

LIBRARY CHARTER

Mission Statement

Skilled, reliable and well-resourced, the Library supports your professional development, evidence-based practice and continuous improvement to help deliver life changing care.

The Library



24/7 Library Space for staff, students and volunteers

Access to a Library Staff member 8am-4pm Mon-Fri wherever possible



Library induction for all Trust staff and students

A relaxed space where eating, drinking and talking is allowed



Our Resources



A specialist collection of orthopaedic print and electronic resources

Borrow books at any time



24/7 access to online journals, ebooks and eresources with OpenAthens

Reserve items from our online catalogue or the Health Libraries Midlands network



Our Services



Enquiries welcomed in-person, by telephone or email

Response within 2 hours for email enquiries received before 2pm on weekdays



Literature Search, Document Supply and Systematic Review support

Training available online or in person



Read the Library Charter in full:



 roh.library@nhs.net

 tinyurl.com/ROHLibrary

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Our Commitment

The Library

- A friendly, welcoming and inclusive environment.
- 24/7 Library Space for staff, students and volunteers.
- Books, PCs, study space and wellbeing area for your use.
- A library counter service with access to a Library staff member 8.00am-4.00pm, Monday-Friday wherever possible.
- Online and in-person registration.
- Library induction available for all Trust staff and students.
- Reserve a computer or study desk by email.
- Eat and drink, or meet with colleagues in our relaxed space.

Our Resources

- 24/7 e-resource access at home or work with OpenAthens.
- A specialist collection of orthopaedic print and electronic resources. Wider subject areas are available to support the educational and professional development of staff across the Trust.
- Search, reserve and borrow books at any time from Health Libraries Midlands network.
- Stock that is regularly assessed for quality with new items added according to the library's Collection Development Policy.
- A yearly stock take of print resources.
- A quarterly review of electronic resources.

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- Enquiry Services:
 - In-Person and telephone enquiries are welcomed.
 - Email enquiries: Response within 2 hours for email enquiries received before 2pm on weekdays.
- Literature Search Services:
 - Turnaround minimum 10 working days.
 - Fast-Track searching available for immediate patient care.
- Document Supply Services:
 - Actioned within 2 hours.
 - Delivered to you as soon as possible.
- Systematic review support:
 - Literature searches
 - Search strategy help
 - Document retrieval
 - Basic deduplication
- Training available:
 - 1-1 literature search help
 - Introduction to library resources
 - Health literacy awareness
 - Additional training packages available on request
- Knowledge mobilisation support for staff across the Trust.