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## **Radiologic Technology Resources**

### **Online Resources: Books**

To search for books and other materials in the Edward G. Schumacher Library, go to [www.nc.edu/library](http://www.nc.edu/library) and click on “Oasis Online Catalog”. You may search by title, author, and subject. The “call number” in the item record indicates its location on the Library shelves.

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To search for books from other libraries, you may use the FirstSearch online catalog. Go to <http://newfirstsearch.oclc.org> and search by title, author, and subject. Please contact library staff for the ID and password to use ([library@nc.edu](mailto:library@nc.edu)). Please see Library staff to arrange for interlibrary loans. You will be notified by telephone when your books arrive.

### **Online Resources: Full-Text Articles**

**\*\*Link directly to the [EBSCOhost](#) and [ProQuest](#) databases from the online catalog.**

**[EBSCOhost](#) may also be accessed remotely at the following web address:  
<http://search.ebscohost.com>. Please contact library staff for the ID and password to use ([library@nc.edu](mailto:library@nc.edu)).**

**Choose “EBSCOhost Web” and the following databases: “CINAHL” and “Health Source: Nursing/Academic Edition”.**

**Type in your subjects or keywords and click the “full-text” box to search for articles.**

The **ProQuest** online database contains full-text articles from many nursing journals. ProQuest may be accessed in the library or remotely at <http://search.proquest.com>. Please contact library staff for the ID and password to use ([library@nc.edu](mailto:library@nc.edu)).

**Examples of subjects to use when searching for books or articles**

<b>Radiology</b>	<b>Human anatomy and physiology</b>
<b>Virtual colonoscopy</b>	<b>Magnetic resonance imaging</b>
<b>Radiography</b>	<b>Pathology</b>
<b>Diagnostic imaging</b>	<b>Medical image processing</b>
<b>Diagnostic neuroradiology</b>	<b>Medicine—dictionary</b>
<b>Radiation</b>	<b>Imaging</b>
<b>Medical personnel and patient</b>	<b>Diagnostic radiography</b>
<b>Radiologic health</b>	<b>Radiographic positioning</b>
<b>Ultrasound</b>	<b>Digital radiography</b>
<b>Radiographic pathology</b>	<b>Computed tomography (CT scan)</b>
<b>Radiologic technology</b>	<b>Radiation instrumentation</b>

“Advanced Search” in catalogs and databases allows combinations of subject terms.

**Selected Reference Books**

**REFERENCE 610.3/MOSBY’S**

Mosby’s medical, nursing, and allied health dictionary

**REFERENCE 610.3/STEDMAN’S**

Stedman’s medical dictionary

**REFERENCE 610.3/TABER’S**

Taber’s encyclopedic medical dictionary

**REFERENCE 611/GRAY’S**

Gray’s anatomy

**REFERENCE 615.1/PDR**

Physicians’ desk reference

**REFERENCE 611/PHOTOGRAPHIC**

Photographic atlas of the body

**REFERENCE 615.5/CURRENT**

Conn’s current therapy 2008

**REFERENCE 616/GRIFFITH**

Complete guide to symptoms, illness & surgery

**REFERENCE 616/MERCK**

The Merck manual of medical information

**REFERENCE 616.003/HUMAN**  
**Human diseases and conditions**

**REFERENCE 616.0252/COMMUNITY**  
**Community first aid & safety**

**REFERENCE 616.075/CURRENT**  
**Current medical diagnosis & treatment**

**REFERENCE 616.075/PAGANA**  
**Mosby's diagnostic and laboratory test reference**

**REFERENCE 616.89/DIAGNOSTIC**  
**Diagnostic and statistical manual of mental disorders**

### **Radiologic Technology Career Sites**

**<http://www.rtstudents.com>**  
**Radiology resources for students**

**<http://www.acadrad.org>**  
**Academy of Radiology Research**

**<http://www.acr.org>**  
**American College of Radiology**

**<http://www.arrrt.org>**  
**American Registry of Radiologic Technologists**

**<http://www.asrt.org>**  
**American Society of Radiologic Technologists**

**<http://www.avir.org>**  
**Association of Vascular and Interventional Radiographers**

**<http://www.auntminnie.com>**  
**Jobs, industry news, online forums, conferences**

**<http://www.davesplacesinradiology.com>**  
**Web site of radiologist, Dave Woeber, with many professional links**

**<http://www.issrt.org>**  
**Illinois State Society of Radiologic Technologists**

**<http://www.illradsoc.org>**  
**Illinois Radiological Society**

**<http://www.ismrm.org/smrt>**  
**International Society for Magnetic Resonance Technologists**

<http://www.isrirt.org>  
International Society of Radiographers & Radiological Technologists

<http://www.rsna.org>  
Radiological Society of North America

<http://www.rt-image.com>  
News and industry sources for the radiology professional

<http://www.radiologytoday.net>  
Radiology Today Magazine: selected articles, current news topics

