NURS 1000: Researching The Ethics Paper
The Assignment

• Read your assignment carefully. What does it ask for?
• Any research project, small or large, uses a simplified scientific method.
• Formulate your research task as questions: What ethical issues am I interested in? Why? What is my purpose for this paper?
Library Search Techniques:

• Use the [NURS 1000 Research Guide](#)

• Browse the stacks (LC class R = medicine and related fields).

• Use the online databases as journal indexes.

• Search the online catalog for periodical titles.

• Try different search fields and search terms.
Keep Track of Your Research

• As you find potentially useful sources, take notes, or take pictures, or send the record or document to your email.

• As you take notes, remember that you’ll need the five bits of APA information for your references.

• Author, date, title, source, medium. Be sure to note this information for every sources you may use.
Searching the Library:
Catalog, Discovery, Online access
Online Databases

• Electronic files include bibliographical data and, sometimes, the full text of journal articles useful for research.

• Once you learn the basics of database searching, your research will be more efficient than open-Internet keyword searches.
Discovery
Result list—it can be refined
CINAHL Plus with Full Text: A Primary Nursing Database
CINAHL Search Results

1. Safeguarding the Public's Health: Ethical Nursing.
   (includes abstract) Rushton, Cynda Hylton; Broome, Marion E.; Hastings Center Report, 2015 Jan; 45 (1): 00. (journal article) ISSN: 0093-0334 PMID: 25600390
   **Subjects:** Ethics, Nursing, Public Health
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2. NURSING ETHICS ISSUES IN PALLIATIVE CARE [Spanish].
   MaríA GálAN GonzÁlez-Serna, JosÉ De llanos Pera, Francisco; Alburquerque Medina, Eulalia; Revista Rol de Enfermera, 2014 sep; 37 (9): 16-21. (journal article - pictorial, tables/ charts) ISSN: 0210-5020
   **Subjects:** Hospice and Palliative Nursing Ethical Issues; Terminally Ill Patients Classification, Health Information, Palliative Care Methods
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MEDLINE database: the National Library of Medicine
Limit Your Search
1. An appraisal of ethical issues in end-of-life care.


Subjects: Ethics, Medical, Palliative Care ethics; Physician-Patient Relations ethics; Terminal Care ethics; Treatment Refusal ethics; Withholding Treatment ethics

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Notes: This title is not held locally.

2. Ethics seminars: a best-practice approach to navigating the against-medical-advice discharge.


Subjects: United States, Decision Making, Emergency Service, Hospital ethics; Emergency Service, Hospital legislation & jurisprudence; Patient Discharge legislation & jurisprudence; Treatment Refusal ethics; Treatment Refusal legislation & jurisprudence; Adult: 19-44

See More
Take Notes

- Once you find a record for a useful article, take notes for your APA Reference List:
  - Author
  - Date
  - Article title
  - Source (journal title, volume, issue, page range)
  - DOI or publisher URL
Click on a title for the detailed record; it has the items you need for the reference list.

Research with bereaved families: A framework for ethical decision-making.

Authors: Sque, Magi; Walker, Wendy; Long-Suffehall, Tracy
Affiliation: m.squa@wlv.ac.uk
Source: Nursing Ethics (NURS ETHICS), 2014 Dec; 21 (6): 946-55. (40 ref)
Publication Type: journal article - research, tables/charts
Language: English
Major Subjects: Bereavement; Family – Psychosocial Factors; Decision Making, Ethical; Organ Procurement – Ethical Issues
Minor Subjects: Human; Interviews; Consent; Qualitative Studies; Decision Making, Family; Research Ethics; Transplant Donors; Support, Psychosocial; Privacy and Confidentiality; Content Analysis; Cross Sectional Studies; Purposive Sample; Reflection
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