



## Library Guide

### Nursing

**A guide to specialist library resources for general nursing at Stenhouse Library.**

#### Books

The Library holds approximately 570 general nursing books including:

- Educational/text books;
- Exam books; and
- Specialty specific books, e.g. the Royal Marsden Manuals, mentorship, and leadership and management.

To find the book you are looking for, check the Library's catalogue (<https://sten.koha-ptfs.co.uk>). All general nursing books are classified under the heading **WY**. 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.

#### Nursing Journals

The Library provides access to over 3000 print and e-journals, DynaMed and BMJ Case Report. Some of the titles relevant to general nursing include:

- British Journal of Nursing
- Creative Nursing
- Journal of Nursing Education
- Nursing Standard

To view a full list of the journals, including specialty specific 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 specific specialties (e.g. cardiology, emergency care, dermatology), a number of e-books focussed on general nursing are available, including:

- Fundamentals of Nursing Made Incredibly Easy!
- Nursing Care Planning Made Incredibly Easy!
- Assessment Made Incredibly Easy!

#### Useful resources

Royal College of Nursing - <http://www.rcn.org.uk/>

Nursing and Midwifery Council - <https://www.nmc.org.uk/>

British Nursing Association - <http://www.bna.co.uk/>

#### 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](mailto:khft.library@nhs.net) for assistance.