<http://www.bls.gov/oco>  
U.S. Department of Labor: Search Occupational Outlook Handbook for  
“radiology”

### **Online Health Information**

<http://mlanet.org/resources/userguide.html#1>  
The Medical Library Association: “A user’s guide to finding and evaluating  
information on the web”/ Recommended websites and resources

<http://medterms.com>  
Medical dictionary

<http://www.innerbody.com>  
Human anatomy: images, animation, description

<http://openi.nlm.nih.gov/about.php>  
An open access biomedical image search engine

<http://www.noah-health.org>  
New York Online Access to Health  
View topics by body area or disease. In English and Spanish languages

<http://www.getbodysmart.com>  
Learn visually from an “online textbook” on human anatomy & physiology

<http://www.fda.gov/consumer>  
U.S. Food and Drug Administration: Search “medical imaging”

<http://www.hospitalcompare.hhs.gov>  
U.S. Department of Health & Human Services: Compare hospital health care for  
adults with certain conditions

<http://www.hfs.illinois.gov>  
Illinois Department of Healthcare and Family Services

<http://health.illinois.gov>  
**State of Illinois Health and Wellness**

<http://www.healthgrades.com>  
**Research doctors, hospitals, and nursing homes**

<http://www.illinoishospitals.org>  
**Illinois Hospital Association data: quality of care, patients' satisfaction, type and volume of services provided**

<http://www.idph.state.il.us>  
**Illinois Department of Public Health: laws, statistics, health fact sheets**

<http://idfpr.com>  
**Illinois Department of Financial and Professional Regulation: Physician profiles**

<http://www.healthcarereportcard.illinois>  
**Illinois Hospital Report Card and Consumer Guide to Health Care  
Data on charges, care, death rates, and patient safety records**

<http://www.jointcommission.org>  
**The Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations**

<http://medicare.gov>  
**Official U.S. Government website for users of Medicare health insurance**

<http://www.nsc.org>  
**National Safety Council**

<http://www.strokeassociation.org>  
**American Stroke Association: research stroke symptoms, patient care, drugs**

<http://www.who.int>  
**World Health Organization**

<http://www.healthfinder.gov>  
**U.S. Department of Health & Human Services: Search topics, drugs, associations**

<http://www.ncahf.org>  
**National Council Against Health Fraud: Focuses on misinformation and fraud**

<http://medlineplus.gov>  
**U.S. National Library of Medicine: Medical encyclopedias, dictionaries, topics, news**

<http://nlmplus.com>  
**Search the U.S. National Library of Medicine's 60 databases simultaneously**

<http://www.mayoclinic.com>  
**Mayo Clinic: Research diseases, conditions, and symptoms**

<http://www.healthweb.org>  
**Greater Midwest Region of the National Network of Libraries of Medicine: topics and links to health information**

<http://www.ama-assn.org>  
**American Medical Association**

<http://www.apa.org>  
**American Psychological Association**

<http://www.biausa.org>  
**Brain Injury Association of America**

<http://www.braintrauma.org>  
**The Brain Trauma Foundation**

<http://www.brainline.org>; <http://www.brainlinemilitary.org>  
**Preventing, Treating, and Living with Traumatic Brain Injury**  
**Basics and more for survivors, families, veterans, service members; includes free online courses for health-care professionals**

<http://nccam.nih.gov/health/whatiscam>  
**National Center for Complementary and Alternative Medicine/National Institutes of Health**

<http://nihseniorhealth.gov>  
**U.S. National Institutes of Health: Focuses on aging population; search by topic**

<http://www.pubmedcentral.nih.gov>  
**U.S. National Institutes of Health: Online articles, many full-text**

<http://www.womenshealth.gov>  
**U.S. Department of Health & Human Service Department: Office of Women's Health**

<http://www.cdc.gov>  
**Centers for Disease Control and Prevention**  
**See PHIL (Public Health Image Library) for photos, illustrations, and multimedia**

<http://clinicaltrials.gov>  
**U.S. National Institutes of Health: Information about research in human volunteers**

<http://nimh.nih.gov>  
**U.S. National Institutes of Health: National Institute of Mental Health**

<http://www.healcentral.org>  
**Health Education Assets Library: a component of the National Sciences Digital Library. Digital teaching sources, many are bilingual.**

**<http://rad.usuhs.edu/medpix/>  
Medpix™ medical images database**

**<http://eradiology.bidmc.harvard.edu/classics/>  
Lieberman's Classics Collection in Radiology—medical images database**

**<http://www.merck.com>  
Merck Manuals online: Search topics**

**<http://www.medtropolis.com/vbody.asp>  
Interactive presentations of human anatomy and physiology (English and Spanish)**

**<http://www.dirline.nlm.nih.gov>  
U. S. National Library of Medicine: Directory of Health Organizations**

**<http://www.medlineplus.gov>  
U.S. National Library of Medicine and the National Institute of Health**

**<http://www.uchospitals.edu/online-library/index.html>  
University of Chicago Medical Center: Online Health Library**

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