Collection News

Is it all here?

This summer a complete inventory was done on the Drug Information Center. Using a handheld barcode scanner made for quick work.

In order to give you the best access to materials, Lavery Library has begun to inventory the items on the Upper Level of the library.

Inventory allows us to identify missing materials, search for them and then replace them if necessary.

Citation Management

We have added Web of Science to our Database collection and with it came EndNote Web. Endnote Web is a web-based version of the popular Endnote software used for citation management.

Access Endnote Web through the Lavery Library Homepage > Cite a Source.

A Firefox add-on and a Browser Toolbar for Internet Explorer are available to capture citations directly from PubMed@Fisher. To access these tools, Log in to your account, go to Options, then select Download Installers.

There is Cite While You Write, an insert for Microsoft word that allows you to insert formatted citations directly into your paper.

PHARMACY SUBJECT GUIDE

A Lavery Library Pharmacy Subject Guide is now available for Pharmacy materials. There are tabs for Articles, Citing Sources, Mobile, Drug Information and Natural Medicine.

The Citing Sources tab includes information on AJHP citation style, including how to cite Lexi-Comp and UpToDate.

There is also Mobile tab that lists all of our mobile subscription resources, including information on Lexi-Comp and Micromedex.

Pharmacy Subject Guide or click on “Subject Guides” on the library website.
DATABASE HIGHLIGHT

UpToDate

Topics Viewed by Specialty and Features Accessed

We recognize that it’s important for you to be informed about which types of topics are viewed most often by your clinicians. This will allow you to see what UpToDate content your clinicians access most, regardless of their specialty. The charts below are based on the same 12-month time period as the usage graph above.

Integration with Lexi-Comp
Includes Lexi-Comp Drugs Online and Pediatric information. However, it does not include the separate Geriatric Drugs Online module that is available in Lexi-Comp Online.

Full Text of References
Click on a citation in the Reference list and then click on “Check for Full Text availability” to connect to Fisher Full Text and Interlibrary Loan.

The Deputy Editor for a specialty, as well as the Editor-in-Chief and/or Section Editors assigned to a topic, review all UpToDate content, including new topics, updates and recommendations. In addition, each UpToDate specialty has assembled a group of peer reviewers, often in conjunction with a sponsoring specialty society, who are responsible for reviewing selected topics in each specialty. Finally, any comments from users of UpToDate are formally addressed, with changes and/or additions incorporated as necessary.

Each topic has an author who is an expert in the area discussed, and at least two separate physician reviewers. This group works together to perform a comprehensive review of the literature and carefully select studies for presentation based on the quality of the study, the hierarchy of evidence discussed above, and clinical relevance. This group of paid and unpaid experts write the UpToDate entry.