

Using the

NHS Knowledge and Library Hub

Search journal articles, e-books, guidelines and clinical decision tools, **all in one place.**

Go directly to full text, as an immediate download or on request from an NHS library.

Avoid the less-reliable sources you might find in a general web search.

To start searching, go to <https://library.nhs.uk/fhft>

Or scan the QR code



Type your search words in the box and click *Search*

You can search for a topic, a journal article or a book/journal title

The screenshot shows the NHS Knowledge and Library Hub search page. At the top left is the NHS logo. Below it is the title 'Knowledge and Library Hub'. The search bar contains the text 'Searching: Health and care evidence'. Below the search bar is a dropdown menu labeled 'Keyword' and a text input field with the placeholder 'Enter any words'. To the right of the input field is a purple 'Search' button with a question mark icon. Below the search bar are several links: 'Search Options', 'Basic Search', 'Advanced Search', 'PICO Search', and 'Search History'.

Your results will open in a new window.

You will have **Guest** access to view the results; **for full access**, click on the yellow banner at the top of the screen and sign in with your **NHS OpenAthens** account.

If you haven't got an account, **register** at:


<https://openathens.nice.org.uk/>

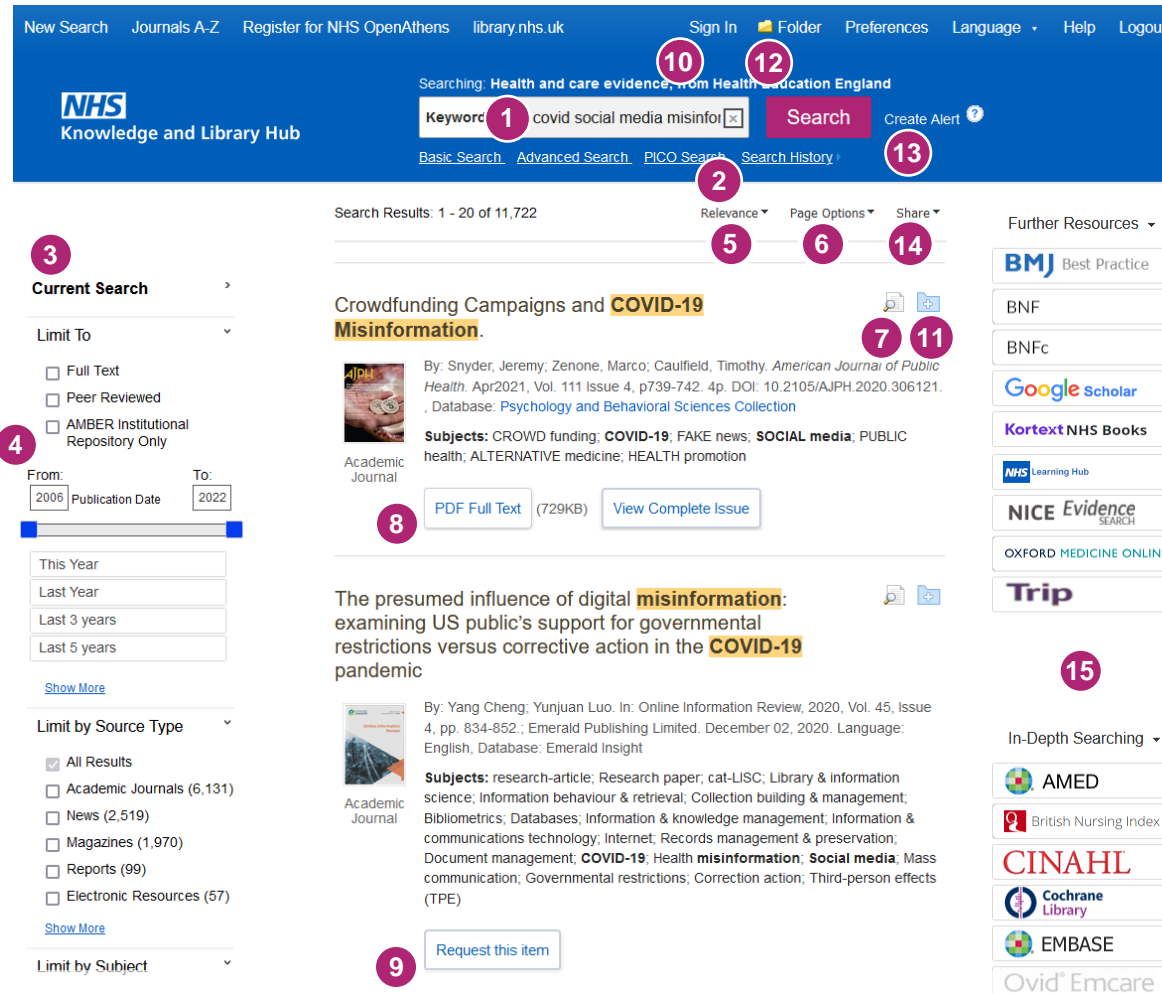


Change your search

- 1 Add or remove search words in the **search box**.
- 2 See your **Search History** to combine results of different searches.
- 3 Alter the search options under **Current Search**.
- 4 Add **limits** to narrow your results by date, type or other options.

View your results

- 5 Click **Relevance** to sort your results by date.
- 6 **Page Options** lets you change the layout and increase the number of results displayed.
- 7 The **detail** icon  on each result shows you more information.




The screenshot shows the NHS Knowledge and Library Hub search interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with links for 'New Search', 'Journals A-Z', 'Register for NHS OpenAthens', 'library.nhs.uk', 'Sign In', 'Folder', 'Preferences', 'Language', 'Help', and 'Logout'. The search bar contains the text 'Health and care evidence, from Health Education England' and the keyword 'covid social media misinform'. A 'Search' button is next to the search bar. Below the search bar, there are links for 'Basic Search', 'Advanced Search', 'PICO Search', and 'Search History'. The search results are displayed in a list format. The first result is 'Crowdfunding Campaigns and COVID-19 Misinformation' from the 'Academic Journal'. The second result is 'The presumed influence of digital misinformation: examining US public's support for governmental restrictions versus corrective action in the COVID-19 pandemic' from the 'Academic Journal'. The interface includes various filters and options, such as 'Limit To', 'Limit by Source Type', and 'Limit by Subject'. There are also buttons for 'PDF Full Text', 'View Complete Issue', and 'Request this item'. The right-hand side of the interface features a 'Further Resources' section with links to 'BMJ Best Practice', 'BNF', 'BNFc', 'Google Scholar', 'Kortext NHS Books', 'NHS Learning Hub', 'NICE Evidence Search', 'OXFORD MEDICINE ONLINE', and 'Trip'. There is also an 'In-Depth Searching' section with links to 'AMED', 'British Nursing Index', 'CINAHL', 'Cochrane Library', 'EMBASE', and 'Ovid Emcare'.

Get the full text

- 8 Clicking **Get PDF**, **PDF Full Text** or **Access Online** will take you to an online copy you can download.
- 9 Clicking **Request this item** will open a request form to send to your library.

Manage your results

- 10 **Sign In** to save your results and searches.
- 11 **Add a result** to the **Folder** by clicking the folder icon .
- 12 Open the **Folder** to see saved items, print or export results, and share folders with other searchers.
- 13 **Create Alert** will let you know when new articles match your search.
- 14 **Share** lets you quickly add results to the folder or create alerts.

Continue your search

- 15 Choose any of the buttons in the righthand column to open a new search in another database or search tool.