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**Quick Guide to Oviatt Library’s Homepage:** [**http://library.csun.edu**](http://library.csun.edu)



1. This central search box has several search options that will help you look for different things.
	* Use the **“OneSearch”** box to search 150 databases and Oviatt catalog for books, articles, dvds/videos, music To start, type your topic in the box and from the results choose either “**Articles” tab** for journal articles or **“Books and Media” tab** for catalog material. Refine limits are on the left. Save record to export or email
	* **“Library Catalog”** option allows you to search for materials (like books, journals and dvds) in the library.
	* **“Journals”** advises which magazines, newspapers and journals we have in the library or online. For a more detailed list of article databases by subject area, click the “Find Articles by Subject” link (#3).
	* **“Audio/Video”** explains how to search for sound recordings, videos and DVDs in the library catalog.
	* **“Archival Sources”** links to Special Collections & Archives Finding Aid Database.
	* **“ScholarWorks”** allows you to search for intellectual materials from CSUN faculty, staff and students.
2. **Research Strategies**: Learn the basics of doing library research here,
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4. **Ask a Librarian:** Need research help from a librarian? You can come to the reference desk, call us, email us, text us or learn how to chat with a librarian online 24/7. Librarian speaking to you today is **Marcia Henry** email: **mhenry@csun.edu**The web page for Professor Ivan Guillory is at **h**tt**p://library.csun.edu/Guides/KIN456**

**Research Worksheet**

Research Topic(s)

Adult Obesity, Hypertension, Coronary Heart Disease, Type II Diabetes, sedentary lifestyle, Depression, Osteoarthritis\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Key concepts or search terms:

obes\* OR overweight Hypertensi\* OR high blood pressure Diabetes Mellitus type 2

osteoarthrit\*

**Boolean Searching Tip: AND vs OR (and truncation)**

 **Useful in Ebscohost, Proquest, Gale, databases**

**Use AND between terms to narrow your search**

 **diabet\* AND (exercise\* OR physical activity)**

**Use OR and/or truncate (\*, ?) words to broaden your search**

**e.g. teen\* will find teen, teens, teenager, teenagers**

 **e.g. child\* (will find child, children, childhood .)**

(check online help for correct truncation symbol)

Types of sources needed (check all that apply):

Scholarly Journal Articles □

Databases demonstrated in sessions

**OneSearch\_-**searches over 150 databases, save records, view saved records, **can** export to EndNote Web.

**PubMed and MEDLINEPlus** - indexes medical literature using the controlled vocabulary, MeSH headings, consumer health handouts in MEDLINEPlus

**CINAHLPlus with Full Text and several other Ebscohost databases (EbscoHost**-- CINAHL subject headings, cited references,) Academic Search Elite, PsycInfo, ERIC (Education), SportsDiscus- all EbscoHost databases help with citing and export nicely to EndNoteWeb

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**Web of Science-** a citation database indexing 14,000 journals from 1900- . Connects to EndNote Online

**EndNoteBasic (EndNoteWeb)\_-** sign up for a free account**,** helps you organize research, cite APA Style example of journal article with a DOI (digital object identifier)

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