



**Library services
available to
Trust staff**

Libraries providing resources and services to SWASFT staff & students

Go to <http://www.hlisd.org/> to find a South West NHS library near you.

Put in your home or work location and you will get a list of healthcare libraries providing resources and services to SWASFT staff & students.

You can choose any of these libraries as your home library - access their website for details of how to register.

The library services:

- Provide access to library collections;
- Facilitate access to electronic resources; this includes national and regionally purchased resources as well as those purchased for SWASFT;
- Provide training in information literacy skills to help access and evaluate resources;
- Provide assistance with literature searching and identifying evidence.

Library Catalogue

<http://www.swims.nhs.uk> - This catalogue covers a large number of NHS libraries across the South and West. You can limit your search to "Just in these libraries" to search SWASFT or your nominated home library's stock only. You can also limit your search by "Type of material" e.g. e-books. You can apply to your home library for interlibrary loans to borrow items from any of the libraries on the catalogue.

Apps for BNF and BNFC

<http://www.nice.org.uk/aboutnice/nicewebsitedevelopment/NICEApps.jsp>

Databases, Journals and e-journals, and e-books available via NICE Evidence

This includes eight healthcare databases, e-journals, e-books, Cochrane

Library and more - <http://www.evidence.nhs.uk/>.

Athens login

You will need an NHS Athens account to access many of these resources.

Apply at <https://register.athensams.net/nhs/nhseng/>

Databases

<https://www.evidence.nhs.uk/nhs-evidence-content/journals-and-databases>

Journals

You have access to five SWASFT journal subscriptions, four online and one print – go to <http://discoverylibrary.org/swasft/> to see the list. You also have access to over 1000 full-text journals through NICE Evidence MyJournals at <http://www.library.nhs.uk/booksandjournals/journals/default.aspx>

E-books

<https://www.evidence.nhs.uk/nhs-evidence-content/journals-and-databases>

Online access to eBooks from MyiLibrary.

Other useful links include:

SWICE (South West Information for Clinical Effectiveness)

<http://www.swice.nhs.uk/> - Provided by the NHS Health Education South West for all NHS staff in the South and West this service is a one-stop access point to all the electronic resources available in the workplace, library or home. For access through the Internet you need an Athens login.

Contact details:

Lead libraries for SWASFT

Discovery Library, Level 5 Terence Lewis Building, Derriford Hospital,
Plymouth PL6 8DH

(01752) (4) 39111

library.mailbox@nhs.net

Staffed 0900-1700 Monday to Friday.

North Bristol NHS Trust Library & Information Service,
1st Floor, Learning and Research, Southmead Hospital,
Westbury-on-Trym, Bristol BS10 5NB

0117 323 5333

southmead.library@nbt.nhs.uk

Staffed 0800-1700 Monday to Friday.

Website:

<http://discoverylibrary.org/swasft/>

This leaflet can also be provided in other formats or languages on request. Ring 01392 261649 or email publicrelations@swast.nhs.uk