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ClinicalKey : Still on Trial!

If you currently use or are somewhat familiar with [MDConsult](#) and its suite of clinical resources including the point-of-care tool [FirstConsult](#), then you may already know the breadth of content of these Elsevier products.

With [ClinicalKey](#), you have access to the same quality of content with expanded [Specialty Collections](#) but on a search platform that makes it faster than ever. You have access to ALL Elsevier medical and surgical journals (over 500!) and ALL Elsevier medical and surgical reference books (over 1000!) which is substantially more than is available in MDConsult.

Overall, ClinicalKey is uniquely designed to seamlessly integrate into the workflow of the busy clinician providing fast, clinically relevant answers from topic overview to in-depth specialty information. The speed, experience, and content within [ClinicalKey](#) can help improve patient outcomes, making the clinicians more efficient as they care for their patients, while helping them stay current with the latest advances in their chosen specialty.

It's easy to get started by using the [Complete User Guide](#) or the [Quick Reference Card](#) to help you master the full capabilities and benefits [ClinicalKey](#) has to offer.

The trial continues through August 22nd, so get going before it's over!

New Library Staff

The Libraries of Samaritan Health Services has a new staff member we would like to introduce to you. Please welcome Paul Porter to Samaritan Health Services. Paul holds a Master's Degree in Library and Information Science from the University of Illinois-Champaign. He will be splitting his time between the libraries of Good Samaritan Regional Medical Center and Samaritan Lebanon Community Hospital. You will find Paul at Good Samaritan on Mondays and Fridays and at Lebanon on Tuesdays and Thursdays. When you are at either of these two hospitals, stop by and say hello.

Requesting a Journal Article

When requesting an article for patient care, research purposes, school assignments, or for publication you should submit your reference(s) with the most complete information as

possible. Using the [Request Form](#) found on www.samlib.com which will provide the appropriate boxes for you to fill in with the information we need to obtain it for you. Some of the information that will assist us, which you could and should try to include making the procurement process easy and expeditious include:

- Article Title
- Author(s)
- Periodical/Journal Title
- Year and Month/Date (if possible)
- Volume and Issue Numbers(s)
- Page Numbers(s)
- PubMed Identifier (aka PMID, if from a literature search)

Sometimes, more really is better but we will work with you and whatever you can provide us.

Hard Copy Journals in the Library

The Libraries of Samaritan Health Services continues to provide journals in hardcopy though we would like to continue to migrate more to electronic accessible formats. We continue offering the hardcopy only for many titles due to some of these factors:

- Significant expense incurred with electronic version versus hardcopy (aka print)
- Combination versions of various journal titles provided in both print with online
- Free or donated hard copy titles

We're here to Help!

The Library Staff is available to assist you with your research needs just about any time. Call us, email, or stop by one of our libraries when staff is in attendance and tell us what we can do to help. Contact information for library staff, locations of and access into our libraries is provided on www.samlib.com.

Visit or contact SHS libraries:

Murray Memorial Library at GSRMC - 541.768.6200 / 80-6200
Stanley K. Davis Library at SAGH - 541.812.4446 / 82-4446
Medical Library at SLCH - 541.451.7173 / 81-7173