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8:45 – 10:00	NLM Gateway Background Searching Functions Download/Display Send via e-mail Order documents Practice Exercises
10:00 – 10:15	BREAK
10:15 – 11:00	Features Term Finder Limits/Settings Search Details History Locker Practice Exercises
11:00 – 12:00	ClinicalTrials.gov Basic Search Working with Results Display Options Menu Advanced Search Studies by Topic Studies by Map Refining your Search ClinicalTrials.gov & PubMed Practice Exercises

NOTES



(http://gateway.nlm.nih.gov)

Introduction to Gateway

What?

- The NLM Gateway allows you to search simultaneously in multiple NLM retrieval systems using a single search interface.
- The Gateway was developed by the Lister Hill National Center for Biomedical Communications (LHNCBC) at the National Library of Medicine (NLM).
- Currently the Gateway searches:
 - o MEDLINE/PubMed
 - o TOXLINE Subset
 - o NLM Catalog
 - o **Bookshelf** full text biomedical books
 - o **Meeting Abstracts**: HIV/AIDS-related, Health Services Research-related, and Space Life Sciences
 - o MedlinePlus:

Health Topics Drug Information Medical Encyclopedia Current Health News Other Resources

- o Household Products Database
- o ClinicalTrials.gov
- o Genetics Home Reference

- o **DIRLINE:** Directory of Health Organizations
- o **HSRProj**: Health Services Research Projects
- o **OMIM:** Online Mendelian Inheritance in Man
- o IRIS: Integrated Risk Information System
- o **HSDB**: Hazardous Substances Data Bank
- o **ITER**: International Toxicity Estimates for Risk
- o **GENE-TOX**: Genetic Toxicology Mutagenicity
- o **CCRIS:** Chemical Carcinogenesis Research Information System
- o **Profiles in Science:** Archival collections of Scientist
- NLM Gateway is the *only* search interface for the Meeting Abstracts.
- Other systems (PubMed, NLM Catalog, MedlinePlus) retain their own search interfaces.

Who?

Potential Gateway users could be:

- Users new to NLM's online resources who do not know what type of information is available or how best to search for it.
- Users who want "one-stop searching."
- Users who want to search resources that are only in the NLM Gateway.

Where?

• On the NLM home page, click on List of NLM Databases and Resources. At the next screen, click on NLM Gateway. Or go directly to: <u>http://gateway.nlm.nih.gov</u>

Gateway Homepage

Beneath the Gateway banner is the Features Bar. On this bar are links to two (2) Gateway Features, **Term Finder** and **Limits/Settings**, and to information about the NLM Gateway and its use: **About Help FAQ.**

In the center of the page is the search query box.

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Home	Term Finder	Limits/Settings			About	Help	FAQ
•		Enter your se	e NLM resources. Learn mo	Search Cle	ear ostracts.		

Searching

- Enter the search term(s) in the query box.
- Click on "Search" or use the Enter key.



The query box is also available on every screen below the features bar. You do not have to return to the homepage to enter a new search.

Searching Tips

There are links under the query box to tips on searching by topics, authors, and titles and about searching meeting abstracts. Additional helpful points to know:

- The default Gateway search is a subject search.
- You may enter one or more terms in the query box.

Example: vitamins

vitamin c aged

vitamin c aged common cold

• Multi-word search terms are searched as phrases when Gateway's Phrase Detection function identifies them as such.

- Search terms are mapped to MeSH (Medical Subject Headings) terms. For example, if your search term is heart attack, the phrase is mapped to myocardial infarction. Myocardial infarction is searched as a MeSH term in addition to heart attack being searched as text word. This mapping helps to provide more comprehensive results.
- For terms with British and American spellings, the text word search will include both the British and the American spelling of the word.
- Search terms are automatically combined (ANDed) together.

Boolean Operators

- Use AND, OR, and NOT.
- The default Boolean operator is AND.
- Boolean operators AND, OR, and NOT must be in upper case (e.g., vitamin c OR zinc).
- The Gateway processes the AND and OR Boolean operators in a left-to-right sequence.
- The NOT operator is processed first.
- Nesting: You can change the order in which the Gateway processes the AND and OR operators in a search statement by enclosing the unit in parentheses. The terms inside the set of parentheses will be processed as a unit and then incorporated in the overall strategy.

Examples: wrinkles AND (vitamin e OR vitamin c) hay fever AND (claritin OR zyrtec)

Searching by Fields

- Searches can be refined using qualifiers to limit the search to specific field(s).
- All field qualifiers should be entered *after* the search term.

Example: spanish [la]

- Field qualifiers may be in upper or lower case and must be in square brackets.
- Qualifiers may be the search field label (i.e., [Language]) or abbreviation/tag (i.e., [LA])
- **N.B.:** Unqualified terms should be entered after all qualified terms or should be separated with a Boolean operator (AND, OR, NOT).

Examples: lead screening [ti] children common cold AND vitamin c [mh]



The Gateway's **Help** lists all allowable search fields for every collection And their abbreviations.

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Author Name Searching

• Enter the author name in the format last name plus initials (no punctuation), followed by the field qualifier ([au] or [author]). Suffixes may be included if known.

Examples: *harris mj* [*au*] *ferris f 3rd* [*author*]

• You may enter only the last name or the last name and the first initial if you do not know the middle initial.

Example: *charron-prochownik d [au] AND siminerio [au]*

The Gateway will truncate an author search for MEDLINE/PubMed, NLM Catalog, Meeting Abstracts, HSRProj, OMIM, and TOXLINE Subset. There is no author field in the other collections.

Note:

You may search for investigators in **HSRProj** and **NLM Catalog** collections using the author field qualifier. Investigator names in the HSRProj collection are displayed as full names but must be searched in the format last name plus initials (no punctuation).

Corporate Author Searching

- To search for a particular corporate author, enter the corporate author followed by the field qualifier [cn].
- You may search for multiple corporate authors at one time.

Examples:

international society of technology assessment in health care meeting [cn] cochrane colloquium [cn] conference on retroviruses and opportunistic infections [cn] AND hiv outpatient study [cn] international conference on aids [cn] AND 2000 [dp]



Drop parentheses from corporate author names that contain them.

Example: International Conference on AIDS (15th : 2004 : Bangkok, Thailand) Enter as: international conference on aids 15th : 2004 : bangkok, thailand [cn]

Title Searching

• Enter one or more title words followed by the field qualifier ([ti] or [title]).

Examples:

aids [title] sexually transmitted diseases [title] lyme disease [ti] quality of life [title] managed care [ti] quality [ti]

MeSH Searching

- Enter the MeSH term followed by the field qualifier ([mh] or [mesh]).
- Subheadings may be entered in full or the two-character abbreviation may be used.
- To search for a MeSH term with one or more subheadings, enter the MeSH term, a forward slash, and one or more subheadings, followed by the field qualifier (e.g., [mesh]).
- If multiple subheadings are entered for one MeSH term, the subheadings will be ORed together (e.g., myocardial infarction/su/dt [mh] is equivalent to myocardial infarction/su [mh] OR myocardial infarction/dt [mh]).

Examples:

melanoma [mh] lyme disease [mh] macular degeneration/therapy [mesh] knee injuries/di/co [mh]

- Explosions: If a MeSH term or MeSH major topic is entered, it will be automatically exploded only in PubMed/MEDLINE and NLM Catalog.
- To turn off automatic explosion, enter the MeSH field qualifier followed by ":noexp" (e.g., [mh:noexp])
- For other collections, MeSH terms are not exploded.

Spell Check

Gateway processes search terms through a spell checker. If a spelling error is found, Gateway displays a notice.



<u>Details</u> of the Spell Check reports the term(s) entered incorrectly and offers suggested corrections.

Spell Check	
	shown below, with alternatives listed. Select one or type another term n "Search with Correction(s)" to rerun the search.
disphagia dysphagia	intreferon interferone intravirion
Search With Correction	n <u>(s)</u> <u>Cancel</u>

Search Results

Results Summary

When the search is completed, the Gateway displays the Results Summary: the number of **Items Found** in each collection.

Results Summary for "hay fever" search:

hay fever Results Summary: 12941 records found	Bookmark this Search]	Search Clear
Bibliographic Resources 🛙	Consumer Health Resources 🛙	Other Information Resources 🛙
 11406 MEDLINE/PubMed - journal citations, abstracts 196 NLM Catalog - books, AVs, serials 115 Bookshelf - full text biomedical books 860 TOXLINE Subset - toxicology citations 5 DART - Developmental and Reproductive Toxicology 6 Meeting Abstracts 	 2 MedlinePlus - Health Topics 47 MedlinePlus - Drug Information 21 MedlinePlus - Medical Encyclopedia 3 MedlinePlus - Current Health News 0 MedlinePlus - Other Resources 178 ClinicalTrials.gov 0 DIRLINE - Directory of Health Organizations 0 Genetics Home Reference Results Household Products Database 	 0 HSRProj - Health Services Research Projects 8 OMIM - Online Mendelian Inheritance in Man 92 HSDB - Hazardous Substances Data Bank 2 IRIS - Integrated Risk Information System 0 ITER - International Toxicity Estimates for Risk 0 GENE-TOX - Genetic Toxicology (Mutagenicity) 0 CCRIS - Chemical Carcinogenesis Research Information System 0 Profiles in Science

To display the results for a collection, click on the collection **name** or **number** of results.

Results Display

Example: Results for PubMed

Navigating: Use <u>Next</u> and <u>Prev</u>ious arrows or fill in a page number & click <u>Page</u> to jump to it.



<u>Related Articles</u> takes you to a set of citations closely related to the selected article. <u>Free at producer site</u> links to the full-text article at the producer's web site. <u>Free in PMC</u> links to the full-text article in PubMed Central. Clicking on a title displays an expanded or fuller view of the item.



Gateway Functions

<u>E-mail</u> | <u>Download</u> | <u>Put in locker</u>

The Functions are at the top and bottom of each Results Page. The added function of <u>Order documents</u> is available for PubMed results. Use the check boxes to select the items for a function to process. If none are selected, all on the page will be processed... Use <u>Clear check marks</u> to deselect.

E-mail

- On the Results display, select items you wish to e-mail. (Use check boxes to select items)
- Click on **E-mail.** The E-mail Search Results page displays.

E-mail Search Results
E-mail Address(es): (Use semicolons (;) to separate addresses)
Add message (optional):
Send selected items Start with item 1 and send 20 of 11417 (max. 500)
Send as: © Text O HTML Help me choose
Format: O Unlabelled O Labelled O Export Help me choose
Level of Detail: Brief C Expanded Complete Help me choose
Send
Selected Items
1 🗹 Respiratory allergy to Cupressus sempervirens in Rome.
De Luca A. Graziani E. Anticoli S. Simeoni S. Terzano C. Mannino E.

- "Send selected items" or enter the number range of items to email. The maximum is 500.
- Send as: Select Text or Html for the e-mail. The default is Text.
- Select **Format for items to me sent**: the default Format is Unlabelled. (See <u>Help me</u> <u>choose</u>: Labelled = labels each field with the full field name. Export=labels are field tags)
- Select Level of Detail for the display of the items. The default is Brief. (See <u>Help me</u> <u>choose</u>)
- Selected Items displays items to be sent. The check boxes enable the user to deselect 1 or more items.
- Click Send.

The email address is verified and you are notified that the data was successfully sent or when an error in the address causes the e-mail delivery to fail. The latter enables the user to correct the address and ensure delivery of the e-mail.

E-mail sent to : person@mail.nih.gov

Download

Use **Download** to Display multiple items in the Web browser or Save items to a file.

- On the Results display, select items you wish to download or display further.
- Click on **Download**.
- Make your selections from the Download or Display screen.

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Format:	Onlabelled	C Labelled	C Export Help me choose	
Level of Detail:	O Brief	C Expanded	C Complete Help me choose	
Go				
Selected Items 1 🔽 Atopy, exposure to pesticides and risk of non-Hodgkin lymphoma.				

- Select **Destination** for the items to be downloaded or displayed. The default destination is Display in Browser.
- Download as: Select Text or Html. The default is Text.
- Select **Format** for items to me sent: the default Format is Unlabelled. See <u>Help me choose</u>. (Labelled = labels each field with the full field name. Export=labels are field tags)
- Select Level of Detail for the display of the content. The default is Brief.
- Selected Items displays items to be sent. The check boxes enable the user to deselect 1 or more items.
- Click Go.

Put in Locker

This function enables you to store items. **My Locker** is a place to collect selected search items for printing, downloading, e-mailing or ordering. For details on using the locker, see **My Locker** in the Features section (p. 36).

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Order Documents

To order items from PubMed results of your <u>current search</u>, select the Order Documents function. Order Documents enables you to order documents directly from the Results Display page.

