated format and regularly updated. *Access via Athens.*

The Cochrane Library

<https://www.cochranelibrary.com/>

Reliable evidence on the effectiveness of healthcare interventions and treatments.

Dynamed

www.dynamed.com/

Provides current, evidence-based information to support decision making at the point of care. *Access via Athens.*

ESCMID (European Society for Clinical Microbiology and Infectious Diseases)

www.escmid.org/

Promotes training and research in the laboratory.

HIS (The Hospital Infection Society)

www.his.org.uk/

Aimed at professionals working on prevention and control of healthcare-associated infections.

KnowledgeShare

www.uhblibrary.co.uk

A targeted “current awareness” service for high impact documents in your area.

Medscape Infectious Diseases

www.medscape.com/

Features medical journal articles, Medline and case reports.

NHS Evidence

www.evidence.nhs.uk

Free, open access to a range of selected and authoritative health and social care evidence-based information

Public Health England

www.gov.uk/

We protect and improve the nation's health and wellbeing, and reduce health inequalities.

TRIP Pro

www.tripdatabase.com/

A clinical search engine providing quick and easy access to high quality research evidence. Filter by evidence type, images, date.

Provided by Health Education England.

WHO

www.who.int/

Provides useful factsheets on infectious diseases, tropical and non-tropical, as well as updates on disease outbreaks, including Ebola.