



## HPD Library Pathfinders Osteopathic Medicine

**SCOPE:** This guide is designed to aid the beginning student of medicine in finding online and print resources in the HPD Library. It is not meant to be comprehensive. To find these and other resources, always start at the HPD Library homepage. [www.nova.edu/hpdlibrary](http://www.nova.edu/hpdlibrary).

**PRINT MATERIALS:** Some books on Osteopathy are classified in the **WB 940** section of the library. To find topics in general medicine and in medical specialties look in [Novacat](#), NSU's online catalog of all electronic, print, and other materials. Circulating books are shelved on the right side of the library (can be checked out for 4 weeks), reference books on the left on low shelves (library use only), and reserve books in the front (can be used for 3 hours in the library). Study rooms can be used for 3 hours, both in the library and Assembly II Building.

### USEFUL BOOKS in the RESERVE SECTION

*An Osteopathic Approach to Diagnosis and Treatment*, 3<sup>rd</sup> ed. Res. 2005. WB 940 O84.

*Easy OMT: a Photo Reference Guide for Manual Medical Care*. Res. 1993. WB 940 H853.

*Foundations for Osteopathic Medicine*, 2<sup>nd</sup> ed. 2003. Res. WB 940 F771.

*Osteopathic Considerations in Systemic Dysfunction*, 2<sup>nd</sup> rev. ed. 1994. Res. WB 940 K953.

*Osteopathic Principles in Practice*. Res. 1992. WB 940 K954.

*The Osteopathic Principles and Practices Review Book for Two and Three Complex-USA Exam*. Res. 2001. WB 940 C953o

**RESEARCH DATABASES:** Most of the databases can be accessed through the Quick Links listing on the HPD Library homepage. [www.nova.edu/hpdlibrary](http://www.nova.edu/hpdlibrary)

Dynamed. An evidence-based, primary care database designed to provide the most useful point-of-care health information possible. 2000 summaries of the most commonly reported diseases in primary care.

MANTIS. Contains all areas of alternative medicine: chiropractic, osteopathy, homeopathy, and manual medicine. 120,000 records from over 1,400 journals going back to 1900.

MEDLINE. Produced by the U.S. National Library of Medicine. The premier source for bibliographic coverage of biomedical literature. Almost 12 million records from 4,800 journals are indexed and abstracted. From 1966 to the present.

UpToDate. A clinical reference that provides quick access to synthesized medical information in an easy-to-use format. A full-text database.

Lexicomp. Develops and distributes clinical information regarding diagnosis, drug therapy, and patient counseling.

Wiley InterScience: Medicine and Healthcare. Gateway to the top journals, books, and most-read articles.

**JOURNALS:** To locate the available journals connected with osteopathic medicine click on the following link [Osteopathic Medical Journals](#), click again on "SUBJECT" under the Serials Listings, and finally find and click on the "Page" tab on the top left side of the screen. Follow the pages to "Osteopathic Medicine." Currently the listing is on page 33.

Doctor of Osteopathy (D.O.)  
Florida Osteopathic Medical  
Association Journal  
Forum of Osteopathy

Journal of the American Osteopathic  
Association  
Osteopathic Annals  
Osteopathic Medicine

Note: NSU holds over 17,000 online fulltext journal subscriptions.

**ONLINE BOOKS:** NSU owns an outstanding collection of online books and other materials on the subject of medicine: To access these materials click on this link. [HPD Library E-Book Subscriptions](#)

**USEFUL ONLINE RESOURCES:** For other valuable online resources go to:

[Gregory's Osteopathic Links](#). Part of the Student-Doctor Network. Links to resources of all kinds related to osteopathy. [http://www.studentdoctor.net/links/gregorys\\_osteopathic\\_links/](http://www.studentdoctor.net/links/gregorys_osteopathic_links/)

[Osteopathic Research](#). A repository of accessible dissertations written by graduating osteopaths from the Vienna School of Osteopathy, the British School of Osteopathy as well as the British College of Osteopathic Medicine. These go back to 1999. <http://www.osteopathic-research.com/>

[Osteopathy Internet Resources](#). Under the auspices of the Holistic Medicine Resource Center. Somewhat dated but still useful site with links organizations, practitioner databases, discussion forums, schools, and publications. <http://www.holisticmed.com/www/osteopathy.html>

[OstMed](#). A "bibliographic index to the osteopathic medicine literature." Co-sponsored by the American Osteopathic Association and the American Association of Colleges of Osteopathic Medicine.

<http://ostmed.hsc.unt.edu/ostmed/description.htm>

[The Osteopathic Home Page](#). Provides links to osteopathic history, research, specialties, and other useful topics. <http://www.osteohome.com/>

**NATIONAL GOVERNMENT INSTITUTES and AGENCIES:** partial list.

[GPO Access Browse Topics](#). Provides government information on topics such as AIDS, vital and health statistics, and other pertinent health information. <http://www.gpoaccess.gov/topics/index.html>

[National Institutes for Health](#). <http://www.nih.gov>

[SciTechResources.gov](#). A Catalog of Government Science and Technical Web Sites. An excellent portal through which to find a plethora of government resources in medicine. <http://www.scitech.gov/Search/topic.php?cat=57>

U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. <http://www.hhs.gov>

**OTHER PATHFINDERS with ADDITIONAL SUGGESTED LINKS**

[Ohio University](#). Comprehensive treatment of the field with links to reference guides, subject resources, article databases, statistics, electronic journals, and much more. <http://www.library.ohiou.edu/subjects/medsg.htm>

[Philadelphia College of Osteopathic Medicine](#). Very useful links to osteopathic associations, resources, residencies, and student organizations. Click on the following link: [Phil. Coll. Osteo. Med.](#)

**TUTORIALS for NSU DATABASES:**

HPD produced tutorials:

<http://www.nova.edu/hpdlibrary/tutorials.html>

Tutorials developed by the Alvin Sherman Library:

<http://www.nova.edu/library/help/techhelp.html>

EBSCOhost tutorials and knowledge base.

<http://support.epnet.com/CustSupport/Tutorials/Tutorials.asp>

Ovid Technologies, Inc. tutorials.

[http://www.ovid.com/site/help/sp\\_tutorials.jsp?top=28&mid=29&bottom=31&subsection=58](http://www.ovid.com/site/help/sp_tutorials.jsp?top=28&mid=29&bottom=31&subsection=58)

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