The Creighton University Health Sciences Library (HSL) has purchased a subscription to UpToDate, a comprehensive clinical information resource. UpToDate is fully referenced and designed to get its users the concise, practical answers they need at the point of care. UpToDate may be accessed at the Clinical Tools (http://www.hsl.creighton.edu/HSL/Clinical-Tools.html) page as well as the E-Books page (http://www.hsl.creighton.edu/HSL/ElectronicBooks.html) on the HSL website.

UpToDate, however, is not available remotely due to prohibitive licensing costs. Access to UpToDate is limited to on-campus sites and the Creighton University Medical Center clinics. Additionally, institutional access to UpToDate does not include software to load in PDA memory.

The UpToDate subscription was purchased to complement the other clinical resources offered by the library, such as FIRSTConsult, eMedicine, and ACP’s PIER. (Note: Remote access is available with FIRSTConsult, eMedicine, and ACP’s PIER. Institutional access to FIRSTConsult and eMedicine does include a PDA version.) For a complete listing of the clinical resources offered by the HSL, visit the Clinical Tools page (http://www.hsl.creighton.edu/HSL/Clinical-Tools.html) on the HSL website.
NEW RESOURCES IN THE LRC

To access the following new resources, go to the Imagery and Tutorials in Health Sciences page (http://www.hsl.creighton.edu/HSL/lrc/imagery.html) of the LRC web site. Once at this page, scroll down and locate:

† HistoCast. Visual Histology
* Series of 26 half-hour video learning programs
* Covers the entire scope of the body’s histological organization
* Describes cells, tissues and organs in logical descending order by biological complexity
* Self-assessment exam for each title

† Medical Media Systems. This portal includes hundreds of video selections, including:
* Examination technique across all organ systems
* Abnormal finding on real patients cross-linked with the examination technique
* Heart sound interpretation, from basic to advanced, in animated tutorials
* Ophthalmoscopy, showing retinal findings in motion as in the real examination

To access another new resource – Chest X-Ray Interpretation: a Primary Care Perspective - visit the Video Streaming from the LRC page (http://www.hsl.creighton.edu/HSL/lrc/streams.html) of the LRC web site. This program provides a concise method of distinguishing normal and abnormal radiographic patterns. This video features case studies and chest x-rays in asthma, chronic obstructive pulmonary disease, pneumonia, lung abscess, and malignancies.

For these resources – and numerous others – visit the LRC Hot Picks page (http://www.hsl.creighton.edu/HSL/lrc/hotpicks.html). A wide variety of resources may be accessed from this page, including Acland’s Video Atlas of Human Anatomy, Exam Master, ImagesMD, Visible Human Dissector, and Wired.MD.

Anatomical Models

The Anatomical Model Listing (http://www.hsl.creighton.edu/HSL/lrc/infotogo/models.html) on the LRC web site offers thumbnail sketches of the anatomical models in the LRC collection. Most of the models can be used by faculty on short-term loan for classroom presentations. For more details, contact the LRC at 280-5131.

The LRC Can Help!

Need a special listing of multimedia resources but you don’t have time to look in the CLIC online catalog? The LRC staff will create a customized bibliography for you. Just name your topic and direct your request to the LRC at 280-5131.
Photocopy Service

The library supports all research with a pull and copy service (within copyright laws) of materials in our collection. This service is available at a cost of $.20/page to all faculty and students. Copied articles may be delivered via campus mail, U.S. mail, e-mail (PDF), or picked up at the library. Request forms are available at all service centers or via the library website (www.hsl.creighton.edu/). If requesting via the website, select Library Services; next, select Request Materials. Payment can be by departmental accounts, cash, check or Jaybucks.

Call 280-5109 or e-mail the reference desk at refdesk@creighton.edu for more information.

Material Checkout

Loan periods differ with the type of material (books, periodicals, or reserves). Staff and students have a four-week loan period for books; Faculty has a one semester loan period. Books may be renewed once. Renewal may be done either online or by calling the circulation desk (280-5109). Bound periodicals (journals) may be checked out for one week by faculty, staff, or students and may be renewed once. Periodicals that are not bound (single issue journals) may be checked out for 24 hours and cannot be renewed. For faculty, books and periodicals may be delivered to on-campus offices, Monday through Friday, from 7:30 A.M.—3:30 P.M., upon request. For same day delivery, requests must be made between 7:30 A.M.—3:30 P.M. Reserve material is to be used only in the library and may be checked out for 2 or 4 hours depending on the material and the wishes of the instructor placing the item(s) on reserve. Contact the circulation desk: 280-5109.

