

### Useful Websites...

**BMJ BestPractice** <https://bestpractice.bmj.com/> . A clinical decision support tool structured around the patient consultation with advice on symptom evaluation, test ordering and treatment approach. Access is with an OpenAthens account and you can also create your own account and then download the app to your phone or tablet.

**NICE Evidence Search** <http://www.evidence.nhs.uk> A website collating health information from organisations and professional bodies including patient information, guidelines, reports and evidence summaries

**Healthcare Databases Advanced Search** <https://hdas.nice.org.uk/>  
Access with your OpenAthens account to search for journal articles on a topic. The Library can help you with this by either doing the search for you or by showing you how to do a search. For more information on both, email [swbh.library@nhs.net](mailto:swbh.library@nhs.net)

**NHS Scotland Workbased learning Resources for Support Workers**  
<http://www.knowledge.scot.nhs.uk/ahpsupportworkerlearning/physiotherapy.aspx> . This series of 15 workbooks has been designed for Physiotherapy Support Workers (PSW) to use in the workplace. Much of the work underpinning the resources originated in NHS Tayside but has been adapted to create this national database of work based learning resources.

### ASK Your Librarian to:

- ♦ Carry out **evidence searches** for patient care, quality improvement projects, audit, guidelines, CPD and research
- ♦ Inform you about latest **evidence updates** via **Knowledge Share**
- ♦ **Review** and improve the books/journal and other **resource collection** in your specialty

### How to contact the Library Team:

Email: [swbh.library@nhs.net](mailto:swbh.library@nhs.net) Phone: 0121 507 3587

Staff are based at: **Sandwell Library:** Monday-Friday 08.30-16.30

**City Library:** Monday-Thursday 08.30-16.30 (hours may vary)

Follow us: **@SWBHLibrary** Library website: <https://swbhllibrary.wordpress.com/>

City Library is located in the Postgraduate Centre and  
Sandwell Library is located in the Education Centre.

# Physiotherapy Resources

## Electronic Resources

SWB Library and Knowledge Services and HEE subscribe to key healthcare databases, a point of care tool, full text journals, e-books and more for its staff.

To access these you need to register for SWB OpenAthens username and password. You can obtain one by self registering at <https://openathens.nice.org.uk> You can also pick up an OpenAthens registration flyer from SWB Libraries at Sandwell and City Hospitals.

## Journals

Some key **Physiotherapy** journals are listed below that you can access using your SWB OpenAthens Account from <http://journals.nice.org.uk/>

Aging Clinical and Experimental Research

Archives of Physiotherapy

Bone and Joint Journal

Clinical Journal of Sport Medicine

Clinical Orthopaedics and Related Research

Cognitive Processing

Current Opinion in Neurology

Current Opinion in Pulmonary Medicine

European Geriatric Medicine

Exercise and Sport Sciences Reviews

International Journal of Therapy and Rehabilitation

Journal of Bone & Joint Surgery

Journal of Manual and Manipulative Therapy\*

Journal of Orthopaedic Trauma

Journal of Prescribing Practice

Journal of Strength & Conditioning Research

Memory & Cognition

Neurology and Therapy

Oncology and Therapy

Pain and Therapy

Physical and Health Education Journal

Physical and Occupational Therapy in Pediatrics\*

Physical Therapy in Sport\*

Physical Therapy\*

Physiotherapy Research International\*

Pulmonary Therapy

Rheumatology and Therapy

Spine Journal

Stroke

The Patient: Patient-Centered Outcomes Research

\* indicates embargoes or limited access to full text articles

All journals currently subscribed by SWB Library & Knowledge Services are available electronically. To check if we subscribe to a particular journal, please email [swbh.library@nhs.net](mailto:swbh.library@nhs.net)

## Books

Some key **Physiotherapy** books are listed below. For a comprehensive list of books available on Diabetes across City, Sandwell and in Birmingham libraries, search the **Library Catalogue** [www.base-library.nhs.uk](http://www.base-library.nhs.uk)

Advanced techniques in musculoskeletal medicine and physiotherapy: using minimally invasive therapies in practice

Bobath Concept : theory and clinical practice in neurological rehabilitation

Exercise psychology

Geriatric physical therapy

In-Patient Physiotherapy Management of Orthopaedic Surgery

Maitland's peripheral manipulation

Maitland's vertebral manipulation

Musculoskeletal physiotherapy : clinical science and evidence-based practice

Physical management for neurological conditions

Physical therapy for children

Physical therapy for the stroke patient : early stage rehabilitation

Physiotherapy for respiratory and cardiac problems : adults and paediatrics

Research methods for clinical therapists

## E-book collection

You can access our **demand driven e-book portal** <http://bit.ly/swbhebooks> that allows you read a chapter or the whole book or check out a book online for 7, 14 or 28 days depending on the availability.

For a complete list of e-book titles bought by the SWB Library and Knowledge Services can be accessed via the **Library Catalogue** [www.base-library.nhs.uk](http://www.base-library.nhs.uk)

## Useful Websites...

**PEDro** <https://www.pedro.org.au/>

PEDro is the Physiotherapy Evidence Database, a free database of over 46,000 randomised trials, systematic reviews and clinical practice guidelines in physiotherapy. For each trial, review or guideline, PEDro provides the citation details, the abstract and a link to the full text, where possible. All trials on PEDro are independently assessed for quality. These quality ratings are used to quickly guide users to trials that are more likely to be valid and to contain sufficient information to guide clinical practice. PEDro is produced by the Institute for Musculoskeletal Health, School of Public Health at the University of Sydney and is hosted by Neuroscience Research Australia (NeuRA).