Accessing Articles from your Literature Searching

Some of the databases that you are searching on may have direct access links to the articles under the article citations, but just because they don’t mean that we may not have access through our library catalogue.

*(If you are searching on Pubmed you will have to click on the article title hyperlink to go to the next page to see you can access the article directly from there)*

Each of the databases will provide the citation information for the article. This will include information on the article title, author and the journal where the article has been published.

The citation example below is from the database CINAHL. The citation display may differ slightly from database to database but they should all contain the same information.

When there is no direct article access from your searching database the easiest way to see if we have access to the article is to search for the journal title through our Electronic Journals & Books List. This will tell you if we do have access to that journal and you will be able to access your article from there.

(see example on following page)
If you cannot access your article that you require through our library catalogue please fill out a Document Supply Request and we will get it in from another library that does have access to that journal.

Type the journal title into the Title Search Field, and click on Search.

Access information for the journal will then be displayed. (click on the journal title hyperlink to access the journal webpage)

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Take note of the coverage years as sometimes we have limited coverage to titles.

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[Diagram of search interface with journal title input field and search results for Journal of Psychosomatic Research]