- Please note that items may only be ordered from PubMed
- On the Results display, select citations you wish to order.
- Click on **Order Documents**.
- The Gateway Document Ordering page will be displayed, containing your selected items. <u>Note</u>: articles that have Free full text in PubMed Central or at the producer's web site are flagged with a link to the full-text and do not need to be ordered.

Document Ordering
The Order Documents button will open a new browser window to Loansome Doc Ordering.
A list of 3 document(s) you have requested will be forwarded. Follow the Loansome Doc instructions to complete your document order.
Order
 Randomized controlled trial of high-dose sublingual immunotherapy to treat seasonal allergic rhinitis. Smith H, White P, Annila I, Poole J, Andre C, Frew A. J Allergy Clin Immunol. 2004 Oct; 114(4):831-7. PMID: 15480323 [PubMed - indexed for MEDLINE] From PubMed
2. Effectiveness of intranasal corticosteroids.
Grzincich G, Capra L, Cammarata MG, Spaggiari C, Pisi G. Acta Biomed Ateneo Parmense. 2004 Apr; 75(1): 22–5. PMID: 15315083 [PubMed – indexed for MEDLINE] From PubMed
3. Preventive and curative effects of Gyokuheifu-san, a formula of traditional Chinese medicine, on allergic rhinitis induced with Japanese cedar pollens in guinea pig.
Makino T, Ito Y, Sasaki SY, Fujimura Y, Kano Y. Biol Pharm Bull. 2004 Apr;27(4):554-8. PMID: 15056865 [PubMed – indexed for MEDLINE] From PubMed <u>Free at producer site</u>

• Review your choices.

[Note: for Free full text, you may go to the articles in PubMed Central or the producer's site at this time or later. To continue with the ordering process for the other articles: Return to the selections on the Results Display and "uncheck" those that are Free in PubMed Central. Click "Order Documents" on the display page once more].

- Click the "Order Documents" button on the Ordering Page.
- The Loansome Doc Ordering page will open in a separate browser window.
- You can also order documents through My Locker and its 'Order Documents' function. (See the section on My Locker.)

Gateway Sidebar

On the left side of each page displaying a collection's results is a list of all of the collections that Gateway searches and the number of results found in each for the current search. Click on a collection to go directly to the 1st results page of that collection.

Example: Click on **NLM Catalog** to view the results from that collection.

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Results	NLM Catalog Results (Items 1-20 of 191)
Bibliographic	Prev Page 1 of 10 Next E-mail Download Put in locker
PubMed (10672)	Clear check marks
NLM Catalog >>	clear check marks
Bookshelf (105)	1
TOXLINE Subset (858)	Mitman, Gregg
DART (5)	New Haven : Yale University Press, c2007.
Meeting Abstracts (6)	NLM ID: 101309054 [Book]
Consumer Health	2 🔲 A fekfakas, az asztma és a szénanátha gyógyitása a természetgyóg
MedlinePlus	[a fejfájás elleni leghatékonyabb 18 módszer!
Health Topics (1)	Ford, Norman D
Drug Info (46)	[Tyukod] : Black & White, [2006]
Med Encyclopedia (20)	NLM ID: 101302702 [Book]
Health News (1)	
Other Resources (1)	3 🗖 Sugi kafunshō no chiryō : shoki ryōhō
ClinicalTrials.gov (127)	Baba, Kōtarō
DIRLINE (0)	Dai 1-pan. Tōkyō : Raifu Saiensu, 2006.
Genetics Home Ref (0)	NLM ID: 101289185 [Book]
Household Prods (Results)	
Other Resources	4 🔲 Hana arerugī shinryō gaidorain : tsūnensei bien to kafunshō = Pract
HSRProj (0)	management of allergic rhinitis in Japan
OMIM (8)	Hana Arerugi Shinryō Gaidorain Sakusei Iinkai.
HSDB (86)	2005-nenban (kaitei dai 5-han). Tõkyö : Raifu Saiensu, 2005.
IRIS (2)	NLM ID: 101276784 [Book]
ITER (0)	
GENE-TOX (0)	5 🔲 Rastenii🗆 a🗆 i allergii🗆 a🗆
CCRIS (0)	Bazarova, É É (Él⊡vira Érdyneevna)
Profiles in Science (0)	Ulan-Udé : GUZ RTEISEMP MZ RB, 2005.
Total (12129)	NLM ID: 101274853 [Book]
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Bookmark this Search	

Click **Bookmark this search** to save the search strategy. Then click **Create storable search page.** A new browser window will open with the Results Summary page for the search. Use the browser's Bookmarks or Favorites feature to save the search. Then close the browser window. Use the browser's Back button to return to the previous page.

Click on **Results** on the sidebar to go to the Results Summary Page.

NOTES

Practice Exercises

- 1. Locate information on acupuncture and knee pain. How many clinical trials are currently recruiting volunteers (i.e., "Status: Recruiting")?
- 2. Locate information on alternative medicine and back pain. Review abstracts from papers presented at meetings. Identify the earliest paper. What organization held the meeting at which it was presented?
- 3. Find organizations where I can obtain information about Sleep Apnea. How many were retrieved?
- 4. Find information in the German language that discusses liver cancer. [Remember: Gateway supports Searching by Fields] Select several NLM Catalog results and, using a Gateway function, display the selected items in the Expanded and Labelled format.
- 5. Search on Agent Orange. How many articles are found in TOXLINE Subset? Send 10 articles to your email address. Add a message/comment and signature to your email.
- 6. Are there any items by Michael E. DeBakey in NLM Catalog? Are there any videos (i.e., Visual Material) about surgery? What type of surgery is the topic?
- 7. Search photic sneeze reflex. From citations or genetic information (i.e., OMIM collection) determine the syndrome name by which it is known.
- 8. Search for information about genetics and testing of newborns. From the Results: Locate information in Genetics Home Reference about types of tests done in the United States. What are the 2 disorders all states test for?

In Bookshelf, select the National Library of Medicine's HSTAT publication. What 2 diseases are discussed?

What former Johns Hopkins lecturer in medical genetics impacted newborn testing world-wide? (Hint: see NLM's archival collection, Profiles in Science) What assessment method is their legacy?

Suggested Answers

1. Locate information on acupuncture and knee pain. How many clinical trials are currently recruiting volunteers (i.e., "Status: Recruiting")?

Step 1. Type the search terms in the query box. Use the Enter key or click on the Search button.

Search multiple NLM resources. Learn more.				
acupuncture AND knee pain Clear				
 Enter your search in the box above. Tips for searching by <u>topics</u>, <u>authors</u>, <u>titles</u> or searching <u>meeting abstracts</u>. 				

Step 2. Display Results for ClinicalTrials.gov. Note those that are currently recruiting.



2. Locate information on alternative medicine and back pain. Review abstracts from papers presented at meetings. Identify the earliest paper. What organization held the meeting at which it was presented?

Step 1: Type the search terms in the query box. Use the Enter key or click on the Search button.



Step 2: Display Results for Meeting Abstracts. Note name of organization.

Meeting	g Abstracts Results (Items 1-11 of 11)
Prev	Page 1 of 1 Next E-mail Download Put in locker
Clear che	eck marks
1 🗆 🧍	Acupuncture for low back pain: a systematic review.
	van Tulder M, Cherkin D, Berman B, Lao L, Koes B; International Society of Technology Assessment in Health Care. Meeting.
A	Annu Meet Int Soc Technol Assess Health Care Int Soc Technol Assess Health Care Meet. 1998;14:56.
2	Early results from a pragmatic randomised controlled trial demonstrate acceptability and potential effectiveness of acupuncture as a treatment for low back pain.
	Thorpe L, Thomas K, Fitter M, Brazier J, MacPherson H; International Society of Technology Assessment in Health Care. Meeting.
A	Annu Meet Int Soc Technol Assess Health Care Int Soc Technol Assess Health Care Meet. 2002;18:abstract no. 315.
3 🗆 🧍	Acupuncture: evidence from systematic reviews.
	Harstall C, Leggett Tait P, Brooks L; International Society of Technology Assessment in Health Care. Meeting (19th : 2003 : Canmore, Alta.).
A	Annu Meet Int Soc Technol Assess Health Care Int Soc Technol Assess Health Care Meet. 2003;19:abstract no. 129.
4 🗆 🖥	Recruiting patients to trials in primary care: Lessons learnt from two randomised controlled trials of low back pain.
A	Thorpe L, Bell-Syer S; International Society of Technology Assessment in Health Care. Meeting. Annu Meet Int Soc Technol Assess Health Care Int Soc Technol Assess Health Care Meet. 2002;18:abstract no. 316.

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3. Find organizations where I can obtain information about Sleep Apnea. How many were retrieved?

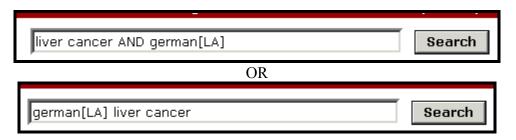
Step 1: Type the search terms in the query box. Use the Enter key or click on the Search button.

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sleep	apnea	Se	arch

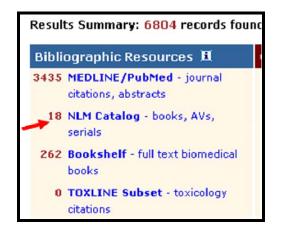
Step 2: Note number of results for DIRLINE - Directory of Health Organizations.

Seep apnea Search Results Summary: 18119 records found Bookmark this Search						
Bibliographic Resources 🗓	Consumer Health Resources 🖪	Other Information Resources 🖪				
 16977 MEDLINE/PubMed - journal citations, abstracts 238 NLM Catalog - books, AVs, serials 262 Bookshelf - full text biomedical books 203 TOXLINE Subset - toxicology citations 9 DART - Developmental and Reproductive Toxicology 20 Meeting Abstracts 	 5 MedlinePlus - Health Topics 8 MedlinePlus - Drug Information 41 MedlinePlus - Medical Encyclopedia 7 MedlinePlus - Current Health News 7 MedlinePlus - Other Resources 225 ClinicalTrials.gov 6 DIRLINE - Directory of Health Organizations 0 Genetics Home Reference 0 Household Products Database 	 13 HSRProj - Health Services Research Projects 37 OMIM - Online Mendelian Inheritance in Man 61 HSDB - Hazardous Substances Data Bank 0 IRIS - Integrated Risk Information System 0 ITER - International Toxicity Estimates for Risk 0 GENE-TOX - Genetic Toxicology (Mutagenicity) 0 CCRIS - Chemical Carcinogenesis Research Information System 0 Profiles in Science 				

- 4. Find information in the German language that discusses liver cancer. [Remember: Gateway supports Searching by Fields] Select several NLM Catalog results and, using a Gateway function, display the selected items in the Expanded and Labelled format.
- *Step 1:* Type the search terms in the query box, qualifying German by Language [la]. (Note: you can use the full name of the language or the 3-letter code, e.g., ger) Use the Enter key or click on the **Search** button.



Step 2. Select NLM Catalog results.



Step 3: Choose several results from NLM Catalog. Select the **Download** function. (*Note check marks*)



Step 4: Select Labelled Format and Expanded Details. Review Selected Items. Click Go.

Download or Display						
• Send selected items • Start with item 1 and send 20 of 11417 (max. 500)						
Destination:	○ Save to File ○ Display for Printing ⊙ Display in Browser					
Download as:	• Text O HTML Help me choose					
Format:	○ Unlabelled ● Labelled ○ Export <u>Help me choose</u>					
Level of Detail:	C Brief © Expanded C Complete Help me choose					
Go						

Step 5: <u>View displayed records.</u>

1. Title(s):	LeberMetastasen : Diagnose, Intervention, Therapie / T.J. Vogl, M.G. Mack, J.O. Balzer (Hrsg.).
Author(s):	Vogl, Thomas J
Publisher:	Berlin ; New York : Springer, c2002.
Description:	xvi, 342 p. : ill.
Language:	German
ISBN:	9783540421528 (alk. paper) 3540421521 (alk. paper)
MeSH:	 Liver Neoplasms/*secondary
Publication Type(s):	Congresses
NLM ID:	<u>101140957</u> [Book]
	From NLM Catalog

- 5. Search on Agent Orange. How many articles are found in TOXLINE Subset? Send 10 articles to your email address. Add a message/comment and signature to your email.
- *Step 1:* Type the search terms in the query box. Use the Enter key or click on the **Search** button. Display results for TOXLINE Subset. Select 10 citations. Click the **E-mail** Function.

