

Carpenter Library News

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Virtual Reference Desk

The Carpenter Library was chosen to participate in a state-wide project run by the State Library of North Carolina to provide virtual reference service to all NC citizens. We are one of 18 libraries across the state that will staff the Virtual Reference Desk answering questions.

Every library in the state will display a "NCKnows" button on their web page. This will connect a local

library user to one of the participating 18 libraries. The Virtual Reference Desk service will be available 24 hours a day, seven days a week and utilizes the NCLive collection of databases. We are the only medical library involved in the project.

The Carpenter Library expects to be responsible for two hours of weekday coverage and at least one weekend every 26 weeks. The pilot project is funded for this year but the State Library expects to apply for a continuation of the grant for 2005.



Donated Books Need New Home

The Archives recently received books from the late Dr. William McKinney. Many of them are stamped "Medical Sonics Lab" or "Property of Sonics Lab." The Archives staff would like these to be returned to their

original home or used in another departmental library. Call Dianne at (336) 716-3690 or Vicki at (336) 716-2796 to arrange an appointment to come see the books. If they are not claimed by May 31, 2004, the staff will find another use for them.

Coy C. Carpenter Library Policy on Children in the Library

Recently Coy C. Carpenter Library has re-evaluated its policy on Children in the Library. (This policy was approved by the Library and Learning Resources Committee and will go into effect immediately.)

Children under the age of 16 will not be allowed in the Library without the direct supervision of an adult caregiver. The reasons for this policy are several:

- The Carpenter Library is open to the public. This situation may put your child at risk.
- Since the Carpenter Library is a medical research library, Internet access is unfiltered. This unedited access to the Internet may not be in your child's best interest.
- The Library's computers are to be used for research and other Medical Center related activities.

- In support of its medical research mission, the Carpenter Library's resources are selected for the adult researcher and the advanced student.

- The Library seeks to maintain an environment that is conducive to study and research.

If a child is in the Library without an adult present, Library staff will attempt to contact the child's parent. If that is not possible, the staff will contact Medical Center Security.



Free Classes:

PDA Products

Carpenter Library offers several PDA product downloads that are free with our institutional licenses.

MDConsult for PDA (MDC Mobile)

<http://home.mdconsult.com/groups/wfumc5612.html>

This product allows users to get the table of contents from selected journals on their PDA, enter search topics to be searched at sync, get the latest medical news and other interactive functions. For registered users, simply click on the tab MDC Mobile tab once you have logged in, and you will receive instructions for downloading the PDA component. If you are not registered, click on the link above to register then follow links to MDC Mobile to download the PDA component of this program.

Mobile Micromedex

<http://www.micromedex.com/products/mobilemicromedex/>

Mobile Micromedex is the portable, PDA version of the popular drug reference. It contains comprehensive information about drugs, drug reactions and toxicity. This product is downloadable at no charge to WFUBMC faculty and staff. Users will need our institutional customer number for access. Please call Rochelle Kramer at (336) 716-3807 for additional instructions.

InfoPOEMS

<http://www.infopoems.com/>

InfoPOEMS for PDA pairs the power of the InfoPOEMS product with the convenience of the PDA. To download this product, users should select downloads and then select the format they need. Users will need not only a large portion of internal memory, but will have to obtain an external memory card in order to complete the download. Users should click on the "register" link in order to download the product. Once users have entered the required information, users will be taken to a screen that asks for serial ID. To locate the Serial ID, start InfoRetriever, tap the upper left corner of the screen, and choose **File -> Register InfoRetriever** from the application menu. The box labeled **Serial ID:** should be filled in. Type this number in the box and click "Get license code". Once you receive the license code by email, go back to the InfoRetriever program and enter this code when asked.

For questions or comments about PDA download and setup, please contact David Stewart at (336) 716-4181.

- Adobe Acrobat
- EndNote
- Electronic Journals
- Faculty Orientation to the Library
- Micromedex
- Multimedia Design Studio
- PsycINFO
- PubMed/ Medline
- Reference Manager
- Resources for Nurses
- Science Citation Index
- Library Resources
- Web Searching

Get details about classes, web tutorials, individual instruction and signing up at www.wfumc.edu/library/classes.html

Bibliographic Verification Service

The bibliographic verification service validates citations in bibliographies for accuracy and correct format, thereby facilitating the preparation of manuscripts for publication.

This service is available to all Medical Center faculty, staff, and students.

