



St John's College Library

SUBJECT GUIDE:

MEDICINE

Resources for Medicine

1. Books

Books of use to medical students are located in two sections:

Q (Mezzanine)	Biologically based material
R (Chapel wing, Second floor)	Medical material

Mezzanine

General biology

QH 426-470	Genetics
QH 573-671	Cytology

Human anatomy

QM 1-511	General
QM 531-549	Regional anatomy
QM 550-577.8	Histology
QM 601-695	Human embryology

Physiology

QP 1-345	General
QP 351-495	Neurophysiology and neuropsychology
QP 501-801	Animal biochemistry
QP 901-981	Experimental pharmacology

Microbiology

QR 1-74	General
QR 75-99.5	Bacteria
QR 180-189.5	Immunology
QR 355-502	Virology

Second floor

Medicine

R	General
RA	Public aspects of medicine

RB	Pathology
RC	Internal medicine
RD	Surgery
RE	Ophthalmology
RF	Otorhinolaryngology
RG	Gynecology and obstetrics
RJ	Pediatrics
RK	Dentistry
RL	Dermatology
RM	Therapeutics, Pharmacology
RS	Pharmacy and material medica
RT	Nursing
RV	Botanic, Thomsonian and electric medicine
RX	Homeopathy
RZ	Other systems of medicine

2. Journals

All of the Library's journal holdings, listed by subject, are available via the website:

www.joh.cam.ac.uk/journals

The Library takes many journals of interest to medical students

	<i>Classmark</i>	<i>Holdings</i>
Annual Review of Biochemistry	QD 415.A5 ANN	Vol.37- (1958-)
Annual Review of Biophysics and Bio-Molecular Structure	RC 505.A5 ANN	Vol.1- (1972-)
Annual Review of Neuroscience	RC 346.A5	Vol.1- (1978-)

<i>British Medical Bulletin</i>	R 31.B7 BRI	Vol.20-104 (1966-2012)
<i>Essays in Biochemistry</i>	QD 415.E8	Vol.1- (1965-)
<i>Nature</i>	Q 1.N3 NAT	Vol.217- (1968-)
<i>New Scientist</i>	Ground Floor	Last 3 years only
<i>Science</i>	Q 1.S3 SCI	Vol.207- (1980-)
<i>Scientific American</i>	Q 1.A4	Vol.220- (1985-)
<i>Trends in Biochemical Sciences</i>	QD 415.T7	Vol.10-36 (1985-2011)

All bound veterinary journals are shelved on the Second floor. Recent unbound parts may be found in the Current Periodicals Area on the Ground floor. Older issues are located in the Chapel Wing Basement.

Ejournals can be searched via eresources@cambridge (see overleaf for more information).

3. Electronic Resources

The Library Gateway provides a complete guide to electronic resources available across the University:

www.lib.cam.ac.uk/eresources/index.php

Select 'Medicine' from the drop-down menu. Key resources include:

EMBASE

MEDLINE

NHS Evidence

Science Citation Index (ISI: Web of Science)

Note: A Raven password is required for online access off-campus.

Recommendations

The College Library aims to provide all works necessary for Part One courses, and a selection of the most important works required for Part Two. We receive reading lists from the departmental libraries in advance of each academic year, and continually update the Library collections in response to requests from Directors of Studies, supervisors, and students. If texts you require for your course are not available in the College Library, please talk to a member of Library staff. Recommendation cards for new purchases can be found at the Issue Desk, and all reasonable requests will be considered.

Help

If you have any difficulty in tracing the material you need, whether in printed or electronic format, please ask a member of Library staff for assistance.