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< Pres	Page 1 of 28 Next E-mail Download Put in locker					
Clear c	heck marks					
1 🔽	Rao Quan Feasibility Study - Phase 1: Toxic Substances and Contamination (Final Report). Berge D, Knutzen J					
	Govt Reports Announcements & Index (GRA&I), Issue 06, 2000.					
2 🔽	Office of the Special Assistant to the Deputy Secretary of Defense for Gulf War Illnesses.					
	Govt Reports Announcements & Index (GRA&I), Issue 12, 2000.					
3 🗆	Variable Name Dictionary for the Air Force Health Study 1985 Physical Exam, Questionnaire and Analyses Diskette. Michalek JE					
	Govt Reports Announcements & Index (GRA&I), Issue 14, 2001.					
4 🗆	Variable Name Dictionary for the Air Force Health Study 1992 Questionnaire and Analyses Diskette. Michalek JE					
	Govt Reports Announcements & Index (GRA&I), Issue 14, 2001.					
5 🗹	Epidemiologic Investigation of Health Effects in Air Force Personnel Following Exposure to Herbicides. Volume I: 1997 Follow-up Examination Results.					

Step 2: Enter E-mail address and message. Review Selected Items. Click Send.

E-mail Search Results
E-mail Address(es): (Use semicolons (;) to separate addresses)
person@mail.nih.gov
Add means a (antianal).
Add message (optional):
Student Extraordinaire
• Send selected items • Start with item 1 and send 20 of 559 (max. 500)
Send as: • Text O HTML Help me choose
Format: Unlabelled C Labelled C Export Help me choose
Level of Detail: Brief C Expanded C Complete Help me choose
Send
Selected Items

- 6. Are there any items by Michael E. DeBakey in NLM Catalog? Are there any videos (i.e., Visual Material) about surgery? What type of surgery is the topic?
- *Step 1:* Type the search in the query box, using the 'author' field qualifier [author] or [au]. Use the Enter key or click on the **Search** button

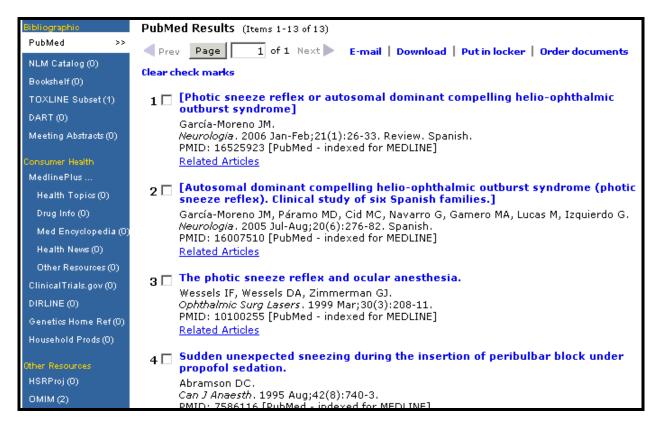
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debakey me [au]	Search

Step 2: Display results for NLM Catalog.

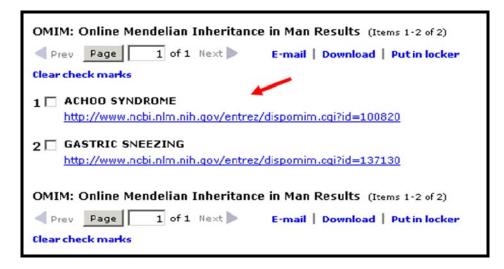


7. Search photic sneeze reflex. From citations or genetic information (i.e., OMIM collection) determine the syndrome name by which it is known.

Step 1: Type the search terms in the query box. Use the Enter key or click on the **Search** button. For citations, display PubMed results. Use sidebar to go to OMIM results.



Step 2: Note syndrome name in displayed OMIM results.

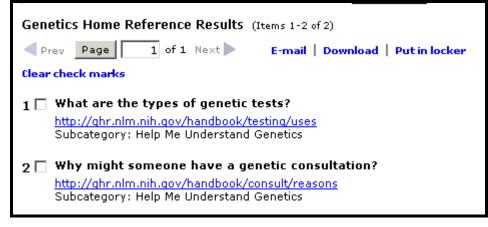


9. Search for information about genetics and testing of newborns. Locate information in Genetics Home Reference about types of tests done in the United States. What are the 2 genetic disorders all states test for?

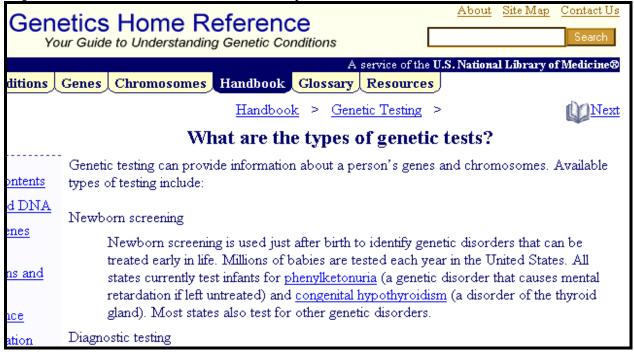
In Bookshelf, select the National Library of Medicine's HSTAT publication. What 2 diseases are discussed?

What former Johns Hopkins lecturer in medical genetics impacted newborn testing world-wide? (Hint: see NLM's archival collection, Profiles in Science) What assessment method is their legacy?

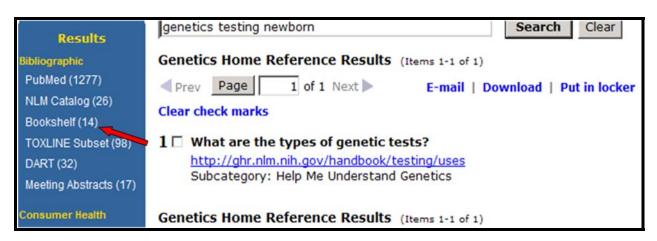
Step 1. Enter the search terms in the query box. Use the Enter key or click on the **Search** button. Display Genetics Home Reference results. Click on a relevant link.



Step 2. Note the 2 disorders all states currently test infants for.



Step 3. Close Genetics Home Reference page. Use sidebar on the Results Page to go to Bookshelf.



Display Bookshelf results and select the HSTAT publication.

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Publied	Nucleolide Prolein Genome Stucture PMC	Та
🔻 fè	for (((genetics [All Fields]) AND (testing [All Fields])) At Go Cle	ar <mark>S</mark> e
Limits	Preview/Index History Clipboard Details	
Display Bo	Books 💽 Show 20 💌 Send to 💌	
All: 8 Fig	igures: 0 🛠	
HSTAT	5 items in Health Services/Technology Assessment Text (HSTAT) Bethesda (MD): National Library of Medicine (US), 2003 Oct.	
SERVE .	<u>l item</u> in GeneReviews Editor-in-chief: Pagon, Roberta A. Associate editors: Cassidy, Suzanne B.; Bird	, Thon

Step 4. Note the 2 diseases discussed.

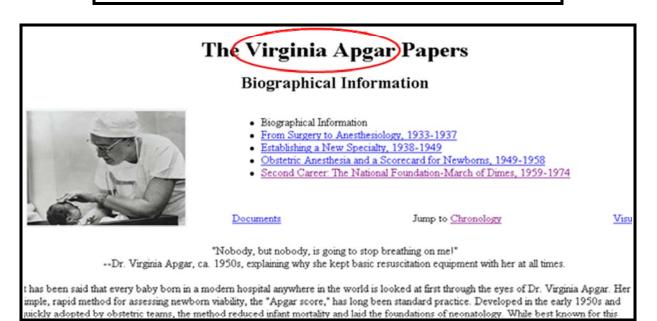


Step 4. Close Bookshelf page. Use sidebar to go to Profiles in Science results.



Click on link in the Profiles in Science results.





Features

Gateway's *Features* enhance and/or refine search and display operations. The *Features Bar* is located under the banner.

NLM Gateway A service of the U.S. National Institutes of Health			Your Entrance to Resources from the National Library of Medicine					S	
Home	Term Finder	Limits/Settings	Search Details	History	My Locker		About	Help	FAQ
		hay fever			Search	Clear			

Term Finder

- Use Term Finder to select search terms from the MeSH vocabulary and the Unified Medical Language System (UMLS) metathesaurus.
- Click on **Term Finder** on the Features Bar.

On the initial **Term Finder** screen, type the term you want to find, e.g., **shingles**.

Home	Term Finder	Limits/Settings	Search Details	History	My Locker
			Search	Clear	
Term Find	er				
Find terms,	their definitions, a	nd related terms, using	g NLM's MeSH and UM	LS Metathesa	urus.
Find term	shingles	Go			
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prov		gs (MeSH) is NLM's con ay to retrieve informa			
		anguage System (UML d terms from many so		tains informa	tion about

After clicking on Go, you will see a graphic similar to that on the next page.

	Concept Details	
Note the definition.	varicella-zoster virus (HERP	self-limited, disease believed to represent activation of latent ESVIRUS 3, HUMAN) in those who have been rendered partially ack of chickenpox. It involves the sensory ganglia and their
Click on Related Concepts to see other	areas of innervation and is (characterized by severe neuralgic pain along the distribution of s of clustered vesicles over the area. (From Dorland, 27th ed)
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	With Subheadings: <u>Subhe</u>	ading Definitions
Use the Add to Search		
button and the		🗖 mortality
Connector pull-down	Cerebrospinal fluid	nursing
to add this term to	Chemically induced	🗖 parasitology
your search strategy.	Classification	pathology
5 05	complications	posicion grant pos
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<i>item</i> checkbox to limit	🗖 diagnosis	
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	🗖 drug therapy	□ radiography
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Use the Do not	<pre>ciller, ology</pre>	rehabilitation
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checkbox to turn off		🗖 therapy
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PubMed and NLM	genetics	ultrasonography
Catalog.	history	
	immunology	🗖 veterinary
Click on Subheading	🗆 metabolism	virology
Definitions if you need	🗖 microbiology	No or
to check a subheading		
definition.	MeSH Tree 1	
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Select subheading(s)	Diseases (M	leSH Category)
to attach to your term	Virus Dis	
by clicking on the	DNA	/irus Infections
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eneckbox(s).		Bell Palsy
Note the MeSH		Chickenpox
hierarchical tree		Cytomegalovirus Infections
		Encephalitis, Herpes Simplex
structure(s) where the		Encephalitis, Varicella Zoster
term is found.		Epstein-Barr Virus Infections
		Herpes Simplex
		Herpes Zoster
		Herpes Zoster Ophthalmicus
		Herpes Zoster Oticus
		Zoster Sine Herpete
		Infectious Bovine Rhinotracheitis
		Malignant Catarrh
		Marek Disease
		Pseudorabies
		Roseolovirus Infections
		Sarcoma, Kaposi

- Adjust the 'shingles' search by selecting the subheading **complications**.
- Click on the **Add to Search** button. If there is no term already in the query box, the default connector **AND** will be ignored.

Concept Details					
Herpes Zoster An acute infectious, usually self-limited, disease believed to represent activation of latent varicella-zoster virus (HERPESVIRUS 3, HUMAN) in those who have been rendered partially immune after a previous attack of chickenpox. It involves the sensory ganglia and their areas of innervation and is characterized by severe neuralgic pain along the distribution of the affected nerve and crops of clustered vesicles over the area. (From Dorland, 27th ed)					
Related Concepts View MeSH Info	rmation				
Add to search using Connector:	AND 💽 or Cancel				
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 blood cerebrospinal fluid chemically induced classification complications congenital 	 ☐ mortality ☐ nursing ☐ parasitology ☐ pathology ☐ physiopathology ☐ prevention % control 				

The selected term is entered in the search query box.

Home	Term Finder	Limits/Settings	Search Details	History	My Lo
Herpes Zos	ter/complications	[MESH]	Search	Clear	
Term Find	er				
Find terms,	their definitions, a	and related terms, usir	ng NLM's MeSH and	UMLS Metath	esaurus.
Find term:		Go]		

Use the Enter key or click on the **Search** button to have the Gateway run your search.

Limits/Settings

• Enter your search term in the query box. Click on Limits/Settings on the Features Bar.

Customize your search by using Search Limits:

Limits and Settings						
	Search Limits Results Settings Select Fields Download/Display					
	You may restrict (or limit) your searches by setting the limits below.					
	English Only 🗖					
	Subsets No subsets applied 💌					
	Publication dates (yyyy/mm/dd) from to (default is all dates)					
	Note: A setting entry will be ignored for collections that do not support it.					
	Apply Save Restore Default					

English Only Limit

• Searching all languages is the default.

• Click in the box to select English Only and limit your search to English language items only. *This limit is ignored in the collections in Consumer Health Resources and in the HSDB collection.*

Subsets

- Use the Subsets pulldown menu to select the subset to limit retrieval to particular items.
- You may apply no subsets or one subset.