Reserves

The Health Sciences Library maintains both electronic and print reserves. Electronic reserves are available 24 hours a day via the link on the Health Sciences Library homepage (http://ereserves.creighton.edu/eres/default.aspx). Users of electronic reserves should have the latest version of Acrobat Reader loaded on their PC. Print reserves, including personal copies, are placed on reserve and are available for four-hour check-out for use in the library only. For further information, please contact Madonna Knudson at 280-5109 or madonn@creighton.edu

Interlibrary Loan (ILL)

ILL service is offered to Creighton University faculty, staff and students for a fee (see below). Most items can be delivered within 10 working days; rush delivery (48 hours) is available at an additional cost. Materials can be delivered via campus mail, U.S. mail, e-mail (PDF), or picked up at the library. Request forms are available at all service centers or via the library website (www.hsl.creighton.edu/). If requesting via the website, select Library Services; next, select Request Materials. Payment can be by departmental accounts, cash, check or Jaybucks.

$ In-state lending library: $2.00 - $5.00 per item (cost is contingent upon lending library’s charges to HSL).

$ Out-of-state lending library: $9.00 - $15.00 per item (cost is contingent upon lending library’s charges to HSL).

$ Rush delivery service: an additional $5.00 - $10.00 per item (this applies to both in-state and out-of-state lending libraries).

$ For more information, please contact Cindy Abel at 280-5144 or brujne@creighton.edu.
LRC Resources

The following resources are available at the Learning Resources Center: anatomical models, videos, slides, audio digests, anatomical charts, CDs, DVDs, video journals, NCME videos, streaming videos, kits, Microsoft Self-Teach Collection, Kaplan Collection, AV reserves, wireless laptops, AV cluster rooms, Clinical Software, and a PC computer lab. Multimedia from the LRC collection, school departments, or personal faculty copies may be placed on 2-hour reserve in the Learning Resources Center. Multimedia from the LRC collection typically may be borrowed for one week, some for three (3) days, or two (2) hours. For details, please contact the LRC at 280-5131.

For more information regarding LRC resources and services, access the LRC homepage via the Health Sciences Library website. From www.hsl.creighton.edu, click on the Library Resources tab; next, click on the LRC Link. LRC contact: Jane Romack 280-5130 or jromack@creighton.edu

Copyright for Course Materials

Do you need assistance obtaining copyright permission for course- related materials? We can help! The Library staff will contact the publisher and submit all the required information for you. For more information about this service, please contact Judi Bergjord (280-5199 or bergjord@creighton.edu) or the reference staff (280-5138 or refesk@creighton.edu). You may also request assistance via the web. Click on the Copyright link on our Library Services web page (http://www.hsl.creighton.edu/Services.html).

Computer Search Service

Take advantage of our expertise: ask a reference librarian to conduct your next literature search. There is no cost for this service and most search requests are completed within a few hours and are usually delivered via e-mail, although other options are available. Besides searching the major health sciences databases, we have access to hundreds of other databases via the Dialog® search system. Contact the reference staff at 280-5138 or use the Search Request form on our Library Services web page (http://www.hsl.creighton.edu/Services.html).

Educational Services

The reference staff provides a wide variety of educational services to faculty and students. We are available for classroom presentations, small group tutorials, and library tours and orientations. We will also work with faculty to design customized web pages featuring the most appropriate resources for a particular assignment or project. For more information contact Jeanne Burke (280-5143 or jburke@creighton.edu) or the reference staff (280-5138 or refdesk@creighton.edu).

Instant Messaging Reference Service

The reference staff now provides Instant Messaging reference service. cuhslrefdesk is our valid IM name with AOL Instant Messenger, MSN Messenger, and Yahoo!Messenger. The reference staff will IM back during normal Reference Desk hours (Monday-Thursday 7:30 A.M.—10:00 P.M., Friday 7:30 A.M.—6:00 P.M., Saturday 10:00 A.M.—5:45 P.M., and Sunday 1:30 A.M.—10:00 P.M.).
NEWS FROM SERIALS

Serials Subscriptions

The Health Sciences Library's annual journal add-drop cycle is underway. Please submit requests for new journal subscriptions via the form on the Library's web page, under Library Services, then Acquisitions, at http://www.hsl.creighton.edu/HSL/Form-NewItemReq.html. A clear explanation of the need for the journal helps the Library make the decision whether or not to add the requested titles. Requests should be received by October 1, 2006 to be considered for a 2007 subscription.