To assist with manuscript preparation and expedite the publishing process, Bibliographic Verification ensures

that each citation in your bibliography is verified for completeness and accuracy by referring directly to the original source whenever possible. Additionally, your bibliography is cited in the correct format prescribed by the specific publication.

Let us help save your valuable time. Ask at the Reference Desk or call (336) 713-7100.

We Make House Calls

Let our librarians come to your department. We offer many choices for your faculty, staff, and house officers. We give custom presentations at your faculty or staff meetings and can provide a presentation on the current resources of the Carpenter Library.

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We can demonstrate our electronic journals and textbooks, guide you to better searches of the worldwide web, present a class for you on the fundamentals or advanced features of Medline, or concentrate on

specific databases, such as PsycINFO, Reference Manager, and Science Citation Index.

If you have a computer classroom, we can teach you hands-on at your site. Or we can arrange for one-on-one or small group tutorials in your department.

Just call the Reference Desk at (336) 713-7100 and ask us to help you.

Electronic Publishing Assistance

With the rapid increase of electronic publications, authors are being offered more opportunities to publish and submit articles electronically.

Carpenter Library is pleased to announce our electronic publishing assistance service. This service pairs an author with a librarian. The librarian will check with the journal of submission to be sure the manuscript is in the correct format and will assist with configuring the article and any graphics into the correct file formats needed for transmission.

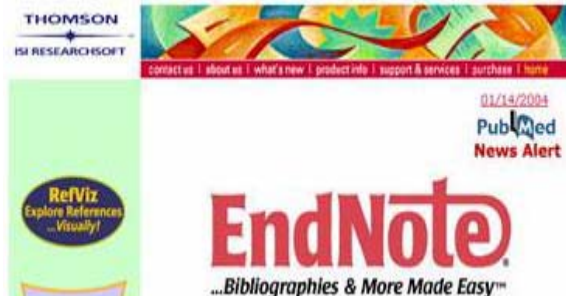
Authors may also choose to utilize the library's bibliographic verification service. With this service, references for an article are verified for correctness and to see if they conform to the style of the publishing journal. This service is being offered free of charge on a trial basis.

If you have any questions about this service or would like assistance with a manuscript, please contact Pam Cabe at (336) 716-4203.

EndNote and RefMan Filters and Output Styles

Users of EndNote 6 or 7 and Reference Manager 10 or 11 should consult the websites for program updates and hints, as well as lists of all the available filters and output styles for these programs. The home page for Reference Manager is www.refman.com and the home page for EndNote is www.endnote.com.

EndNote users need to download a new version of the PubMed filter in order to import citations from PubMed that were saved previously on your computer in the Medline format. Go to the News Alert from the EndNote home page. The January 14, 2004 posting has information plus the Windows or Macintosh download links.



From both home pages, click on the Support and Services button to obtain a full listing of filters and output styles.



If you would like additional help, please contact Rochelle Kramer, Reference Librarian, at rkramer@wfubmc.edu or (336) 716-3807.

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Wireless Network Now In the Library

A wireless network has been installed in the Library. If you have a laptop and want to connect to this network, you will need to do the following:

1. Get a wireless network card

The Medical Center's wireless network follows the 802.11A protocol. If your laptop does not have built-in support for the 802.11A protocol, you will need to purchase an 802.11A/B/G wireless combo card (the combo card will allow you to connect to other wireless networks around town, e.g. the Reynolda campus and the downtown wireless network both use 802.11B). Client cards are available from CompuMed for \$149.95 (installation included).

2. Have the security client software loaded onto your laptop

This client ensures that only Medical Center resources are allowed on the Wireless Local Area Network and that encryption is at the required level for maximum protection. WFUHS has purchased a site license for a security product (Odyssey Client from Funk Software) so there is no charge to WFUHS employees for the license. If you purchase a card from CompuMed and you are a WFUHS employee, CompuMed will install and configure the software for you as part of the purchase. NCBH employees will be assessed an additional charge of \$50.00 to cover the licensing fee. If you plan to use a laptop with built-in 802.11A support, you will need to contact the Information Services Help Desk (716-HELP) to schedule the installation of this software on your laptop at a cost of \$49.50 per hour. No more than one hour should be required to complete the installation. If you have other questions, please call John Lackey (CompuMed) at 716-9404 or Brian Uzwiak (Information Services) at 716-9645.

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Library Hours:

Monday - Thursday 7:00 am to Midnight, Friday 7:00 am to 7:00 pm, Saturday 10:00 am to 7:00 pm, Sunday 10:00 am to Midnight

Holidays: May 31st - **Memorial Day** - Library Closed