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New Additions to the CDR Library

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- Different Croaks for Different folks (2005)
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- Autism and its
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- Beyond High
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From the CDR Library Stacks

February 2009

The Library's Latest: A Note from the Coordinator

—Over the past month the library had the following circulation statistics:

• Checkouts: 29

• Renewals: 39

Information Requests: 76

 Web articles/ printouts sent out: 109

Pamphlets sent out: 169

New Patrons: 5

MediatedSearches: 3

Out of State Re-

quests: 8

- Web Page Visits: 430
- Library Blog Visits: 205

—I want to welcome our new graduate assistant, Kristin Florian, to the CDR Library staff. You can read about her on page 3 of the newsletter.

—Also, make sure to checkout the last page of the newsletter to see a description of a new book published by Neil-



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Shuman Publishers. I can personally vouch for this title as I helped write it with two other librarians here at the School of Medicine Library! So have a look!

See What's New at the CDR Blog!

Breaking news stories:

- 2009 College Scholarships for Students with Parents with Disabilities Announcement
- Check Out the ADA Amendments Act of 2008!
- Amputees Can Experience Prosthetic Hand as Their Own

- SC Assistive Technology Expo 2009
- MRI Scans Can Predict Effects of Multiple Sclerosis Flare-ups On Optic Nerve
- Portlight Strategies
 Assistive Technology/Durable Medical
 Equipment Re-Use
 Project

"A good book is the purest essence of a human soul." -Thomas Carlyle-

Tiny Nanoparticle
Capsules Deliver
Medicines

Check out these and much more at http://cdrlibraryblog.blogspot.com!

New **Books** and **Videos**

"There is an art of reading, as well as an art of thinking, and an art of writing."

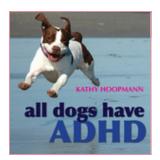
-Isaac Disraeli-



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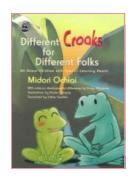
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Spotlight on These New Additions...



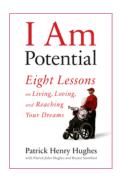
All Dogs Have ADHD (2008)

- "Absorbing and insightful, this book takes a refreshing approach to understanding ADHD. It combines humor with understanding to reflect the joys and challenges of raising a child who is different."

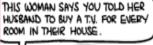


Different Croaks for Different Folks(2005)

-"This engaging color illustrated book explores the difficulties faced by 'frogs with a different croak'. Aimed at children with autism and related spectrum conditions, Teacher Toad's lessons pick up on social and physical difficulties and the kind of behaviors that can get young frogs into trouble."



I Am Potential: Eight Lessons on Living, Loving, and Reaching Your Dreams (2008) -"Patrick Henry Hughes was born with a rare genetic disorder that left him without eyes and physically disabled. But he was also blessed with exceptional musical talent. In I Am Potential, he recounts the eight critical lessons he has learned that are at the heart of his success. Uplifting and revealing, I Am Potential is remarkably inspirational for anyone facing challenges in their own life."









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New Books and Videos

"These are not books, lumps of lifeless paper, but minds alive on the shelves."

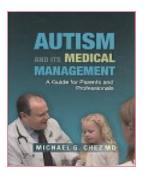
-Gilbert Highet-



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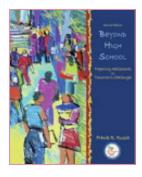
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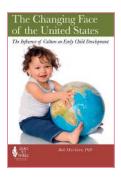
Autism and its Medical Management (2007)

— "Autism and its **Medical Management** explains the medical aspects of autism and how both parents and professionals can use current medical knowledge to better understand how to address the medical aspects of autism. The book begins with an overview of Autism **Spectrum Disorders** (ASDs) and how they are diagnosed, and goes on to identify the different types of autism and to describe relevant medical interventions."



Beyond High School: Preparing Adolescents for Tomorrow's Challenges (2008)

-" This book addresses a wide array of goals and the complexity of providing secondary special education today. Among these goals are: All students have a basic right to be educated and to work in the environment that least restricts their right to learn and interact with other students. This is just one of many goals that are held important in this informative work."



The Changing Face of the United States: The Influence of Culture on Early Child Development (2008)

-"This reworked definition of "culture" provides a way of expanding the discussion and extending it to young children and families. The report challenges early childhood practitioners in reexamining how useful traditional research studies have been in helping better understand "culture"."

Meet the New Staff!



Kristin Florian is the new CDR Library graduate assistant. She is a second semester Library Science graduate student at USC. Her interests are in Academic, Special, and Digital Libraries. She received an undergraduate degree in Studio Art also from USC in 2002. she grew up in a military family but has been living in South Carolina for ten years and considers it home.

Check Out The New Medical Library Association Answer Book!!. by Laura Kane, Roz Anderson, and Steven Wilson

News and Events

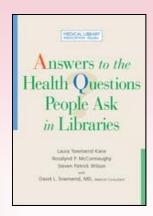
"What is reading, but a silent conversation."

- Walter Savage Landor-



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New York, NY (September 17, 2008)- Librarians often find themselves filling a unique role: that of health information intermediary for the general public. People often visit or call a library soon after they see their doctor - whether it be for a lay translation of the physician's diagnosis, a description of a medical test, or for answers to any post-appointment questions. Answers to the Health Questions People Ask in Libraries, to be published by Neal-Schuman Publishers in October 2008, is an easy-to-follow Medical Library Association Guide that will equip librarians with the necessary information to answer health-related questions with confidence.

Answers to the Health Questions People Ask in Libraries provides a clear, easy-to-understand explanation to some of today's most frequently asked about medical conditions, including tips, charts, recommended treatment options, and other necessary information to address an array of specific concerns. Each section includes important background information that assists readers in determining the proper steps to take regarding health care inquiries. Readers can also use the handy "ask the experts" information section to find additional, authoritative information and answers to specific questions they may have.

Chapters cover a range of major health concerns like high blood pressure, heart disease and cancer. Other chapters answer commonly asked questions about family health, nutrition and fitness, and traditional and alternative medicines. The breadth of information presented in this book and the fact that the coverage was shaped by input from librarians in diverse settings makes it appealing to many audiences, including librarians, health agencies, and the general public.

When it comes to consumer-friendly, reliable health information and answers, this new reference work is...that's right...just what the doctor and the librarian ordered.

—About the Library—

The library is a collaborative effort between BabyNet/South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control, the Center for Disability Resources, the South Carolina Department of Disabilities and Special Needs, and the University of South Carolina School of Medicine Library. The CDR Library consists of books, videos, brochures, and audiotapes covering a variety of disability-related topics. The Center for Disability Resources Library is located within the University of South Carolina School of Medicine Library on Garners Ferry Road.