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# Evidence Unwrapped

Your Oxfordshire Primary Care monthly newsletter from  
your Primary Care Librarian



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Hello Everyone

My name is Kate and since March I have been your dedicated Librarian for Primary Care.

I come to Oxfordshire having previously worked in the same role in Buckinghamshire. Before that I worked for 20 years as an NHS Health librarian in Birmingham. When not working I take my dog on long walks and spend more time than I should sitting in country pubs.

I offer a full library service to Primary Care staff including promoting evidence-based practice, electronic resources, training, literature searches, research, book loans etc. Please forward this newsletter to your colleagues if you think that they might be interested.

I hope that this newsletter will allow me to share some of the resources and tips that will allow your working practices to be a bit more evidence based.

## Searching Tips

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**Remember your  
quotation marks**

*Whether searching Google, Medline or most other resources remember that phrase searching can narrow your results down in a really useful way.*



## Training Sessions

**What is the Knowledge & Library Hub?** - Thursday 12th Sept, 12-1pm

**World Sepsis Day—searching for the evidence** - Friday 13th Sept, 1-2pm

**Introduction to Health Literacy— communicate better with your patients** - Tuesday 1st Oct, 1-2pm

**Overview of e-resources for Primary Care** - Wednesday 16th Oct, 12-1pm

**Alternatives to Google** - Thursday 7th Nov, 1-2pm

**Clinical Decision Support Tools- to utilise at the point-of-care with a patient** - Wednesday 27th Nov, 12-1pm



Email me the names of the sessions that you are interested in and I will send you a Teams invitation—[Kate.Jones@oxfordhealth.nhs.uk](mailto:Kate.Jones@oxfordhealth.nhs.uk)

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