

# MSK Library



## WEBSITE

Virtual Library – 24/7 Access  
[library.mskcc.org](https://library.mskcc.org)

## LIBRARY

Rockefeller Research  
Laboratories (RRL)  
430 East 67th Street  
New York, NY 10065

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## CONTACT LIBRARY STAFF

Information Desk:  
212-639-7439

Chat:  
10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.  
(Monday to Friday)

Click the Chat icon located in the top blue bar on the Library website

Email:  
[AskLibrarian@mskcc.org](mailto:AskLibrarian@mskcc.org)

- View Individual Staff under “[Staff Directory](#)”
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## What We Do

The work of the MSK Library is directly connected to MSK’s institutional mission and describes our purpose for the user communities we serve. The MSK Library ensures easy access to authoritative information resources, provides user-focused services, and advances research and education in support of evidence-based patient care and ongoing learning.

## Content Focus

Access the latest comprehensive oncology resources and tools to clinical, research, health care, and administrative information. The Library also provides access to historical records of MSK through the Archives, which has a collecting focus on administrative materials, press, and research content. Electronic resources form an integral part of the collection with a full range of databases, eJournals and eBooks. Our print collection contains key reference works and the most current publications by our clinicians, researchers, and healthcare professionals.

## Join the Library

All Memorial Sloan Kettering students and employees, and staff from our neighboring institutions must have valid identification to access and borrow print materials from the Library. Drop by the Library to register. Access privileges extend to the Libraries of the Hospital for Special Surgery, Rockefeller University, and Weill Cornell Medical College.

## COLLECTIONS & CONTENT

### LibGuides

View our LibGuides or request a customized guide for your team or department. LibGuides are collections of web pages providing research assistance, subject overviews, current awareness, and useful resources compiled and organized by the Library staff.

### Library Website

Connect to a wealth of published information and resources supporting the research and medical activities of the Center. Use the Website’s discovery tool (ONESEARCH) to uncover these resources and more. To recommend a purchase for the collection, visit our [Q&A help](#).

## ONESEARCH

ONESEARCH provides a simple interface to find books/eBooks, and articles. There are five ways (scopes) to search for content based on what you need. Each scope allows you to search for either: (1) articles, books, and more (all resources owned, subscribed or open access); (2) books and more (no databases or articles); (3) articles (no books/eBooks); (4) Tri-Cat (electronic & print collections of MSK and print collections from Cornell and Rockefeller libraries); and (5) Rockefeller and Weill Cornell eBooks and eJournals (does not include MSK collections; identifies resources from only these two locations).



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## [Synapse](#)

This resource connects you to publications authored by MSK staff. Use Synapse to update your publication bibliography, see author collaborations, complete a core grant application, or find the subject expertise of an MSK researcher or clinician. Contact the Synapse Administrator if you don't see your profile or you have a missing publication.

## **Today's Science Sparks**

View daily images from MSK-authored scientific and medical publications on the Library Website and link to additional information. Click the tweet icon next to the article's image to share the news on Twitter.

## **SERVICES**

### **Consultation & Reference Services**

Research Informationists specialize in complex search requests. They provide research assistance and conduct literature searches, identify quality reference resources, online databases, and Internet sites. Subject-specific research alerts can be requested.

### **Embedded Librarian Program**

Contact Reference to explore the potential of assigning a research informationist to your clinical team. The embedded librarian contributes as a team member providing customized library services and activities and proactively supports the team's information needs. They also facilitate problem solving and decision making.

### [Document Delivery Services \(ILLiad\)](#)

Users can borrow materials that are not part of MSK Library's collection. All current MSK employees may obtain articles, book chapters, and interlibrary loan books by logging into ILLiad with their MSK credentials and

placing a request. Patients, their families, and caregivers can contact the Information Desk or send an email should they want to submit a request for scholarly literature.

### **Fulltext@MSK**

This button is featured in many databases such as BIOSIS, CINAHL, PsycINFO, PubMed, and SCOPUS. Click to view a menu with available options for each citation in the search results. Options include direct access to the full text article or to the Library's Document Delivery Services to immediately submit a request to obtain the article.

### [Research Data Management Services](#)

Supports the research workflow cycle to ensure data (publication-related) is properly organized, described, preserved, and shared.

### [Library Services for Patients & Caregivers](#)

Patients, family members, and their caregivers are welcome to visit the Library when on campus. Staff are available for consultation and customized research in person as well as via the phone or Web. To learn more about specific services we offer, please ask us.

### **MSK Archives**

We collect, organize, and preserve the records of Memorial Sloan Kettering, and make these materials available for use by staff, students, and the public. The archives are open for onsite research by appointment only. To donate or learn more about the Archives, contact the Library's Information Desk to schedule a consultation.

### [MSK Library Classes](#)

Register for upcoming classes. We can customize Library sessions, clinics or workshops for small groups or provide individual consultations, Library tours, and orientations.

## [ORCID@MSK](#)

Supports authors and their scholarly activities by eliminating author name ambiguity and improving discoverability to their research and scholarly works.

## [Remote Access \(Off Campus\)](#)

Staff can use their MSK network credentials to access the library's licensed online resources regardless of whether they are on or off VPN.

## [Systematic Review Service](#)

Submit a request for support for your next systematic review. As a member of your publication team, the Research Informationist provides a variety of services to ensure the systematic review is executed correctly.

## **AMENITIES**

### [Public Workstations, Mobile Device Lending & Charging](#)

Public workstations are available to all users including patients, their families, and caregivers to access the Library's digital collection and other resources. All MSK employees, students, and staff from our neighboring institutions with valid identification can borrow a laptop or iPad. Laptops contain Microsoft Office programs such as Word, Excel, and PowerPoint, as well as EndNote. There are charging stations within the library to accommodate smart phones, laptops, or iPads.

### [Printers & Copiers](#)

The Library uses MSK's print management system, Follow Me Print. Only individuals with an MSK ID badge may print using the Follow Me Print system. Visitors, patients, and/or their family members can drop by the Information Desk should they need something printed.