

NHS OpenAthens Resources

BMJ Best Practice	Provides step-by-step guidance on diagnosis, prognosis, treatment and prevention in over 30 specialties. Also available as an app.
BrowZine*	Browse and read journals. Stay current with the bookshelf function. Download the app to receive notifications of new issues and for easy access on the go.
Discovery Search*	Search for both online and print articles and books. Search for specific titles or by keyword. Easily download available articles. Request or reserve items not currently available.
E-learning for Healthcare	Access e-learning modules aimed at the health and social care workforce.
My Journals	Lists all print and electronic journals available to you through the NHS.
NICE Evidence Healthcare Databases	Access databases such as Medline, EMBASE or BNI for literature searching. 9 databases available. Useful for in-depth searching. Download articles subscribed to by the NHS.

Resources marked with a * are only available to Torbay and South Devon NHS Foundation Trust staff

Log into your NHS OpenAthens account at: <http://openathens.nice.org.uk/Hub> and click the 'My resources' option for links to all the resources that are available to you.

Devon Partnership Trust (DPT) staff may have access to additional resources purchased by their Trust. To see a full list, log in to your Athens account at <http://openathens.nice.org.uk/Hub>

**Contact the Library & Information Service on:
01803 656700 or library.tsdft@nhs.net**

What resources can I access?

- Over 1000 e-books
- Thousands of E-journals
- BrowZine
- Medline, Embase and other databases

And lots more, all available at work or at home.

To see a full list, go to:

<https://openathens.nice.org.uk/Hub/Resources>

Enter your username and password. Click on the “resources” tab to see a list of NHS resources accessible to you.

You can also access NHS OpenAthens resources via the Library & Information Service’s website at www.sdhl.nhs.uk

Sounds great – how do I register?

1. From the Trust intranet home page, click on **Library and Information Services** (found under **Corporate**). Alternatively go direct to www.sdhl.nhs.uk
2. On the Library’s homepage (under Quick Links) click on **Register for OpenAthens**
3. Follow the instructions to register (takes about five minutes)
4. Check the inbox of the email address you used to register for the account
5. Click on the activation code which has been emailed to you - you can then choose your password

For instant registration please register using an NHS networked computer and/or NHS email address. If you do not use an NHS computer or an NHS email address it may take up to 15 working days for your application to be processed.

I have an account – I’ve forgotten my password

Go to: <https://openathens.nice.org.uk/For gotPassword/Reset>

Enter the email address you registered with. If the entered email is associated with an active account you will receive a password reset email containing reset instructions.

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Why can’t I access everything I find on Google?

OpenAthens accounts are used to give members of an organisation access to resources that their organisation subscribes to.

When you find a website which asks for your NHS OpenAthens details to access something, e.g. a journal article, you can only access the item if the NHS nationally or in South Devon has a subscription to the resource.

Contact the library for further assistance with specific resources.

Problem accessing your account?

Email: athens.sdht@nhs.net with your full name, full work address, work telephone number and the email address you used to register for the account. **Please also include full details of any error messages you have received.** Allow up to 5 working days to receive a response.

How do I update my details?

To change your registered organisation/email details log into your NHS OpenAthens account at:

<http://openathens.nice.org.uk/Hub>

Then click on the edit button next to your registered email/organisation.