Search Limi	its Results Sett	ings Select Fi	ields Down	load/Display		
You may r	You may restrict (or limit) your searches by setting the limits below.					
English Only 🗖						
Subsets /	AIDS	•				
Publicati	No subsets applied NIDS	from	to	(default is all dates)		
Note: A s ^H	Bioethics History of Medicine Space Life Science:	ed for collections	ons that do not	support it.		
Apply	•	ore Default				

Publication Date Limit

- Searching all years is the default.
- Use the from/to boxes to limit your search to specific publication dates.
- One publication date or a date range may be searched.
- A publication date or date range may be searched using the format YYYY/MM/DD (e.g., from 1998/02/02 to 2000/12/31). Months and days are optional and will be used only in searching PubMed. All other collections will be searched for the publication year only.

This limit is ignored in Bookshelf, the Consumer Health Resources, and in the HSDB, IRIS, ITER, GENE-TOX, CCRIS, and Profiles in Science collections.

- Click on **Apply** to apply the selections only to your current Gateway session.
- Click on Save to apply the selections to your current and future Gateway sessions.
- Click on **Restore Default** to return settings for the selected Limits/Settings tab to the Gateway default settings.
- Click on **Restore All Settings to Default** to return all settings to the Gateway default settings

To **Save** your settings, you are required to sign in with a User ID and Password. Registration is free.

Sign in Enter your User ID and pa	assword to sign in. Don't have an account yet? Create one now.
	User ID: Password: Use my limits/settings Sign In
	Forgot Password? Change Password
allows you to collect sea	the Locker or to save customized Limits and Settings. The Locker Irch items you select for printing, downloading, or document Settings feature allows you to set personal choices to customize

Gateway displays the verification: User preferences saved.

When you are signed in, use the Sign Out button that now appears on the Features Bar to exit your settings.

Customize your results display by using **Results Settings**:

• Use the **Items per Page** pull-down menu to select the number of items displayed on the Results Display page.

Limits and Settings
Search Limits Results Settings Select Fields Download/Display
Customize the results page size and the results display formats.
Items Per Page 20 💌
Brief Display Format Unlabelled 🔹
Expanded Display Format Unlabelled 💌
Apply Save Restore Default

• Use the "... **Display Format**" pull-down menus to customize the display formats.

Further customize your results display by using Select Fields:

Search Limits Results Settings Select Fields Download/Display
Customize (for each collection) what fields to display in the brief or expanded format. Choose a collection and click on "Go" to customize:
CCRIS: Chemical Carcinogenesis Research Info System 💌 😡
CCRIS: Chemical Carcinogenesis Research Info System 🔺
DART: Developmental and Reproductive Toxicology DIRLINE: Directory of Health Organizations
GENE-TOX: Genetic Toxicology (Mutagenicity)
Genetics Home Reference
HSDB: Hazardous Substances Data Bank HSRProj
IRIS: Integrated Risk Information System ITER: International Toxicity Estimates for Risk
MedlinePlus Current Health News

Select a collection and click Go.

The graphic on this page shows the HSRProj field selection screen.

- The check marks represent the default field selections for the Brief and Expanded display formats.
- Add or remove check marks to customize the formats to display the fields you want to display.

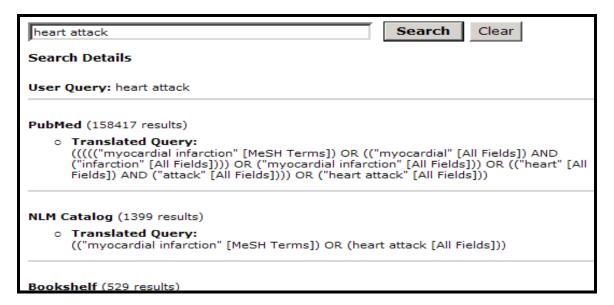
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ustomize Fi	ields For HSR	Proj
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Brief Format	Expanded Format	Field Name
		Abstract
		Award Type
		Country
		Data Source
		Date Completed
		Date Revised
		Email Address
		Entry Date
		Fax Number
		Final Year
		Grant Support
		Initial Year
		Investigator
		Investigator Affiliation
		Investigator Link
		Investigator Phone
		Keywords
		MeSH Terms
		Number of Subjects
		Other ID
		Performing Organization
		Performing Organization Link
		Performing Organization Phone
		Population Base
		Project Status
		State
		Study Design
		Study Population
		Supporting Agency
		Supporting Agency Link
		Supporting Agency Phone
V		Title
		Unique Identifier
		Zip Code

Customize the settings for **Download/Display** and for e-mailing results.

Search Limits Results Settings Select Fields Download/Display
Customize settings for download, display, and for sending results by e-mail.
E-mail Address(es): (Use semicolons (;) to separate addresses)
Add message (optional):
Download as: • Text • HTML Help me choose
Format: • Unlabelled • Labelled • Export Help me choose
Level of Detail: Brief C Expanded C Complete Help me choose
Apply Save Restore Default

Search Details

• Search Details lets you view your search strategy as it was translated using the Gateway's automatic term mapping and search rules and syntax. Click Search Details on the Results Summary page and view the search strategies for all of the collections.



Clicking Search Details on the Results Display page of a collection displays the search strategy for that collection. There is also a link to Details of Search for all of the collections.

• Details of Search can also contain warning and error messages. If a search fails, check Search Details.

History

• Click on **History** on the Features Bar to view your search history.

aspergers syndrome Search Clear						
earch H	istory		Clear Histo	ry		
Search Number	Search	Items Found	Action	5		
#5	Search: aspergers syndrome	6136	View Results	Delete		
#4	Search: fragile x syndrome AND 2006 [dp]	508	View Results	Delete		
#3	Search: heart attack	166559	View Results	Delete		
#2	Search: Herpes Zoster[MESH]	11892	View Results	Delete		
#1	Search: hay fever	12941	View Results	Delete		

- Search strategies and results for as many as the last 25 searches will be displayed.
- Once the maximum number of searches (25) has been reached, Gateway will remove the oldest search from the History to add the most current search.
- You can use the Search Number(s) in a subsequent search. You can build on a search by adding terms (e.g., #1 AND circulation)
- You can also combine searches, using search numbers and Boolean operators (e.g., #1 AND #2).
- Your Search History will be lost when you close your web browser.

My Locker

• **My Locker** is a place to collect selected search items for printing, downloading, e-mailing or ordering.

Marking and putting items in your Locker

- Perform a search and select a collection from the Results Summary.
- In the Results Display, use the check boxes to select items you wish to store in your locker.
- Click on **Put in locker**.

You must Sign in to use the Locker (unless you have already signed in to 'Save' your Limits/Settings). User ID and password is required. Registration is free.

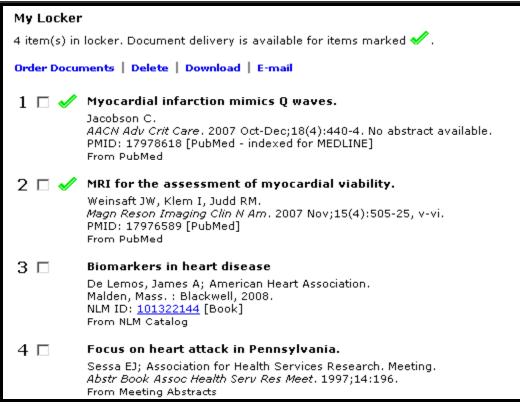
Sign in Enter your User ID and pa	assword to sign in. Don't have an account yet? Create one now.
	User ID: Password: Use my limits/settings Sign In
	Forgot Password? Change Password
allows you to collect sear	ne Locker or to save customized Limits and Settings. The Locker ch items you select for printing, downloading, or document Settings feature allows you to set personal choices to customize

Note: you can elect to **Sign in** using your limits/settings.

• Gateway confirms that the items have been added to your Locker.



• Click on My Locker on the Features Bar to see the contents of your Locker.



Note: the Sign Out button now appears on the Features Bar.

Locker Tips:

- o If an item is already in your locker, it will not be added again.
- o Contents of My Locker are grouped by collection.
- o Gateway functions are available in your locker.
- o Locker items remain until you delete them.
- o There is a limit of 500 items that may be stored in your locker.

<u>N O T E S</u>

Practice Exercises

- 1. Search for information on breast cancer where tamoxifen is the treatment. How many meeting abstracts were retrieved? Select those related to cost-effectiveness and put them in your locker. (You will most likely need to create a User ID and Password) View the contents in your Locker.
- 2. Delete term(s) in search query box.. Search for information about Food Allergies, using the Term Finder feature to find and use the correct MeSH term for your search query.
- 3. Using Gateway's Limits feature, locate information published between 2000 and 2004 on crystal methamphetamine and HIV. Is free full text of a journal article available online for any of the results? From what journal
- 4. Delete term(s) in search query box, uncheck Limits under the query box, and customize the Brief format display for the HSRProj collection. Using the Limits/Settings feature, click on Select Fields tab to customize the Brief format display for HSRProj to include 2 fields: Project Status & Supporting Agency. Then, find the following information:

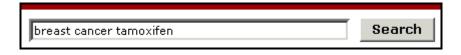
Are there any ongoing health services research projects ('Project Status: Ongoing') on drug abuse treatment outcomes whose 'Supporting Agency' is National Institute on Drug Abuse (NIDA)?

5. Using the History feature, re-search the search query for exercise #2 above, refining it by adding 'AND child.' Review NLM Catalog results.

Suggested Answers

1. Search for articles on breast cancer where tamoxifen is the treatment. How many meeting abstracts were retrieved? Select those related to cost-effectiveness and put them in your locker. (You will most likely need to create a User ID and Password). View the contents in your Locker.

Step 1: Type the search terms in the query box. Use the Enter key or click on the Search button.



Step 2: Display the results for Meetings Abstracts. Select those about cost-effectiveness. Click on **Put in locker**.



Step 3: Sign into your Locker (You will most likely need to create a User ID and Password)

Sign in Enter your User ID and p	assword to sign in. Don't have an account yet? Create one now.
	User ID: Password: Use my limits/settings Sign In Forgot Password? Change Password
allows you to collect sea	the Locker or to save customized Limits and Settings. The Locker rch items you select for printing, downloading, or document Settings feature allows you to set personal choices to customize

Step 4: Note: confirmation of number of items added to the Locker. Click on **My Locker** on the Features Bar to view the contents in your Locker.

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rm	Finder	Limits/Settings	Search Details	History	(My Locker)
	3 items	s were added to loo	cker		\smile
	breast o	cancer tamoxifen		Sea	rch Clear

- 2. Delete term(s) in search query box. Search for information about Food Allergies, using the Term Finder feature to find and use the correct MeSH term for your search query.
- *Step 1:* Delete term(s) in search query box. Click on **Term Finder** on the features bar. Type in the term and click the **Go** button to find the correct MeSH term.

Home Term Finder Limits/Settings Se	arch Details	History	My Locker
	Search	Clear	
Term Finder			
Find terms, their definitions, and related terms, using NLM	's MeSH and UMI	LS Metathesau	urus.
Find term: food allergies Go			
 Medical Subject Headings (MeSH) is NLM's controlle provides a consistent way to retrieve information th same concepts. 			
 NLM's Unified Medical Language System (UMLS) Me biomedical concepts and terms from many sources 		tains informat	ion about

Step 2: Click on **Add to Search** button to add the MeSH term for Food Allergies in your search query.

	kin eruptions, or shock due to allergic reactions to allergens in food
Add to search using Co Main point of item Do not explode this term	nnector: AND • or Cancel
With Subheadings: <u>Subheadin</u>	a Definitions
□ blood □ cerebrospinal fluid □ classification	mortality

Step 3: Click on Search next to the search query box to run your search.

Home	Term Finder	Limits/Settings	Search Details		History
Food Hype	rsensitivity[MESH]			Search	Clear
Term Find	er				

3. Using Gateway's Limits feature, locate information published between 2000 and 2004 on crystal methamphetamine and HIV. Is free full text of a journal article available online for any of the results? From what journal(s)?

Step 1: Type the search terms in the query box. Click on **Limits/Settings** on the features bar. On Search Limits tab, add Publication Dates: [from] 2000 [to] 2004. Click on **Apply** to apply the Limit to the current session. Click on **Search** next to the search query box.

