During this tutorial module, you will learn how to access e-journal articles via Ovid MEDLINE. This tutorial is approximately 3 minutes long.

On the library’s homepage, there is a link to Ovid in the “Popular Resources” section on the lower left.

**Click the Ovid MEDLINE link** below.

The Ovid menu appears. The first Ovid MEDLINE link contains the most recent articles. **Click on the link below for Ovid MEDLINE(R) ALL.**

The Ovid MEDLINE search screen appears. Watch the tutorial as I search for articles on Type 2 Diabetes and diet therapy. (I’m adding the limits Abstracts, English, and Review Articles to narrow our search results.) Clicking the Search button...

The Ovid: Mapping Display page appears. I’m going to broaden the search by selecting Explode for Diabetes Mellitus, Type 2. Clicking the Continue button...

The Ovid: Subheading Display page appears. I’m narrowing the search by adding the subheading Diet Therapy. Clicking the Continue button...

The Ovid search form page appears. Selecting the Abstracts check box...

Selecting the English Language check box...

Selecting the Review Articles check box...

Clicking the Search button...

You can see that the limits brought our search results down to 409 articles.

Let’s take a look at our results. **Click the Display Results link** below.

Notice the Find It Check for Full Text link that appears to the right of the first two citations. The Find It Check for Full Text link is a link resolver that helps you access the e-journals purchased by the library. This icon appears next to a citation regardless of whether full text is available from the SOM Library or not.

Let’s look to see if the first article is available online. **Click Find It Check for Full Text.**

The full text of the article appears. Let’s look at another example of accessing full text articles.

Ovid opens the full text links in new browser windows. After closing the windows, click the back arrow in your web browser to return to your Ovid search results.

You will also see Full Text links to the right of a citation that you can use to access full text.

**Select the Find It Check for Full Text link** for the article by Rubio-Almanza M.

The Find It @ UofSC Libraries screen appears. There is no “View Online” area with links for this citation so we do not have full text access for this article.

If you would like to request a copy of the article via Interlibrary Loan, you would select Sign In. **Select Sign in.**

Next, **select UofSC Students, Faculty and Staff.**

On this screen you would enter your UofSC network username and password (the same login you use to access Blackboard). Unfortunately, you can’t use your School of Medicine network username and password to login. Select Login.

Now that we are signed in, the option to Request via interlibrary loan appears.

If you do not have a UofSC network username and password, you can login to Interlibrary Loan by clicking on the black Interlibrary Loan box on the Library’s home page to request articles.

During this tutorial, we have looked at some examples of accessing full text in Ovid MEDLINE. **Click Logoff to exit Ovid.**

We hope this tutorial was helpful to you.

[Tutorial evaluation link](https://uscmed.sc.libguides.com/tutorialevaluation)

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