



Patricia Bowen Library and Knowledge Service Newsletter - Spring 2024



Welcome to the Patricia Bowen Library and Knowledge Services Newsletter. We hope that you find it both useful and informative.

The library service welcomes your comments and suggestions all of which help us to deliver a more user-focused service. If you wish to make a comment or suggestion, please visit the library during opening hours (Mon-Fri 9-4:30) or email:
chelwest.library.infoservice@nhs.net

NHS Library & Knowledge Hub

The [NHS Knowledge and Library Hub](#) gives you a single entry point to quickly connect to high quality, trusted evidence. A simple search covers thousands of journals, print books, e-books, guidance and ready to use information like clinical decision tools such as BMJ Best Practice and NICE guidelines.

The Hub is a great place to start any search, avoiding the 'noise' of a general web search, and get free, carefully selected content for the health and care workforce, students and trainees. For an enhanced experience use your NHS OpenAthens account. If you don't have OpenAthens account [register here](#)

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Clinical Decision Support Tools

Below are some of the clinical decision support tools that we have to support you in your patient care and further learning.

VisualDx



VisualDx is an award-winning diagnostic clinical decision support system designed to enhance diagnostic accuracy, aid

therapeutic decisions, and improve patient safety.

Clinicians can quickly build a custom differential diagnosis across general medicine or use the powerful search function to access clinical information and the world's best medical images

Using VisualDx is easy. Follow this link to [VisualDx](#)

Log in with your OpenAthens account

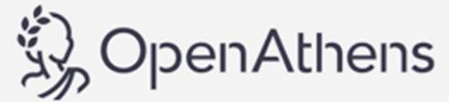
If you don't currently have an OpenAthens account you can [register here](#) using your NHS email address

DynaMed

Access to clinically-organised summaries for over 11,700 topics, including over 1,000 drug topics. Trust staff can access this tool without any password on the Trust intranet and via Cerner EPR Blue button.

You can also access DynaMed anywhere, with online and offline via DynaMed app. Contact us for more details.

NHS OpenAthens



An OpenAthens account is your key to access a wide range of online resources, such as e-journals, e-books, databases, DynaMed and BMJ Best Practice and many more...

You can check [here](#) what electronic resources that you can access with your OpenAthens account. If you don't have openAthens account you can [register here](#)

If you have any difficulty accessing any of these resources, please [Contact us](#) .





BMJ Best Practice



BMJ Best Practice is a clinical decision

support tool, uniquely structured around the patient consultation, with advice on symptom evaluation, tests to order and treatment approach. Password free access is available on the intranet. Login with OpenAthens to access it remotely.

Health Literacy Awareness

Did you know... 43% of adults in the UK, aged 19 to 65, routinely do not understand health information – a figure that rises to 61% if an element of numeracy is involved?

Do you want to help our patients to better understand, access and use health information so they can make informed decisions about their health? Health Literacy Awareness training offers healthcare professionals an opportunity to better understand what health literacy is. You can contact us to book 1-1 training or group training to your team/department.

Book Amnesty



Have you forgot to return books borrowed from the library? or lost and found library books?, don't worry! Please bring them back to the library, we don't charge any fines.

Digital Audio Books



A collection of wellbeing digital audio books and electronic fiction books are available to borrow.

The books can be borrowed and downloaded from iTunes and Google Play. You will need OpenAthens account or your personal EBSCO host account to access the collection. Once you have checked out an Audiobook, you can listen it on the Audiobooks app on your device, convenient on-the-go.

You can find more information [here](#). Contact the library for more details.

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