FIRST PEOPLES AND HEALTH
LIBRARY WORKSHOP

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Agenda

- Library services
- Searching for known items
- Topic selection & keywords
- CLUES
- Databases
- Journals
- Additional Help
Library Services

Library information for undergraduate students

Research help
Need help finding journal articles? Don't know how to begin your research?
- Ask a Librarian for research help
- Consult the Research Guides by Subject

RefWorks
Prepare bibliographies for your assignments.
- RefWorks
- Export/Import Instructions

Copyright guide
- What is copyright?
- Using copyrighted works

Library services
- Borrowing and renewing
- Requesting an item in CLUES
- Inter-campus and article delivery
- Find course reserves
  - About course reserves
  - About the course reserve room
- Fines
- MyCLUES
- Computers and laptops
- Group study rooms
- Photocopying and Printing
- COLOMBO (Interlibrary loans) and Library PIN
- Borrowing from other universities (BCI card, formerly CREPUQ card)

Library Code of Conduct
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Library resources
- CLUES library catalogue (books & more)
- Databases (articles & more)

Tutorials, videos, workshops
- Info research 101
- FYI Flix instructional videos
- Library workshops

"How to" guides
- How to find articles
- How to find DVDs and videos
- How to write a research paper
- Citation guides
- More Library "how to" guides
Searching for known items

- Book -> CLUES

- Book Chapter -> CLUES
Searching for known items

• Journal article -> **CLUES**

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• **COLOMBO**
Topic Selection

• Aboriginal maternal health and access to pre-natal care

  • Who: aboriginal or indigenous women in Canada
  • What: pre-natal maternal health care
  • Where: Canada, aboriginal communities
  • When: the “present”, past 5 years?
  • How: How does access to pre-natal health care affect aboriginal maternal health in Canada
Keywords

• Aboriginal

• **Synonyms:**
  • Indigenous
  • Native
  • First Nations, Metis, Inuit
  • First people
  • Indian

• **Regional differences:**
  • Aboriginal – Australia & Canada
  • Native American – U.S.
  • First Nations - Canada

• Maternal health

• **Synonyms:**
  • Pregnancy
  • Pre-natal
  • Child health
  • Maternity
**AND** narrows search – **all** words must be in every book or article result.
OR finds more results, all the books and articles will have either keyword in their results.
Search tips

- **AND** – limits results
  - Indigenous AND health

- **OR** – gives you more results
  - Aboriginal OR indigenous OR native

- “ ” – exact phrase – limits results
  - “maternal health”, “First Nations”

- * - multiple endings, gives you more results
  - pregnan*: pregnancy, pregnant
  - Govern*: government, governments, governmental, governance, governing
Research Guide

First Peoples studies research guide

Background sources

- Dictionaries
- Encyclopedias
- Handbooks

Articles

- Academic Search Complete - Canadian & American articles - all subjects
- America: History and Life - Canadian & American history
- ProQuest Combined Canadian - Canadian journal articles, newspapers, current events & theses
- Autodidacta - books, article, & theses on the First Peoples of Quebec
- Indigenous Studies Portal - Canadian
- Anthropology Plus
- SocINDEX - Sociology articles
- Political Science Complete
- ARTBibliographies Modern - Aboriginal art
- Linguistics & language behavior abstracts
- Google Scholar - Please see: How to set up Google Scholar to find Concordia Resources

Books

- CLUES - Concordia library catalogue
- WorldCat - books worldwide
- Concordia Aboriginal Student Resource Centre (Hall 641): ASRC Booklist

Need help?

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Related guides

- Anthropology
- Community and Public Affairs
- Economics
- Geography, planning and environment
- History
- Political science
- Sociology
Database Searching

What is a Database?

Database

Journal

Article
Database Searching

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Academic Search Complete

Women’s Health Issues

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1. Help bring back the celebration of life: A community-based participatory study of rural Aboriginal women's maternity experiences and outcomes.


Subjects: PARTICIPANT observation; INDIGENOUS women; MATERNAL health services; COUNSELING psychology; AUTONOMY (Psychology); IMPERIALISM


Subjects: PREGNANCY complications; DIABETES in pregnancy — Risk factors; DIABETES; INDIANS of North America; ETHNICITY; DISEASE prevalence; Aboriginal public administration; CANADA


Subjects: BIRTHPLACES; DATABASES; ESKIMOS; HOSPITALS — Admission & discharge; PREMATURITY infants; INFANT mortality; LABOR complications (Obstetrics); MAPS; MATERNAL health services; RESEARCH — Methodology; MEDICAL care — Evaluation; PREGNANCY; RESEARCH — Finance; RURAL health services; MIDWIFERY; INDIGENOUS peoples — Medical care; MEDICAL records; RESEARCH; RETROSPECTIVE studies; PARITY (Obstetrics); DESCRIPTIVE statistics; QUEBEC (Province); Book, Periodical, and Newspaper Merchant Wholesalers; Other printing; Residential Mental Health and Substance Abuse Facilities
Keywords: aboriginal or indigenous or native or "first nations"
"maternal health" or maternity OR pregnant
Canada

Scholarly journals
Subjects: pregnancy OR indians, north american OR native north americans OR north american peoples OR womens health
Research Guide

Books
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- WorldCat - books worldwide
- Concordia Aboriginal Student Resource Centre (Hall-541): ASRC Booklist

Primary source databases
- Early Canada Online 17th - 20th centuries (Aboriginal studies collection 1558-1900)
- Early Encounters in North America (1534-1850)
- Historical Newspapers: Globe and Mail (1844 - 2010)
- Historical Newspapers: Toronto Star (1894 - 2011)
- North American Indian Thought and Culture

First Peoples E-journals & newspapers
- General/Multi-subject First Peoples Journals
- First Peoples Health, Social & Education Journals
- First Peoples Policy, Economics, Law & Politics Journals
- First Peoples Regional Journals
- First Peoples American Journals
- First Peoples News Sources

Web resources
- Aboriginal Interest Groups/Guides
- Quebec Aboriginal Communities
- Claims, Treaties and Acts
- Library & Archives Canada/Library of Parliament Aboriginal Documents
- Canadian Residential Schools
- Canadian Aboriginal Statistics
- International Indigenous Organizations
- Law & Criminal Justice
- Online Government Information

Search in journals specific to your topic
Additional Help

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- Go to the reference desk to talk to a librarian in person (during service hours).
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- Locations and phone numbers
- Send comments and suggestions

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Saturday - Sunday: 12pm - 5pm

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