

Reserve Material For Students

The Course Reserve service is used by the teaching faculty to limit the loan periods and **ensure equitable access** for heavy-demand resources. To place an item on reserve, and for procedures, please refer to <http://library.queensu.ca/health/circ#reserve> which can be found under *Faculty* under *Services* on the Bracken home page, or e-mail bracken.circdesk@queensu.ca.

Booking Rooms & Equipment

Bracken Library has 7 group meeting rooms, an electronic classroom with 24 seats, and full videoconferencing facilities which can be booked by Queen's health sciences faculty and staff. If you need laptops, a digital projector, or other equipment for your booking, fill out the online form on the *Group Study Rooms* page on the Bracken home page.

Document Delivery

Through Bracken Health Sciences Library's Document Services you may obtain **any** book, book chapter, journal article, or thesis. A nominal fee of \$3.00 per article will apply and can be paid by cash (library pick up) or by Queen's account code (delivered by campus mail). Rush or distance delivery is also available for an additional charge. Online forms and complete policies can be found at <http://library.queensu.ca/health/document-services>.

Contact Information

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General Inquiries613-533-2510
Reference Services613-533-3176
Toll Free (877) 209-5641
Document Services613-533-3039
Email.....bracken.library@queensu.ca

For library hours, please visit the website at <http://library.queensu.ca/health>.

Off-Campus Access

Faculty, students and staff are able to connect to the library's information resources and services from off-campus via the web proxy service.

- ❖ Go to <https://proxy.queensu.ca> and enter your Queen's University NetID and password (issued by Queen's ITS).
- ❖ Or consider the enhanced VPN service, go to: <http://library.queensu.ca/health/offcampus>



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Kingston, Ontario
Canada K7L 5C4
library.queensu.ca

Bracken Health Sciences Library

Botterell Hall
Stuart and George Streets
library.queensu.ca/health



Library Services for Health Sciences Faculty

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Health Sciences Library

Bracken Health Sciences Library provides library services to faculty, staff, health professionals and students who study, work and research in the life and health sciences disciplines. Services include:

- ❖ Faculty development
- ❖ Research support & literature searching
- ❖ Teaching support
- ❖ Course-integrated information literacy
- ❖ Electronic resources with off-campus access
- ❖ Course reserve material for students
- ❖ Group rooms & equipment (including a videconference room)
- ❖ Document delivery

Faculty Development

Bracken **Consultations** bring personalized library and information services directly to you in your office, lab or clinic. Request a session to suit your schedule and a professional librarian will provide the training and assistance you need in the area(s) of your choice. For more information about the Consultation program, call (613) 533-3176 or complete the online form by clicking on *Schedule a Consultation* on the Bracken home page.

In conjunction with the Queen's University Faculty Development office, Bracken Librarians offer a **variety of courses** (such as searching in OvidSP Medline). For complete course offerings click on *Faculty* under *Services for You* on the Bracken home page.

CME credits can be earned by participating in either faculty development sessions or consultations.

Research Support

Librarians at Bracken Library are skilled information professionals who will answer your **reference questions** and assist with any **literature search**. We can also search the literature for you at **no charge**. References can be formatted for easy import into RefWorks.

Call 533-3176 or e-mail bracken.library@queensu.ca to discuss your information needs.

Teaching Support

Bracken librarians can assist you in finding and preparing teaching materials for classroom or online learning. This includes pre-readings for classes or multimedia for use in presentations.

We will conduct customized searches for videos, audio, illustrations, animations, or any other media to support your teaching. We can also explain any relevant copyright protections applied to those media.

For class use, note that Bracken Library has a fully-equipped electronic classroom, as well as clickers, which may be borrowed.

For help guides to teaching with technologies like PowerPoint, visit the **e-teaching collaborative** at <http://meds.queensu.ca/eteaching/>.

Course Integrated Information

We can help you integrate information literacy, library research, and resource evaluation skills into your classes. Librarians will work with instructors to design an assignment that is relevant to the course and at the appropriate level of information literacy expertise. Call 533-3176 or e-mail bracken.library@queensu.ca to discuss.

Electronic Resources

In addition to our extensive collection of books and journals in print, we purchase a wide variety of electronic information resources that are **available in the library or from your desktop**. We also welcome suggestions for additional purchases.

Databases, Journals & Books

- ❖ Medline, PsycINFO, EMBASE, Global Health and more via the functional OvidSP interface; CINAHL on the EBSCO interface
- ❖ Unique resources like Medical Letter Online, Natural Standard, and eTherapeutics.
- ❖ 6000+ full text life and health sciences electronic journals.
- ❖ 3000+ full text electronic books.

Evidence-Based Practice Resources

- ❖ BMJ Point of Care
- ❖ Clinical Evidence
- ❖ Cochrane Library
- ❖ EBM Reviews
- ❖ Joanna Briggs Institute
- ❖ Mosby's Nursing Consult
- ❖ PIER by ACP

Multimedia Resources

- ❖ anatomy.tv
- ❖ Bates' Videos
- ❖ DVD video collection
- ❖ SpringerImages / images.MD

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...can help set up current awareness services.

...welcome suggestions about collections and services.