



# **My Journals**

#### How to find electronic journals

#### What is it?

My Journals lists all the journals available to you online. Links to e-journals are provided, as well as dates for which full text is available.

Use My Journals when you have a list of references to find. If you are looking for articles on a subject, it is better to use healthcare databases, such as Medline, Cinahl etc.

# Do I need a password?

Yes, you need an **NHS Athens** username and password. If you do not have one, register at <a href="https://openathens.nice.org.uk/">https://openathens.nice.org.uk/</a>.

## How can I access My Journals?

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- Click on *OpenAthens login* in the top right corner and enter your NHS Athens
  username and password. Always log in with your NHS Athens username and
  password, otherwise you will be able to access only a very limited number of
  journals.

# How do I search for a journal?

- Either enter the journal title in the box and select **Exact title** or type the first couple of words in the title and select **Start of title**. Then click **Search**.
- Alternatively, enter a keyword or keywords in the box, select **All words in title** then **Search**. This will find all journals with your word/words in the title.
- Remember that for some words, for example paediatrics/pediatrics, you will need to search under the British and American spellings to find all the relevant journals.
- If the journal is available online, there will be one or more links (e.g. **ProQuest** or **Elsevier ScienceDirect Journals**) with the available dates below. Click on the link and navigate to the issue or article in which you are interested.
- Most of our e-journals are via Athens, but there are a few which require different usernames and passwords. This information will be displayed.

#### **Contact us**

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