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The following topics are pointed out in the library session:

- **[Research Strategies: A Five-Step Guide](#)** -- tips for how to get started, find sources, write, and cite
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<http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?otool=cacsunlib>

PubMed is an index to the medical literature. It indexes over 5000 medical and allied health journals

- **[CINAHLPlus\(EbscoHost\)](#)** -has controlled vocabulary (subject headings), has citation tools for help with APA style .
- **[Health Reference Center Academic](#)** (Gale) and **[General OneFile](#)** (Gale)- has controlled vocabulary (subject headings), has citation tools for help with APA style .
- **[ABI Inform Complete](#)** (proquest)

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- Check the sample style sheets ([MLA](#) or [APA](#)) to see what information the article citation should contain and how it should be formatted.
- Be sure to indicate where material you quoted directly or paraphrased came from.

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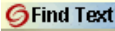
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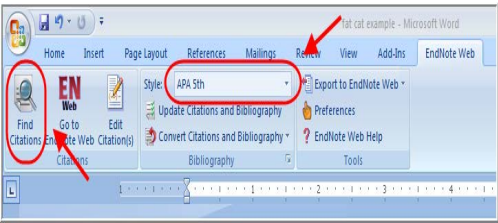
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