



Diarrheal Disease

Whether you are searching for information about Diarrheal Diseases on ValCat, FirstSearch, InfoTrac, or on the World Wide Web, some key terms to use are:

- Diarrheal Disease
- Diarrhea
- Campylobacter
- Cryptosporidiosis
- Salmonella
- Shigella

OR any other specific name for a specific bacteria, virus, or disease.

Browse the book shelves near these call numbers to find additional information about your topic.

Ask a librarian for help!

Locating Information in Books

Use [ValCat](#), the online catalog, to locate reference and circulating books found in the Delta College Library or area Public Libraries about diarrheal diseases.

Following are just some of the books within Delta Library that will give information about tuberculosis:

- *Current Medical Diagnosis and Treatment* - Reference R 71 . A14
 - *Gale Encyclopedia of Medicine* - Reference RC 41 .G35 2006
 - *Gastrointestinal Diseases and Disorders Sourcebook* - RC 806 .G37 2006
 - *Harrison's Principles of Internal Medicine* - Reference RC 46 .H33
 - *Infectious Diseases Sourcebook* - RA 643 .I6545 2004
 - *The Merck Manual of Diagnosis and Therapy* - Reference RC 55 .M4 2006. An online version of *The Merck Manual* is available at:
<http://www.merck.com/mrkshared/mmanual/home.jsp>
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Locating Information in Periodicals

Search the following online databases/indexes to locate journal articles (electronic format) on your topic:

[InfoTrac](#) is available from the [Delta Library website \(Journals and Magazines\)](#), either on campus or remotely with password. For OFF-Campus access, use your Delta username and password. For help, please call the Reference Desk at (989) 686-9560.

[PubMed](#) is a service of the National Library of Medicine, that provides access to over 11 million MEDLINE citations back to the mid-1960's and additional life science journals. PubMed also links to sites with full-text articles and resources. Almost all of PubMed's articles come from scholarly, peer-reviewed/refereed journals.

TIP: PubMed offers a link to "limit" your search. By clicking on "Limits", you can limit the search to "Links to free full-text" (entire article) and you can limit to articles presented in English.

Locating Information on the World Wide Web

Medline Plus, part of the National Institute of Health, provides a Web site with helpful information. The following link takes you to a list of sources that cover diarrheal diseases. If the list does not help, you can input the name of a specific disease and perform a different search at Medline Plus.

<http://vsearch.nlm.nih.gov/vivisimo/cgi-bin/query-meta?v%3Aproject=medlineplus&query=diarrheal+diseases&x=42&y=2>

The Mayo Clinic offers a site where you can input a term and retrieve helpful medical information. The following link takes you to the home page where you can type the specific subject of your choice.

<http://www.mayoclinic.com/health/DiseasesIndex/DiseasesIndex>

The Merck Manual of Diagnosis and Therapy - Reference RC 55 .M4 2006. An online version of *The Merck Manual* is available at:

<http://www.merck.com/mrkshared/mmanual/home.jsp>

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