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Welcome to Our Pandemic Anniversary Issue

The Books of COVID-19

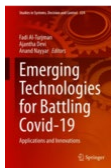
This issue of the Medical Library Newsletter marks the one-year anniversary of the school's pivot to mostly remote teaching, work, and services in response to the Covid-19 pandemic. In that year, the Medical Library added new electronic resources to support the curriculum, transitioned our information literacy teaching online, and switched to virtual reference services and research consultations, while library faculty and staff learned a host of new skills to cope with this new way of working. In August, we modified our spaces and protocols to provide study space for students that is safe and socially distanced. Many thanks to the entire OUWB community – students, faculty, and staff – for their support, suggestions, and patience as we worked our way through a myriad of issues in establishing a new normal.

Recent Acquisitions on Pandemic-Related Topics

[COVID-19: The Essentials of Prevention and Treatment](#) covers etiology, pathogenesis, epidemiology, clinical characteristics, treatment principles, rehabilitation and prevention, and prevention and control measures for COVID-19.

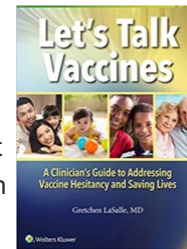


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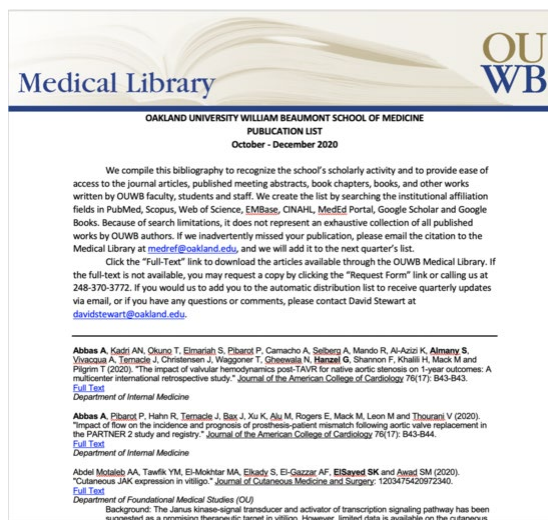


the spread of the COVID-19 including technologies UAV, deep learning, robotics, blockchain, and big data.

Vaccine hesitancy has been a topic of concern for a long time, but it has become even more urgent during the Covid-19 pandemic. Let's Talk [Vaccines: A Clinician's Guide to Addressing Vaccine Hesitancy and Saving Lives](#), by Gretchen Lasalle, was written pre-pandemic, but readers will find it engaging, accessible, and filled with practical communication advice. Written for clinicians, it takes a patient-centered approach, covering the science of vaccine safety and the psychology of risk communication



October-December Publication List



The Medical Library is pleased to publish the quarterly OUWB Publication List for [October - December 2020](#) featuring the works of our OUWB faculty, staff, and students! This quarter's report showcases 220 total citations including 48 works by our OUWB medical students.

To see previous quarterly and annual reports, please visit our [OUWB Publication List Archive](#). If your publication was inadvertently missed, please fill out our [online form](#) or email us at medref@oakland.edu and it will appear in next quarter's report!

New Sunday Kresge Library Hours

We are pleased to announce that Kresge Library – including the Medical Library study spaces – is now open to current students, faculty, and staff on Sundays from 10am - 6pm. Masks and Grizzcards are still required for entry. Below are the current hours for the building.

- **Monday - Friday: 8:00am - 8:00pm**
- **Saturday: Closed**
- **Sunday: 10:00am - 6:00pm**

Remember that masks must be worn at all times within the library and appropriate social distancing must be observed. Please help us keep the library a safe place to work and study by following public health guidelines: Wash your hands, disinfect surfaces, wear a mask, socially distance, and stay home if you are sick. Grizzlies Protect Grizzlies!

Virtual Reference & Research Consultations: Though the Medical Library Office remains open Monday - Friday, 8am - 5pm with one staff member onsite for any questions, our work remains primarily online. Reach out to us by:

- [Emailing us](#) directly
- Signing up for a one-on-one virtual consultation using our [Librarian Appointment Calendar](#)

Another Option for Open Access Publishing

OUIWB faculty and students now have another free OA option when considering where to submit their articles for publication.

Oakland University Libraries has entered into a Read & Publish agreement with Cambridge University Press. Faculty at OU can now publish open access in Cambridge University Press journals without paying an article processing fee (APC). This includes all 44 gold OA and 330 hybrid journals. View the complete list of [Cambridge University Press journals](#). Once you've pulled up the list, you can filter it by subject.

OU authors must be the corresponding author on the article for the APC to be waived under this agreement. View the [Read & Publish agreement](#) for more information.

Cambridge University Press has a goal of transitioning the majority of its titles to open access (OA) by 2025. Articles published OA have a download rate three times higher than non-OA and receive 30-50% more citations. Learn more about [OA publishing](#).

Questions? Email medref@oakland.edu or schedule a [research consultation](#) with an OUIWB librarian.

NLM Digital Collections

In the past, the OUIWB Medical Library has played host to a travelling exhibit from the National Library of Medicine that we proudly featured on the first floor of Kresge - visible as patrons walk in through the front doors. Unfortunately, due to the pandemic, the exhibit is no longer travelling, but it can now be [viewed online](#)!

This year, as circumstance would have it, the travelling exhibit features a history of vaccines (timely!). Anyone interested can take a virtual tour that includes historical images, movie clips, books, and a host of other fascinating looks into the rise of vaccinations in the modern era.

We hope to have our travelling exhibit back next year, but the NLM is doing their best to provide this experience in a way that we are all becoming more accustomed to. And for those who missed past exhibitions, [many of those](#) can be viewed as well.



Questions? Comments?

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