Library Guide
INTENSIVE CARE

A guide to specialist library resources for Intensive Care at Stenhouse Library.

Books
The Library holds approximately 193 Intensive Care books including:
- Educational/text books;
- Exam books; and
- Specialty specific books, e.g. intensive care in nursing WO700

To find the book you are looking for, check the Library's catalogue (https://sten.koha-ptfs.co.uk). Intensive Care books are classified under WO480. If the Library does not stock the book you require, please let us know as we may be able to obtain it for you from another library.

The collection is regularly updated, so if you have any suggestions of titles to be added to the collection please email the library.

Intensive Care Journals
The Library provides access to over 3000 print and e-journals, DynaMed and BMJ Case Report. Some of the titles relevant to include:
- British Journal of Intensive Care
- Nursing in Critical Care

To view a full list of the journals that are available to library users visit MyJournals (https://journals.nice.org.uk/) and log in using your OpenAthens account.

If the Library does not have access to the article or journal you require please let us know as we are able to request copies of articles for you from another library.

E-Books
The Library has a variety of e-books that are available for use at any time, and can be accessed via OpenAthens at https://www.kingstonhospital.nhs.uk/healthcare-professionals/stenhouse-library/library-services/books-e-books.aspx. In addition to e-books for other specialties (e.g. cardiology, emergency care, dermatology), a number of e-books focussed on Intensive Care are available, including:
- Avoiding common ICU errors
- Manual of intensive care medicine

Useful resources
Intensive Care Society www.ics.ac.uk
British Association of Critical Care Nurses www.baccn.org

Useful resources
Royal College of Anaesthetists www.rcoa.ac.uk
Association of Anaesthetists www.aagbi.org

Literature searches
Library staff are able to assist with literature searches by either providing one on one training on searching or conducting the search on your behalf. Please email khft.library@nhs.net for assistance.