	Home	Term Finder	Limits/Settings	Search Details	History	My Locke
S	ettings a	applied to curre	nt session			
c	rystal me	thamphetamine A	ND HIV	Search	Clear	
	🗸 Limit	ts: 2000-2004				
Li	mits and	l Settings				
	Search	Limits Resul	ts Settings Select	Fields Download	/Display	
	You n	nay restrict (or lin	nit) your searches by se	etting the limits below		
	E l'a	sh Only 🗖				
	-					
	Subse	ets No subsets ap	plied 💌			
	Public	ation dates (yyyy	/mm/dd) from 2000	to 2004 (default is all d	ates)
	Nata	A patting pater wil	l be ignored for collectio	and that do not support		
	Note:	A setting entry wi	r be ignored for collectio	ins that do not suppor	c ic.	
	Appl	Save	Restore Default			
Re	store A	ll Settings to De	fault			

Step 2.: Display the results for MEDLINE/PubMed. Note link(s) to Free full text. Note journal's Title Abbreviation.



4. Delete term(s) in search query box, uncheck Limits under the query box, and customize the Brief format display for the HSRProj collection. Using the Limits/Settings feature, click on Select Fields tab to customize the Brief format display for HSRProj to include 2 fields: Project Status & Supporting Agency.

Then, find the following information:

Are there any ongoing health services research projects ('Project Status: Ongoing') on drug abuse treatment outcomes whose 'Supporting Agency' is National Institute on Drug Abuse (NIDA)?

Step 1: Delete term(s) in search query box and uncheck Limits under the query box. Click on Limits/Settings on the features bar directly. Go to the Select Fields tab. Select HSRProj from the pull-down menu and click on Go.

Search Limits Results Settings Select Fields Download/Display	
Customize (for each collection) what fields to display in the brief or expanded format. Choose a collection and click on "Go" to customize:	
CCRIS: Chemical Carcinogenesis Research Info System 💌 😡	
CCRIS: Chemical Carcinogenesis Research Info System	
ClinicalTrials.gov DART: Developmental and Reproductive Toxicology DIRLINE: Directory of Health Organizations GENE-TOX: Genetic Toxicology (Mutagenicity) Genetics Home Reference HSDB: Hazardous Substances Data Bank	
HSRProj	
IRIS: Integrated Risk Information System ITER: International Toxicity Estimates for Risk MedlinePlus Current Health News	

Step 2: Add the 2 fields to the **Brief Format**, <u>Project Status</u> and <u>Supporting Agency</u>. Click on **Apply**.

			Performing Organization Phone		
		•	Population Base		
	>	•	Project Status		
		•	State		
		•	Study Design		
		•	Study Population		
	V	•	Supporting Agency		
		•	Supporting Agency Link		
			Supporting Agency Phone		
	V	•	Title		
		•	Unique Identifier		
			Zip Code		
Apply Save Restore Default					

Step 3: Type the search terms in the query box. Use the Enter key or click on the Search button.



Step 4: View HSRProj results. Note items which have

'Supporting Agency: National Institute on Drug Abuse (NIDA)' 'Project Status: Ongoing'



5. Using the History feature, re-search the search query for exercise #2, refining it by adding 'AND child.' Are there any items in the NLM Catalog related specifically to toddlers?

Step 1: Click on **History** on the features bar. Enter **#2** in the search query box. Add **AND** child to the query. Use the Enter key or click on the **Search** button.

Home	Term Finder Limits/Settings Search Details	Histor	y My Locker					
#2 AND child Clear								
Search H	istory							
		Cl	ear History					
Search Number	Search	Items Found	Actions					
#5	Search: drug abuse treatment outcomes NIDA	2389	View Results Delete					
#4	Search: crystal methamphetamine AND HIV Limit: 2000:2004	158	View Results Delete					
#3	Search: crystal methamphetamine AND HIV	411	View Results Delete					
#2	Search: Food Hypersensitivity[MESH]	13118	View Results Delete					
#1	Search: breast cancer tamoxifen	12389	View Results Delete					
 To build on a search, enter its search number preceded by the pound sign (#) in the search box. Then add additional terms after the search number (e.g., #1 AND macular degeneration). 								

Step 2: Display the results for NLM Catalog.

(Food Hypersensitivity [MeSH]) AND child Clear
NLM Catalog Results (Items 1-20 of 36)
Prev Page 1 of 2 Next E-mail Download Put in locker
Clear check marks
1 Sabrina's law Lank/Beach Productions Inc.; National Film Board of Canada. [Montréal, Québec] : National Film Board of Canada, c2008. NLM ID: <u>101478944</u> [Videorecording]
2 □ Food allergies : new research Chesterton, Carrie M, 1959- New York : Nova Science Publishers, c2008. NLM ID: <u>101478846</u> [Book]
3 □ Nutrition support for infants and children at risk Cooke, Richard J; Vandenplas, Yvan; Wahn, U (Ulrich); Nestlé Nutrition Workshop, (59th : 2006 : Berlin, Germany); Nestlé Nutrition Institute. Basel ; New York : Karger ; Vevey : Nestlé Institute, c2007. NLM ID: <u>101290179</u> [Book]
4 ☐ Childhood health issues 1 Ford-Jones, Elizabeth L; Chip Taylor Communications. Derry, NH : Chip Taylor Communications, 2005. NLM ID: <u>101247545</u> [Videorecording]

<u>N O T E S</u>



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- Click on **Home** to return to the home page of ClinicalTrials.gov.
- Search returns to the Basic Search query page.
- Use **Study Topics** to view studies in four main categories of Conditions, Drug Interventions, Sponsors, and Locations (discussed later in this workbook).
- Use **Glossary** to become familiar with many of the common terms used in clinical trials.

The Footnote



- Click U.S. National Library of Medicine to reach NLM's home page.
- Click Contact Help Desk to send a customer service inquiry.
- Click U.S. National Institutes of Health to reach its home page.
- Click U.S. Department of Health & Human Services to reach its home page.
- Click **USA.gov** to reach its home page.
- Click **Copyright** to reach NLM's copyright information.
- Click **Privacy** to reach NLM's privacy policy.
- Click Accessibility to reach NLM's accessibility statement.
- Click **Freedom of Information Act** (FOIA) to reach the NIH FOIA Office home page.

ClinicalTrials.gov Home Page



Resources

Helpful information for patients and families

- Understanding Clinical Trials in a question/answer format
- What's New to view the most recently added trials
- Glossary to become familiar with the most common terms used in clinical trials

Investigator Instructions

• Links to the system for investigators/sponsors to register trials in ClinicalTrials.gov

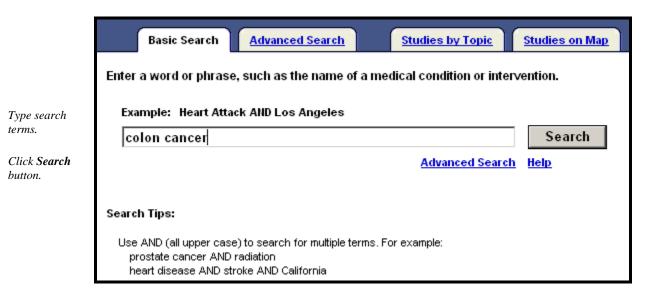
Background Information

- Resources links also included here
- Links to Help; Glossary; and other consumer health-oriented resources

Search for Clinical Trials

Basic Search

• Use **Basic Search** query box to find information broadly.





Some misspelled words can be recognized and suggestions are provided through the automatic spell check feature.

Working with Results

- Results of your search are displayed under the List Results tab.
- The current status of the trial (e.g., recruiting), title, condition(s), and interventions are shown for each clinical trial.



The display default is for *all* trials. Click on the **Hide studies which are not seeking new volunteers** link to narrow your results to only studies recruiting new volunteers (see example on next page).

List Results (partial display):

List Results	Refine Se	arch Results by T	opic Results on Map	Search Details				
Found 994 studies with search of: colon cancer								
Hide studies whi	ich are not seel	king new volunteers.		Display Options				
1 Recruiting	Resveratrol fo	r Patients With Colon Cance	er					
	Condition:	Colon Cancer						
	Intervention:	Drug: Resveratrol						
2 Recruiting	Prognostic Mo	lecular and Environmental	Factors in High-Risk Colon	Cancer Patients				
	Condition:	Colon Cancer						
	Intervention:	Behavioral: Questionnaire						
3 Recruiting	Frequency of (Circulating Tumour Cells in S	Stage II and Stage III Colon	Cancer Patients				
	Condition:	Colon Cancer						
	Intervention: Procedure: Cell Search Assay							
4 Recruiting			a Predictor of Toxicity to C	Capecitabine Chemotherapy in Colon				
	Cancer Treatn							
	Condition:	Colon Cancer						
	Intervention:							
5 Active, not	A Study of Pali	fermin for the Reduction of	Oral Mucositis in Subjects	With Stage 2B or 3 Locally Advanced,				
recruiting	Colon Cancer							
	Condition:	Colon Cancer						
	Intervention:	Drug: palifermin						

Click on the clinical trial title to see the full text view that may include:

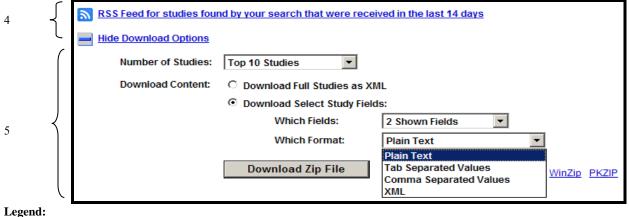
- Brief Title
- Name of Sponsoring Institute
- Purpose
- Name of Disease or Condition
- Name of the Treatment or Intervention
- Phase
- Links to related MedlinePlus and Genetics Home Reference topics
- Study Type and Design

- Official Title
- Detailed Description
- Eligibility Information
- Dates of the study
- Location and Contact Information
- More Information Supplied by Sponsoring Organization
- References
- Results Data

See next page for a partial view of a fuller record.

Full Text View (partial display):								
1	Study 2 of 1404 for	search of: colon c	ancer					
	Previous Study Return	to Search Results	Next Study					
2 Full Text View	Tabular View No Study	Results Posted	Related Studies					
	Resveratrol for Pat	tients With <mark>Colon</mark>	Cancer					
	This study is currer Verified by University of	ntly recruiting partici California, Irvine, Janua						
First R	eceived: November 17, 2005 Las	st Updated: January 2, 2	2009 History of Changes					
	Sponsors and Collaborators:	University of Califo University of Californi						
	Information provided by:	University of Californi	a, Irvine					
	ClinicalTrials.gov Identifier:	NCT00256334						
Purpose								
Resveratrol is purport action are not well der	ed to possess <mark>cancer</mark> preventive fined.	activity, especially for <mark>co</mark>	<mark>olon cancer</mark> , though its mechan	isms of				
Resveratrol is found i The main dietary sour report and compelling	Resveratrol is found in the skin of grapes and has anti-oxidative and pro-apoptotic effects on cancer cell lines in vitro. The main dietary sources of resveratrol are grapes, grape products, red wine and small amounts in mulberries. A prior report and compelling preliminary data from our laboratory suggest that resveratrol modulates Wht signaling, a signaling pathway which is activated in over 85% of colon cancers . In this proposal, studies will be performed to define							
Legend:		14 1						
I Navigational area	1 Navigational areaUse the Next Study or Previous Study or arrows to navigate through your retrieval. Use Return to Search Results to get back to your full retrieval in the short format.							
2 Tabs	Tabular View : displays the full record in a tabular/table format Study Results : As of September 24, 2008 summary results information from completedstudies is displayed							
 Related Studies: method to find related studies by searching for the conditions, interventions, and sponsors found in that specific clinical trial Bearched terms are highlighted in a pale pink. Synonyms of those terms are highlighted in a pale yellow. 								

At the bottom of the List Results brief display page there are options for an RSS Feed and download options:

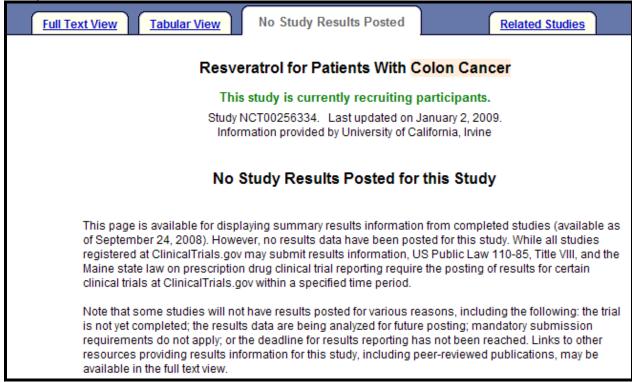


4 RSS Feed 5 Download Options Set up an **RSS Feed** for studies received in the last 14 days for a particular search. Click Download Options to select options to download studies to a zip file.