The Library is negotiating the purchase of several packages of online journals. These will give us access to a wider range of titles than we now get in print, for a comparable cost. Although this will involve dropping more print subscriptions, the Health Sciences Library's collection will be more extensive as well as more accessible from any location. Details will follow in a later issue of the BICInformer.

Elsevier E-Books and Encyclopedias

The library has subscribed to several electronic books through ScienceDirect. Please go to http://www.hsl.creighton.edu/HSL/Ejournals/SD-ebooks.html to view a complete listing of the Life Sciences package of books. The listing includes titles as well as the earliest volumes and years available online.

Questions, Comments

Contact Bryan Stack, Serials and Electronic Collections Librarian, at (402) 280-5137 or cuhsl-serials@creighton.edu, with any questions or comments about the Health Sciences Library’s journal collection.

INFORMATION SOURCES FOR ETHICS

The Creighton libraries offer a rich collection of sources for information on ethics and related topics. The premier reference work for health care ethics is the Encyclopedia of Bioethics, which is available both on the web [on the Health Sciences Library’s E-Books page (http://www.hsl.creighton.edu/HSL/ElectronicBooks.html)] and in print. The best databases for locating literature on ethics topics are ETHX on the Web and Genetics and Ethics. Both databases are free services provided by the National Reference Center for Bioethics Literature from the Georgetown University Kennedy Institute of Ethics and can be found on the HSL’s Databases page (http://www.hsl.creighton.edu/HSL/Databases.html). The databases index material from journals, books, legal documents, audiovisuals, magazines and newspapers.

The libraries also have a strong collection of web sources in related areas. Examples of these include reference works such as the Encyclopedia of Religion, the New Catholic Encyclopedia, and the Encyclopedia of Philosophy. Related databases include the Humanities International Index, Academic Universe (newspapers / newswires), Medline, the ATLA religion database, and the Philosopher's Index.

The AccessMedicine electronic book collection from McGraw-Hill includes dozens of handbooks and textbooks, many of which include discussions of ethical issues in their fields. This entire collection is searchable through the Access Medicine web site located on the HSL’s E-Books page (http://www.hsl.creighton.edu/HSL/ElectronicBooks.html).

The Health Sciences Library also maintains a good collection of books and other print materials on ethics and related topics. In addition to ethics books, the HSL collects material on pastoral care as it pertains to health and health care. Works on spirituality and health or spirituality for the health professional can also be found in the HSL collection. All of these can be located via the online library catalog (http://cllic.creighton.edu) and delivered free of charge to an on-campus location.
THE SANTELLAS VISIT THE LIBRARY


For a complete listing of all Endowed Book Funds at the HSL, see page 3 of Volume 123 of the BICInformer (April 2006) at http://www.hsl.creighton.edu/HSL/bicinformer/BI123.pdf

For a list of materials purchased with endowed funds, please contact Jane Fishkin, Acquisitions Coordinator, at jpfish@creighton.edu or 280-5136.

To establish an endowed book fund or contribute to an existing one, please contact Jim Bothmer, Health Sciences Library Director, at jbothmer@creighton.edu or 280-5120.

The library is most grateful to all who have established or contributed to the endowed book funds.

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES OF HSL/LRC STAFF

Nannette Bedrosky (Head of Technical Services) attended the following conferences: Nebraska Library Association (NLA)/Nebraska Educational Media Association (NEMA) Conference and Sirsi Midwest Users Group (SMUG) Conference. She attended the following workshops/classes: Library Disaster Workshop (Lincoln, NE), OCLC Local Holdings Maintenance Training (Omaha, NE). She serves as a committee member on the Hospitality/Social Committee for the Joint Midcontinental and Midwest Chapter MLA Meeting (to be held in 2007 in Omaha, NE).


