

Welcome to the Academy Library

Open to NHS staff, community staff and students on placement



What does the Library offer?

Situated on the ground floor of the Education Centre, the Library has:

- Books and journals
- **eLearning** support
- Printing and scanning
- WiFi
- Watercooler

- 24/7 access
- Quiet study spaces
- NHS and student computers
- Relaxation areas
- Leisure book collection

The Library is staffed at least Monday to Friday 08:30 – 16:00 Please contact the Library to obtain access outside of these hours.

How do I join the Library?

You can join the Library online by scanning the QR code or via our website at ruh.nhs.uk/library





Borrow up to 12 books for 28 days



Renew and self-issue books in the Library



Request books and articles

How do I find books and journals?

You can find our books, along with those held in other libraries in the South West, at swims.nhs.uk. Contact the Library with your book requests as we are able to reserve and source from our wider healthcare network.

You can easily view our current journals via browzine.com. Select Royal United Hospital Bath as your chosen library. You will need an OpenAthens account to access full text articles.

What is OpenAthens?

The Trust subscribes to a number of online journals and databases. You will need an NHS OpenAthens account to access them. Use an NHS computer to sign up at openathens.nice.org.uk.

It also gives you password free access (from Trust computers) to:

- The Royal Marsden Manual of Clinical Nursing Procedures
- BMJ Best Practice

See our OpenAthens Guide for support and further information about the resources available.



What other services are available?

- Information searches undertaken on your behalf, assisted or one-to-one tutorials.
- Training on accessing electronic resources and using OpenAthens.
- Monthly current awareness and KnowedgeShare updates.
- Audioplayers for patients.

Get in touch

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