University of South Carolina

SCHOOL OF MEDICINE LIBRARY

New Faculty Library Orientation Tutorial Handout

Library Policies & Services

- Libguides are customized portals to our resources by subject, specialty, or department. Select a guide to get started, and use the tabs at the top to navigate through the pages.

Remote Access

- You can access any of our resources from off-campus using our proxy server.
- To login with your main campus credentials, simply click "Login with Network Username and Password." Use your main campus login, the same one you use for Blackboard.
- To use your SOM credentials, click "Other Authorized Users." This will reveal a 2nd box in which you can enter your SOM network credentials, the same ones you use to check your "@uscmed.sc.edu" email account.

E-Journals

- Use the E-Journals link on the Library's home page to search for full text e-journals.
- If a database does not provide a link to a full text article you are interested in, search the E-Journals database to see if we have access to the journal.

R2 Library

- Provides access to full text medical and allied health textbooks.
- Available under Library's E-Textbooks page or the Databases page.

Access Medicine

- Provides access to full text medical textbooks, a differential diagnosis tool, drug information, practice guidelines, medical news, patient handouts, and audio and video content.
- Includes case files and practice quizzes for students.
- Available under Library's E-Textbooks page or the Databases page.

ClinicalKey

- Provides access to over 1,000 medical textbooks, millions of images, over 13,000 medical and surgical videos, over 500 journals, drug information, practice guidelines, First Consult point of care summaries, patient handouts, and more.
- Available under Library's E-Textbooks page or the Databases page.

Mobile Device Resources

- Visit our Mobile Device Resources page (http://uscm.med.sc.edu/pda.asp) to view our list of resources and see step by step instructions for accessing these tools on your mobile devices.

Accessing Full Text in PubMed and Ovid MEDLINE

PubMed

This icon

means the library has electronic access to a particular article.

This icon

lets you know that the library has an article in print.

This icon

appears next to every search result regardless of whether full text is available.

If you do not see a garnet USC-SOM Online icon

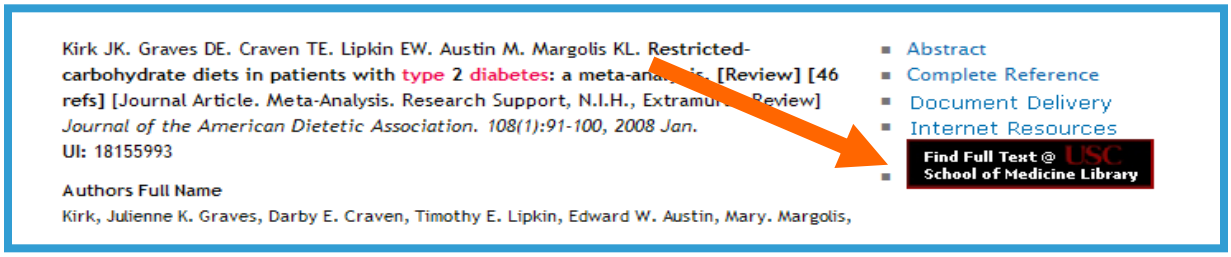
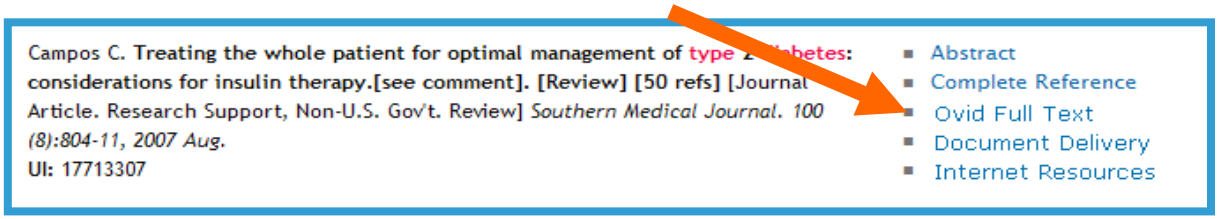
for an article you are interested in, select the Find Full Text @ USC School of Medicine Library icon

to search for full text access. This icon will automatically search our e-journals database for you. If no full text is available to you, there will be a link to request the item through Interlibrary Loan.

Ovid

Use the

icon to search the Library's E-journals Database for full text access to the journal. If no full text is available to you, there will be a link to request the item through Interlibrary Loan.



The Library purchases some journals directly through Ovid. You can access the full text of those journals by clicking Ovid Full Text.