Diana Boone (Senior Library Specialist) served as chair of the HSL Staff Development Committee and attended training sessions on Typo 3, Cascading Style Sheets, and Web Graphics to support the HSL/LRC website redesign.
PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES CONTINUED:

Jim Bothmer (Library Director) attended the following meetings/conferences: Midcontinental Chapter of the Medical Library Association (MCMLA) Annual Meeting (Salt Lake City, Utah), American Association of Medical Colleges (AAMC) meeting (Washington, D.C.), Nebraska Library Association Annual Meeting (Lincoln, NE), and Eastern Nebraska Library System Annual Meeting (Elkhorn, NE). He served as a Mentor of the Nebraska Library Leadership Institute and is serving as Co-chair of the MCMLA 2007 Conference Planning Committee.

Jeanne M. Burke (Education Coordinator – Reference) attended the Medical Library Association (MLA) Annual Meeting (Phoenix, AZ) and the Midcontinental Chapter of the Medical Library Association (MCMLA) Annual Meeting (Salt Lake City, UT). At MCMLA, she presented a poster on the Health Sciences Library’s Grand Round Page. She was elected to the following positions: Section Council Representative for the Educational Media & Technologies Section of the MLA, Freshman Board Member and Education Chair for ICON, a local health sciences librarian group. She has been appointed to the MLA’s Technical Standards Committee and is currently serving on the Programming Committee for the MCMLA 2007 Annual Meeting.

Siobhan Champ-Blackwell [Regional Liaison of the National Network of Libraries of Medicine (NNLM)] conducted several classes, including “Finding Reliable Resources on Health Disparities in Nebraska”, Nebraska Minority Health Conference; “Looking in All the Wrong Places: Finding HIV/AIDS Articles on PubMed”, Nebraska AIDS Project Conference; and “Heard it Through the Grapevine”, Cambio des Colores Conference (Columbia, MO). She exhibited/presented for the National Library of Medicine (NLM) at several health fairs and conferences, including the Community Technology Center Network (Washington, D.C.), American Library Association (ALA) Diversity Fair Poster (Chicago, IL), the Nebraska Association of Translators and Interpreters Annual Conference (Omaha, NE), the Central College Health Association Annual Meeting (Lincoln, NE), and the American Academy of Medical Administrators Annual Meeting (Las Vegas, NV). She had the following posters: “Getting HIP: Health Information Partnerships” and “Reaching Out: Tools for Underserved Populations” (MCMLA 2005 Annual Meeting); she had the following paper: “Blogging to Empower” (MLA 2006 Annual Meeting). She was elected REFORMA Member-at-Large, 2006-2008, and serves as an Advisory Circle Member, 2006-2008, for “Workplace Wellness”, an ALA Presidential Initiative.

Emma McCruel (Library Specialist) attended two seminars, “Memory Magic” and “Managing Multiple Priorities”. She serves on the HSL Social Committee.

Jane Stehlik Romack (Head of the Learning Resources Center) served in the following capacities: Chapter Chair of Program Development and Chapter Chair of Publicity, Special Libraries Association (SLA) Omaha Chapter; Chair of Exhibits Committee for the MCMLA 2007 Annual Meeting. She attended the following meetings: School of Dentistry Strategic Planning Meeting and the MCMLA Committee Chairs 2007 Meeting (Des Moines, IA).

Bryan Stack (Serials Librarian) attended the North American Serials Interest Group (NASIG) Conference (Denver, CO) and the Sirsi Midwest Users Group (SMUG) Conference (Bellevue, NE).

Matt Stanley (Library Assistant) attended the seminar “How to Market Yourself”. He currently serves as Chair of the HSL Exhibits Committee.

Marcella Dial (Serials Assistant), Jane Fishkin (Acquisitions Coordinator), Tim Glick (Library Specialist), and Madonna Knudson (Library Specialist) attended the Sirsi Midwest Users Group (SMUG) Conference (Bellevue, NE).
**Hours of Operation**

**Library/LRC**
- Sunday: 10:00 am—Midnight
- Monday—Thursday: 7:30 am—Midnight
- Friday: 7:30 am—10:00 pm
- Saturday: 10:00 am—8:00 pm

**Reference Desk**
- Sunday: 1:30 pm—10:00 pm
- Monday—Thursday: 7:30 am—10:00 pm
- Friday: 7:30 am—6:00 pm
- Saturday: 10:00 am—6:00 pm

**Drug Informatics**
- Monday—Friday: 8:00 am—5:00 pm

**Creighton Creative Services**
- Monday—Friday: 8:00 am—5:00 pm

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- Technical Services: 402/280-5102
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