Tabular View (partial display):								
Full Text View	Tabular View No Study Results Posted Related Studies							
Resveratrol for Patients With Colon Cancer								
	This study is currently recruiting participants.							
	tudy NCT00256334 Information provided by University of California, Irvine ceived: November 17, 2005 Last Updated: January 2, 2009 <u>History of Changes</u>							
This Tabular	r View shows the required WHO registration data elements as marked by †							
Tracking Information								
First Received Date †	November 17, 2005							
Last Updated Date	January 2, 2009							
Start Date † July 2005								
Current Primary Outcome Measures † (submitted: November 18, 2005)	Test the hypothesis that resveratrol modulates Wnt signaling in vivo in <mark>colon cancer</mark> and normal colonic mucosa [Time Frame: 3 years] [Designated as safety issue: No]							

Study Results:

T 7.





Search NCT00440011 to see Study Results. See below (partial display):

Full Text View	Tabular \	<mark>/iew</mark> S	tudy Results	Related Studies			
Bimatopro	Bimatoprost 0.03% Versus Travoprost 0.004% in Patients Currently on Latanoprost 0.005%						
	This study has been completed.						
	Study NCT00440011. Last updated on October 7, 2008. Information provided by Allergan						
	Study Type: Interventional						
	Study Desi	ign: Randon	nized, Single E	Blind (Investigator), Active Control, Parallel Assignment			
	Conditio	ons: Glaucor Ocular H	ma Hypertension				
	Interventio		imatoprost 0.0 avoprost 0.004	13% eye drops 1% eye drops			
Participant Flor Recruitment Deta	ails						
Key information locations	relevant to t	he recruitmei	nt process for	r the overall study, such as dates of the recruitment period and			
No text entered.							
Pre-Assignment	Details						
Significant even	nts and appro	aches for the	overall study	following participant enrollment, but prior to group assignment			
No text entered.							
Reporting Groups	S						
C)escription						
Bimatoprost b	oimatoprost 0.	03% 1 drop n	ightly for 3 mo	nths			
Travoprost tr	ravoprost 0.00)4% 1 drop nig	ghtly for 3 mon	nths			
Participant Flow:	Overall Stud	dy					
	E	Bimatoprost	Travoprost				
STARTED		131	135				
COMPLETED		127	132				
NOT COMPLETE	ED	4	3				
Adverse Eve	ent	2	0				
Lost to Follo	w-up	0	2				
Protocol Vio	lation	0	1				
Withdrawal	by Subject	1	0				
Other		1	0				

Related Studies (part	tial display):		
Full Text View	Tabular View	No Study Results Posted	Related Studies
	Resver	ratrol for Patients With	Colon Cancer
	This	study is currently recruitin	g participants.
		CT00256334. Last updated o nation provided by University of	
Related Studies can be	e found by search	ing for the Conditions, Interve	ntions, and Sponsors found in this study:
Conditions listed in Colon Cancer			
Additional conditional conditi	-	this trial	
Digestive Syst Gastrointestin	ases oplasms tem Diseases tem Neoplasms nal Diseases nal Neoplasms eases oplasms	his trial	
Interventions liste Resveratrol	d in this trial		

Display Options Menu



To customize your display, on the **List Results** page of your search retrieval, click on the Display Options icon or link. Then, check the fields you want to display. Note the fields are added/deleted as you click in the field.

Display Options - choose fields to display below:							
Condition	Intervention	🗌 Sponsor	🗖 Age Group				
🗌 Phase	🗌 Size	🗌 Funded By	🗌 Study Type				
🗌 Study Design	🗆 NCT Id	🗌 Other Ids	🗌 First Received				
🗌 Start Date	Completion Date	🗌 Last Updated	🗌 Last Verified				

To hide the Display Options, click on the Hide Display Options icon or link:



Advanced Search

- From the Basic Search page, click on the Advanced Search link or tab.
- Use this page to conduct a more structured and targeted search.
- The labels to the left of each box are links to further information about each field.
- It is not necessary to fill in all the fields.

Basic Search	Advanced Search Studies by	Topic Stu	udies on Map				
Fill in any or all of the fields below.							
Click on a label to the left for further explanation or read the <u>Help</u> .							
Search Terms:							
Recruitment:	Open Studies 💌		Search				
Study Results:	All Studies 🔹		Basic Search				
Study Type:	All Studies		Help				
Targeted Search: Conditions:	crohn's disease						
Interventions:							
Sponsors:			Exact				
Study IDs:			l				
Locations: 1. <u>State</u> : <u>Country</u> :	United States, California		When selecting more than 1 location, they will be ORed together.				
2. <u>State</u> : Constant	United States, Nevada 💌						
3. State:	Optional]					
Country:	Optional	-					
Location Terms:			Use this box to search for a specific city or				
Additional Criteria:			facility name.				
Age Group:	□ Child (birth-17) □ Adult (18-65) □ Senior (66+)						
Phase:	□ Phase I □ Phase II □ Phase III □ Phase IV						
Funded By:	NIH Other U.S. Federal Agence Industry University/Organization	ε y					
First Received:	From To (MM/DD/YYYY)					
Last Updated:	From To (MM/DD/YYYY)					
	Search Basic Search Help						

Studies by Topic

• Easy way to search by selecting options from lists.

Example: Click on Conditions by Category

Basic Search	Advanced Search	Studies by Topic	Studies on Map
Categorize All Studies in	n ClinicalTrials.gov		
Select a Main Categor Conditions Alphabetic (A-Z) By Category Drug Interventions Alphabetic (A-Z) By Category Sponsors Alphabetic (A-Z) By Category Locations Alphabetic (A-Z) By Region	y Rare Diseases <u>Alphabetic (A-Z)</u> Dietary Supplements <u>Alphabetic (A-Z)</u> <u>By Category</u>	Select a Main Category	
Basic Search Categorize All Studies i	Advanced Search	Studies by Topic	Studies on Map
Main Category: Condition			
Click on a link to list con alphabetical listing of c	nditions in each category. If you ar	e unsure of the category, try th	e
Bacterial and Fungal I Behaviors and Mental Blood and Lymph Con Cancers and Other Ne Digestive System Dise	Disorders aditions eoplasms		
Diseases and Abnom Ear, Nose, and Throat Eve Diseases Gland and Hormone F Heart and Blood Dise Immune System Dise	nalities at or before Birth Diseases Related Diseases ases ases and Occupational Conditions ases	Select a Condition.	
Nervous System Dise Nutritional and Metabo Parasitic Diseases Respiratory Tract (Lun Skin and Connective T Symptoms and Gener	ases blic Diseases q and Bronchial) Diseases Tissue Diseases	2	

Basic Search Advanced Search	Studies by Topic	Studies on Map
Categorize All Studies in ClinicalTrials.gov		
Main Category: Conditions By Category		
Condition Category: Mouth and Tooth Diseases		
Search for Condition		
Click on a link to search for the Condition. Use the bac	k button to return to this page	to try another Condition.
Alveolar Bone Loss 6 studies Anodontia 2 studies Basal Cell Nevus Syndrome 8 studies Behcet Syndrome 10 studies Bell Palsy 5 studies Bruxism 1 study Burning Mouth Syndrome 6 studies Candidiasis, Oral 30 studies Cheilitis 1 study Cleft Lip 13 studies Cleft Palate 20 studies Craniomandibular Disorders 17 studies Dental Calculus 2 studies Dental Caries 44 studies Dental Occlusion, Traumatic 1 study Dental Plaque 17 studies Dental Pulp Diseases 9 studies Dental Pulp Diseases 9 studies	Refine the Condition.	

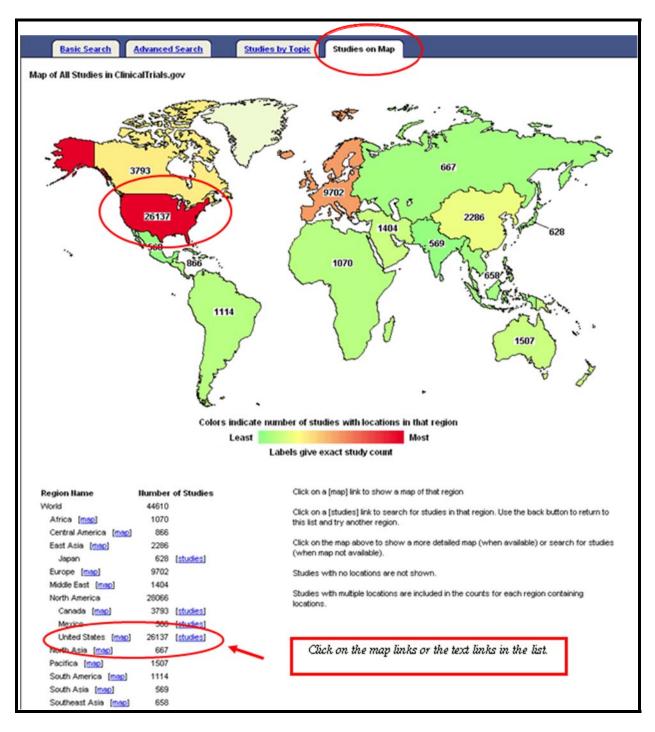
List Results for "Cleft Palate" studies (partial display):

	List Results	Refine Search Results by Topic Results on Map	Search Details
		with search of: "Cleft Palate"	Display Options
Rank	Status	Study	
1	Recruiting	Middle Ear Pressure Disregulation in Cleft Palate Patients Condition: Cleft Palate Intervention:	
2	Recruiting	An Investigation for the Optimal Timing of a Cleft Palate Repair Condition: Cleft Palate Interventions: Procedure: Palatoplasty; Procedure: Palatoplasty	
3	Active, not recruiting	Retrospective Study on the Outcome of Cleft Palate Repair: Comparing US Surgical and Ett Condition: Cleft Palate Intervention:	hicon Suture Materials

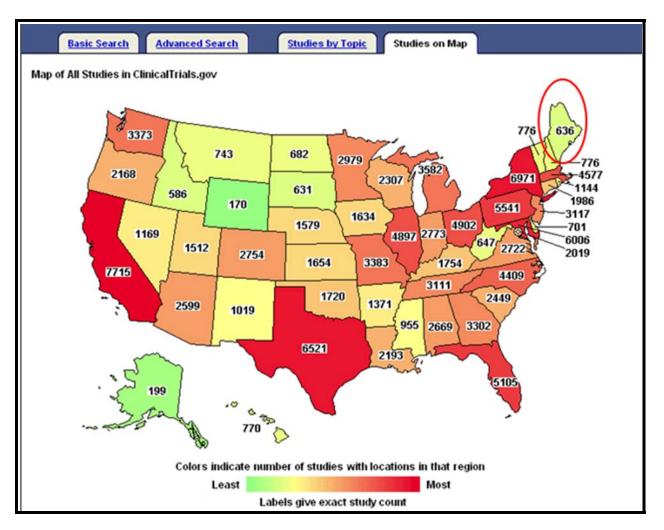
Studies on Map

• Easy way to search for clinical trials by location.

Example: Click on United States.



Click on the state of Maine:



Partial display of retrieval:

	List Results	Refine Search Results by Topic Results on Map Search Details	
4	Found 655 stud	dies with search of: United States, Maine	
	Hide studies whi	ich are not seeking new volunteers.	
	1 Active, not recruiting	JUPITER – Crestor 20mg Versus Placebo in Prevention of CV Events Condition: Hypercholesterolemia Intervention: Drug: Rosuvastatin	
	2 Recruiting	Hormone Therapy With or Without Combination Chemotherapy in Treating Women Who Have Undergone Surgery for Node-Negative Breast Cancer (The TAILORx Trial) Condition: Breast Cancer Interventions: Drug: anastrozole; Drug: exemestane; Drug: letrozole; Drug: tamoxifen citrate; Procedure: adjuvant therapy; Procedure: antiestrogen therapy; Procedure: aromatase inhibition; Procedure: biological markers; Procedure: chemotherapy; Procedure: cytogenetic analysis; Procedure: diagnostic test; Procedure: endocrine therapy; Procedure: hormone therapy; Procedure: radiation therapy	•

Refining your Search

Example: Start with a search for lymphoma from the Basic Search page:

Basic Search	Advanced Search	Studies by Topic	Studies on Map
Enter a word or phr	ase, such as the name	of a medical condition	or intervention.
Example: Heart At	ttack AND Los Angeles		
lymphoma			Search
		Advanced Search	<u>Help</u>

• Use the various tabs from the **List Results** to refine or further limit your search:

List Results	Refine Search Results by Topic Results on Map Search Details
Found 2108 stu	udies with search of: lymphoma
Hide studies whi	ich are not seeking new volunteers. 🚽 Display Options
1 Recruiting	17-AAG in Treating Patients With Relapsed or Refractory Anaplastic Large Cell Lymphoma, Mantle Cell Lymphoma, or Hodgkin's Lymphoma Condition: Lymphoma Interventions: Drug: tanespimycin; Procedure: chemotherapy
2 Completed	A Safety and Effectiveness Study of Vaccine Therapy in Patients With Indolent Lymphoma Conditions: Lymphoma, Follicular; Lymphoma, Small Lymphocytic Intervention: Drug: autologous human tumor-derived HSPPC-96
3 Recruiting	R-CHOP Vs. R-FC Followed by Interfer on Maintenance Vs. Rituximab Maintenance in Mantle Cell Lymphoma Condition: Lymphoma, Mantle-Cell Interventions: Drug: Rituximab; Drug: Cyclophosphamide; Drug: Doxorubicin; Drug: Vincristine; Drug: Prednisone; Drug: Fludarabine; Drug: Interferon-alpha; Drug: pegylated formula Interferon-alpha 2b; Procedure: chemotherapy: R-CHOP; Procedure: chemotherapy: R-FC; Procedure: Interferon maintenance; Procedure: Rituximab maintenance
4 Recruiting	Non-Randomized Safety Study With Bortezomib:Rituximab in Relapsed:Refractory Indolent Lymphoma Conditions: Lymphoma; Non-Hodgkin Lymphoma Interventions: Drug: Rituximab; Drug: VELCADE

Refine Search

List Results	Refine Search Results by Topic Results on I	Map		Search Details
Refine your search	here or Start Over.			Expert Search
	h with any or all of the fields below. current results by adding more search terms.	_ [Lympi	homa is retained as the search term.
Search Terms:				Search
Study Results:	Open Studies			Help
	All Studies 💽			When you are done making
Targeted Search:				changes, click Search to show new results
Conditions:				
Interventions:				
Sponsors:			Exact	
Study IDs:				
Locations:				
1. State:	Optional			
Country:	Optional			
2. State:	Optional			
Country:	Optional			
3. <u>State</u> :	Optional			
Country:	Optional			
Location Terms:				
Additional Criteria:				
	Child (birth-17)			
Age Group:	Adult (18-65)			
	Senior (66+)			
Phase:	Phase I Phase I Phase I Phase I			
Funded By:	NIFI Other U.S. Federal Agency Industry University/Organization			
First Received:	From To (MM/DD/YYYY)			
Last Updated:	From To (MM/DD/YYYY)			



Notice that the Refine Search page is the Advanced Search page with your previous search criteria retained for your convenience.

Results of Refine Search (partial display):

	List Resu	Its Refine Search Results by Topic Results on Map Search Details
Fou	und 107 studi	ies with search of: Iymphoma Open Studies Adult Phase III
Inclu	ude studies tr	hat are not seeking new volunteers.
Ran	k Status	Study
1	Recruiting	Immunotherapy in Peripheral T Cell Lymphoma - the Role of Alemtuzumab in Addition to Dose Dense CHOP Conditions: Peripheral T Cell Lymphoma, Unspecified; Angloimmunoblastic Lymphadenopathy; AlL Type Lymphoma; Anaplastic Large Cell Lymphoma, ALK Negative; Extranodal NK/T- Cell Lymphoma Interventions: Biological: alemtuzumab; Drug; chemotherapy
2	Recruiting	Rituximab After Induction Chemotherapy (R-CHOP Vs. R-FC) Followed by Interferon Maintenance Versus Rituximab Maintenance in Mantle Cell Lymphoma Condition: Lymphoma, Mantle-Cell Interventions: Drug: Rituximab; Drug: Cyclophosphamide; Drug: Doxorubicin; Drug: Vincristine; Drug: Prednisone; Drug: Fludarabine; Drug: Interferon-alpha; Drug: pegylated formula Interferon-alpha 2b; Procedure: chemotherapy: R-CHOP; Procedure: chemotherapy; R-FC; Procedure: Interferon maintenance; Procedure: Rituximab maintenance
3	Recruiting	First-Line R-CVP vs R-CHOP Induction Immunochemotherapy for Indolent Lymphoma and R Maintenance. Conditions: Follicular Lymphoma; Marginal Zone Lymphoma; Small Lymphocytic Lymphoma; Lymphoplasmacytic Lymphoma Interventions: Drug: Rituximab, Cyclophosphamide, Vincristine, Prednisone; Drug: Rituximab, Cyclophosphamid, Doxorubicin, Vincristine, Prednisone
4	Recruiting	Randomized Trial of Chlorambucil Versus Chlorambucil Plus Rituximab in MALT Lymphoma Condition: Lymphoma, Mucosa-Associated Lymphoid Tissue Interventions: Drug: rituximab (drug); Drug: chlorambucil (drug)

Results by Topic

• Narrow your results by selecting specific topical categories.

Example: Use Results by Topic to narrow your original retrieval by Drug Intervention:

List Results	Refine Search Results by Topic Results on Map
Categorize 107 studies	found by search of: lymphoma Open Studies Adult Phase III
Select a Main Catego	ory
	to those in the 107 studies found by your search. ilable for all studies in ClinicalTrials.gov
Conditions Alphabetic (A-Z) By Category	Rare Diseases Alphabetic (A-Z)
Sponsors Alphabetic (A-Z) By Category Sponsors Alphabetic (A-Z) By Category	Dietary Supplements Alphabetic (A-Z) By Category
Locations Alphabetic (A-Z) By Region	

Then limit to **Antineoplastic Agents**:

List Results Refine Search Results by Topic Results on Map
Categorize 107 studies found by search of: lymphoma Open Studies Adult Phase III
Main Category: Drug Interventions By Category
Select a Drug Intervention Category
Click on a link to list drug interventions in each category. If you are unsure of the category, try the alphabetical listing of drug interventions
Categories are limited to those in the 107 studies found by your search. Similar listings are available for all studies in ClinicalTrials.gov
Analgesics, Non-Narcotic
Anti-Infective Agents Anti-Inflammatory Agents
Antineoplastic Agents Anticheumatic Agents
Blood Substitutes Bone Density Conservation Agents
Central Nervous System Depressants Channel Blockers
Gastrointestinal Agents
Hematinics Hypoglycemic Agents
Micronutrients Psychotropic Drugs
Reproductive Control Agents

Next you reach a page with an alphabetic list of Antineoplastic Agents to choose from (partial display):

Let's choose Cyclophosphamide:

Results of search (partial display):

		es with search of: Iymphoma Open Studies "Cyclophosphamide" Adult Phase III
Rank	Status	Study
1 1	Recruiting	Study of the Combination of Rituximab, Cyclophosphamide, Doxorubicin, VELCADE, and Prednisone or Rituximab, Cyclophosphamide, Doxorubicin, Vincristine, and Prednisone in Patients With Newly Diagnosed Mantle Cell Lymphoma Condition: Mantle Cell Lymphoma Interventions: Drug: Rituximab, Cyclophosphamide, Doxorubicin, VELCADE, and Prednisone; Drug: Rituximab, Cyclophosphamide, Doxorubicin, VELCADE, and Prednisone; Drug: Rituximab, Cyclophosphamide, Doxorubicin, Velcade, and Prednisone;
2 1	Recruiting	Efficacy of Rituximab - Cyclophosphamide, Doxorubicin, Vincristine, and Prednisone (R-CHOP) Versus R-CHOP/R- DHAP in Patients With Untreated Mantle Cell Lymphoma Condition: Lymphoma, Mantle-Cell Interventions: Drug: Rituximab; Drug: Cyclophosphamide; Drug: Doxorubicin; Drug: Vincristine; Drug: Prednisone; Drug: Cisplatinum; Drug: Ara-C; Drug: Dexamethasone; Drug: BCNU; Drug: Melphalan; Drug: Etoposide; Drug: G-CSF; Procedure: chemotherapy; R-CHOP; Procedure: chemotherapy; R-DHAP; Procedure: chemotherapy: Dexa-BEAM; Procedure: stem cell harvest; Procedure: total body irradiation; Procedure: high-dose chemotherapy: Cyclophosphamide; Procedure: high-dose chemotherapy: Ara-C Melphalan

Example: Use Results by Topic to narrow retrieval to a specific location - Connecticut

List Results	Refine Search Results by Topic Results on Map Search Details
Categorize 35 studies for	ound by search of: lymphoma Open Studies "Cyclophosphamide" Adult Phase III
Select a Main Catego	жу
	to those in the 35 studies found by your search. ilable for all studies in ClinicalTrials.gov
Conditions Alphabetic (A-Z) By Category	Rare Diseases Alphabetic (A-Z)
Drug Interventions Alphabetic (A-Z) By Category	Dietary Supplements <u>Alphabetic (A-Z)</u> <u>By Category</u>
Sponsors Alphabetic (A-Z) By Category	
Alphabetic (A-Z) By Region	

List Results Refine Search Results by Topic Results on Map	Search Details					
Categorize 35 studies found by search of: lymphoma Open Studies "Cyclophosphamide" Adult Phase III						
Main Category: Locations By Region						
Select a Location Region						
Click on a link to list locations in each region. If you are unsure of the region, try the alphabetical listing of locations						
Categories are limited to those in the 35 studies found by your search. Similar listings are available for all studies in ClinicalTrials.gov						
Central America East Asia						
Europe Middle Eest						
North America Pacifica						

Next, is a listing of states (partial display):

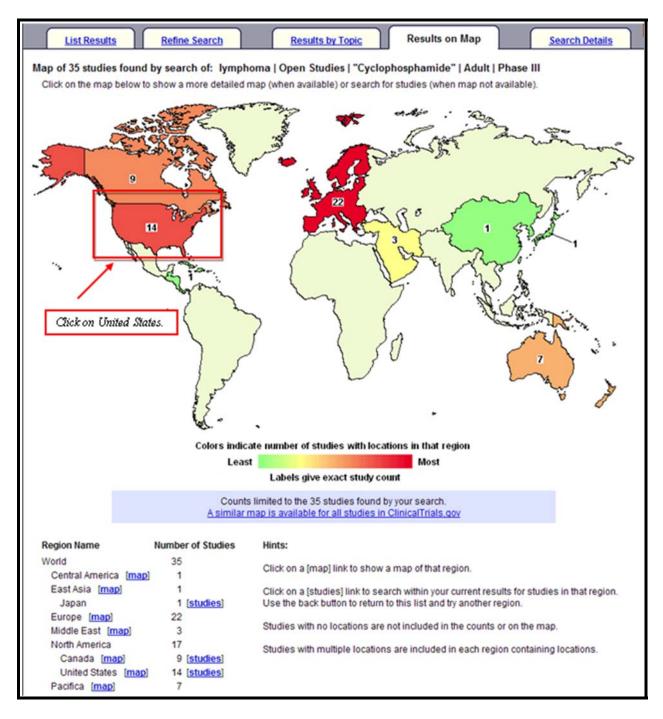
in Category: Locations By Region		
ocation Region: North America		
Search for Location		
Click on a link to search for the Location. U	the back button to return to this	page to try another Location.
Counts are limited to those studies found t	your search. <u>Similar listings are</u>	available for all studies in ClinicalTrials.gov
Canada 9 studies Canada, Alberta 5 studies Canada, British Columbia 6 studies Canada, Manitoba 6 studies Canada, Mew Brunswick 2 studies Canada, New Brunswick 2 studies Canada, Ouebec 7 studies Canada, Quebec 7 studies United States, Alabama 4 studies United States, Alabama 4 studies United States, Arkansas 4 studies United States, Colorado, 6 studies United States, Colorado, 6 studies United States, Delaware, 4 studies United States, District of Columbia 5 s	•	

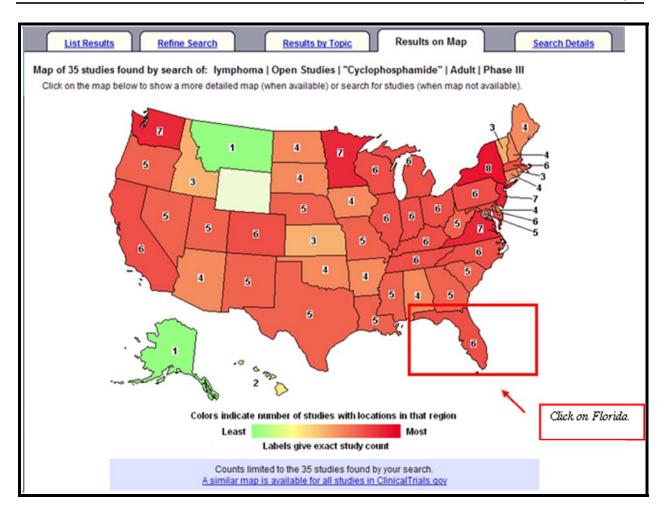
List Results (partial display):

	List Res	ults Refine Se	arch	Results by Topic	Results on Map	Search Details
Four	nd 4 studie		nphoma Ope ase III	n Studies "Cyclopho	sphamide" United Sta	tes, Connecticut Adult
Inclu	de studies t	hat are not seeking nev	volunteers.			Display Options
Rank	Status	Study				
1	Recruiting	Rituximab and Combin Condition: Interventions:	Lymphoma Biological: filgra	astim; Biological: rituxim	ab; Drug: cyclophospham	II Non-Hodqkin's Lymphoma nide; one; Drug: vincristine sulfate
2	Recruiting	Chemotherapy With or Diagnosed Hodgkin's I Condition: Interventions:	<u>bisease</u> Lymphoma Biological: bleo Drug: cytarabin	mycin; Biological: filgras e; Drug: dexamethasone	stim; Drug: cisplatin; Dru	chloride; Drug: etoposide;

Results on Map

Click geographic region to get fuller information.





List Results (partial display):

	List Res	ults Refine Search Results by Topic Results on Map Search Details
Foun	nd 6 studie	s with search of: Iymphoma Open Studies "Cyclophosphamide" United States, Florida Adult Phase III
Includ	de studies t	hat are not seeking new volunteers, Display Options
Rank	Status	Study
1	Recruiting	Rituximab and Combination Chemotherapy in Treating Patients With Diffuse Large B-Cell Non-Hodgkin's Lymphoma Condition: Lymphoma Interventions: Biological: filgrastim; Biological: rituximab; Drug: cyclophosphamide; Drug: doxorubicin hydrochloride; Drug: etoposide; Drug: prednisone; Drug: vincristine sulfate
2	Recruiting	Chemotherapy With or Without Additional Chemotherapy and/or Radiation Therapy in Treating Children With Newly Diagnosed Hodgkin's Disease Condition: Lymphoma Interventions: Biological: bleomycin; Biological: filgrastim; Drug: cisplatin; Drug: cyclophosphamide; Drug: cytarabine; Drug: dexamethasone; Drug: doxorubicin hydrochloride; Drug: etoposide; Drug: prednisone; Drug: vincristine sulfate; Radiation: radiation therapy

ClinicalTrials.gov Identifier Number & PubMed

- In July 2005 NLM began including the ClinicalTrials.gov identifier number in MEDLINE records, when the article is devoted solely and entirely to announcing or reporting the results of the clinical trial.
- The data displays in the Secondary Source ID field [SI] in the Citation and MEDLINE display formats. For additional information, see the May-June 2005 *NLM Technical Bulletin* article at <u>http://www.nlm.nih.gov/pubs/techbull/mj05/mj05_ct.html</u>.
- Use *clinicaltrials.gov [si]* in PubMed to retrieve these citations.

□ 1: <u>Diabetes Care.</u> 2007 Sep;30(9):2236-7. Epub 2007 Jun 11.
Full Text Diabetes Care
Effect of cinnamon on glucose and lipid levels in non insulin-dependent type 2 diabetes.
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Practice Exercises

- 1. Are there any clinical trials studying acupuncture? From the List Results page, hide the studies that are not seeking new volunteers.
- 2. Find Phase III clinical trials for bladder cancer for an adult living in Texas who wants to get into a trial. (Hint: Use Advanced Search).
- 3. Using the Studies by Topic tab, retrieve the clinical trials studying Cataracts. Once you have your retrieval, use the Results on Map tab to see the U.S. states where these studies are located.

Suggested Answers

1. Are there any clinical trials studying acupuncture? From the List Results page, hide the studies that are not seeking new volunteers.

Basic Search <u>Advanced Search</u> <u>Studies by Topic</u> <u>Studies on Map</u>					
Enter a word o	r phrase, such as the name of a medical condition or intervention.				
Example: He	eart Attack AND Los Angeles				
acupunctu	Ire Search				
	Advanced Search Help				
List Results	List Results Refine Search Results by Topic Results on Map Search Details				
Found 137 studies with search of: acupuncture Hide studies which are not seeking new volunteers. Click here. Display Options					
1 Not yet	Acupuncture Treatment to Reduce Burning Pain in Spinal Cord Injury				
recruiting	Condition: Neuropathic Pain				
	Interventions: Procedure: Acupuncture + electrical stimulation; Procedure: Sham acupuncture				
2 Completed	Randomized Controlled Trial of Acupuncture Versus Sham Acupuncture in Autistic Spectrum Disorder				
	Conditions: Autistic Disorder; Autism				
	Intervention: Procedure: Tongue Acupuncture (Procedure)				
3 Not yet	Acupuncture for Phantom Limb Pain				
recruiting	Condition: Phantom Limb Pain				
	Intervention: Procedure: acupuncture				

List Result	s Refine S	earch Results by Topic Results on Map Search Details				
Found 61 studies with search of: acupuncture Open Studies						
Include studies	which are not	seeking new volunteers. 🚽 Display Options				
1 Not yet	Acupuncture Treatment to Reduce Burning Pain in Spinal Cord Injury					
recruiting	Condition:	Neuropathic Pain				
	Interventions:	Procedure: Acupuncture + electrical stimulation; Procedure: Sham acupuncture				
2 Not yet	Acupuncture for Phantom Limb Pain					
recruiting	Condition:	Phantom Limb Pain				
	Intervention:	Procedure: acupuncture				
3 Recruiting Trial of Acupuncture for Reduction of Post-Colectomy Ileus						
Conditions: Postoperative Ileus; Colon Cancer; Pain, Postoperative; Postoperative Nausea and Vomiting						
	Intervention:	Procedure: Acupuncture				

2. Find Phase III clinical trials for bladder cancer for an adult living in Texas who wants to get into a trial. (Hint: Use Advanced Search).

Basic Search Advanced Search Studies by Topic Studies on Map				
Fill in any or all of the fie lds below.				
Click on a label to the left for further explanation or read the <u>Help</u> .				
Search Terms: bladder cancer				
Recruitment: Open Studies 💌 Search				
Study Results: All Studies Basic Search				
Study Type: All Studies				
Targeted Search:				
Conditions:				
Interventions:				
Sponsors:				
Study IDs:				
Locations:				
1. <u>State</u> : United States, Texas				
Country: Optional				
2. State: Optional V				
Country: Optional				
3. <u>State</u> : Optional Country: Optional				
Location Terms:				
Additional Criteria:				
Child (birth 17)				
Age Group Adult (18-65)				
Senior (667)				
Phase: Phase II Phase II				
Differ II S. Federal Agency				
Funded By: University/Organization				
First Received: From To (MM/DD/YYYY)				
Last Updated: From To (MM/DD/YYYY)				
Search Basic Search Help				

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3. Using the Studies by Topic tab, retrieve the clinical trials studying Cataracts. Once you have your retrieval, use the Results on Map tab to see the U.S. states where these studies are located.

You can select the **Studies by Topic** tab from the Basic Search page:

Basic Search <u>Advanced Search</u> <u>Studies by Topic</u>	Studies on Map					
Enter a word or phrase, such as the name of a medical condition or intervention. Example: Heart Attack AND Los Angeles						
	Search					
Advanced Sea	rch <u>Help</u>					

OR

Click on **Study Topics** from the top menu bar



OR

From the home page you can click on List by Condition under Study Topics:

A service of the U.S. National Institutes of Health	Home Search Study Topics Gloss Search
ClinicalTrials.gov is a registry of federally and privately supported clinical trials conducted in the United States and around the world. ClinicalTrials.gov gives you information about a trial's purpose, who may participate, locations, and phone numbers for more details. This information should be used in conjunction with advice from health care professionals. Read more	Resources: <u>Understanding Clinical Trials</u> <u>What's New</u>
Search for Clinical Trials Find trials for a specific medical condition or other criteria in the ClinicalTrials.gov registry. ClinicalTrials.gov currently has 44,670 trials with locations in 150 countries.	Glossary Study Topics: List by Condition
 Investigator Instructions Get instructions for clinical trial investigators/sponsors about how to register trials in ClinicalTrials.gov. Background Information 	List by Drug Intervention List by Sponsor List by Location
Learn about clinical trials and how to use ClinicalTrials.gov, or access other consumer health information from the US National Institutes of Health.	

Then select **Eye Diseases** from the Conditions by Category list:

Basic Search	Advanced Search	Studies by To	opic Stur	dies on Map			
ategorize All Studies i	tegorize All Studies in ClinicalTrials.gov						
Main Category: Conditions By Category							
Select a Condition Category							
Click on a link to list con	ditions in each category. If y	ou are unsure of the categ	ory, try the alphabe	tical listing of condition			
Par. Nose, and Throat Eve Diseases Orient and Hormone F Heart and Blood Dise Immune System Dise Injuries, Poisonings, a Mouth and Tooth Dise Muscle, Bone, and Ca Nervous System Dise Nutritional and Metabo Parasitic Diseases Respiratory Tract (Lun Skin and Connective T Symptoms and Gener	Disorders ditions oplasms ases alities at or before Birth Diseases selated Diseases ases nd Occupational Conditions ases tilage Diseases ases lic Diseases g and Bronchial) Diseases issue Diseases						

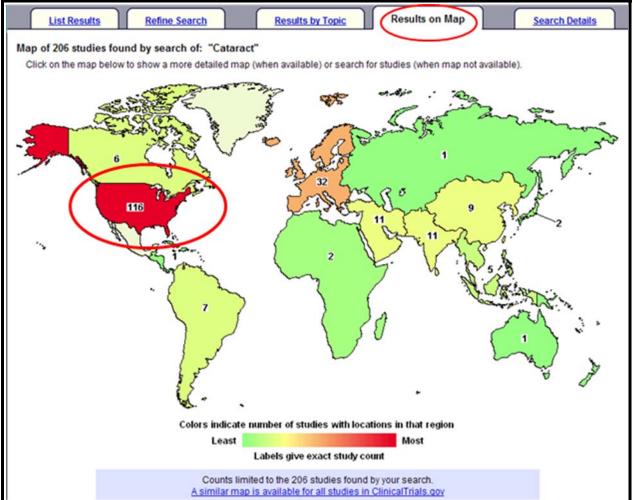
Select **Cataract** from the next list (partial display):

	lain Category: Conditions By Category					
Condition Category: Eye Diseases						
	Search for Condition					
	Click on a link to search for the Condition. Use the back button to return to this page to try another Condition.					
	Albinism 7 studies					
	Albinism, Ocular 1 study					
	Albinism, Oculocutaneous 6 studies					
	Amblyopia 25 studies					
	Angioid Streaks 5 studies					
	Aniridia 8 studies					
	Anisometropia 7 studies					
	Anophthalmos 2 studies Aphakia 3 studies					
	Asthenopia 5 studies					
	Astigmatism 43 studies					
	Behcet Syndrome 10 studies					
	Blepharitis 14 studies					
	Blepharoptosis 7 studies					
	Blepharospasm 13 studies					
	Blindness 70 studies					
	Cataract 206 studies					
	Chalazion i study					

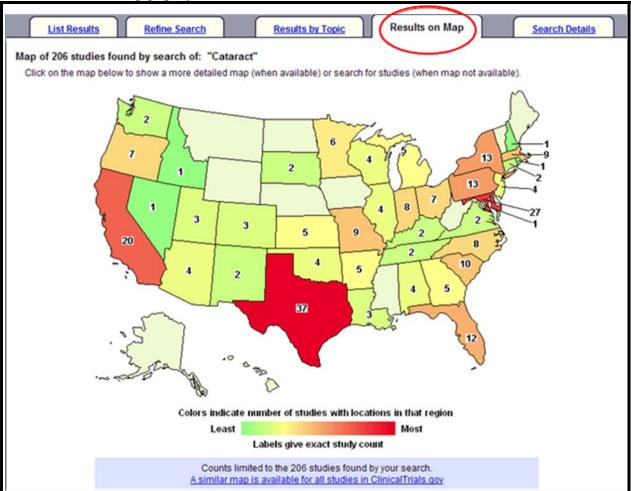
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Once you've reached the list of Cataract studies, click the **Results on Map** tab: List Results **Refine Search Results by Topic** Results on Map Search Details Found 206 studies with search of: "Cataract" Hide studies that are not seeking new volunteers. Display Options Rank Status Study 1 Completed Cataract Surgery to Obtain Human Lens Material for the Study of Nuclear Cataracts Condition: Cataract Intervention: 2 Recruiting Dexmedetomidine vs. Propofol for Cataract Surgery Condition: Cataract Interventions: Drug: dexmedetomidine; Drug: Propofol; Drug: Dexemedetomidine Completed Dynamic Light Scattering for Studying Lens Aging and Cataract Formation 3 Condition: Cataract Intervention: Pilot Study: Dynamic Light Scattering Device for Studying Early Changes in Cataract Completed 4 Condition: Cataract Intervention:

From World Map, click on United States:



Map of United States for the cataract studies is below. Please note that if you scroll down further on the Results on Map page, you will see a textual version of this same information.



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