Clinical Resources for the Busy Preceptor

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Objectives

- Identify three learning resource technologies available through LMU that can assist a busy preceptor with patient care and clinical teaching.
- Utilize UpToDate as a resource for patient care and clinical teaching.
- Utilize AccessMedicine as a resource for patient care and clinical teaching.
- Utilize VisualDx as a resource for patient care and clinical teaching.

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Accessing LMU-DCOM Library Resources

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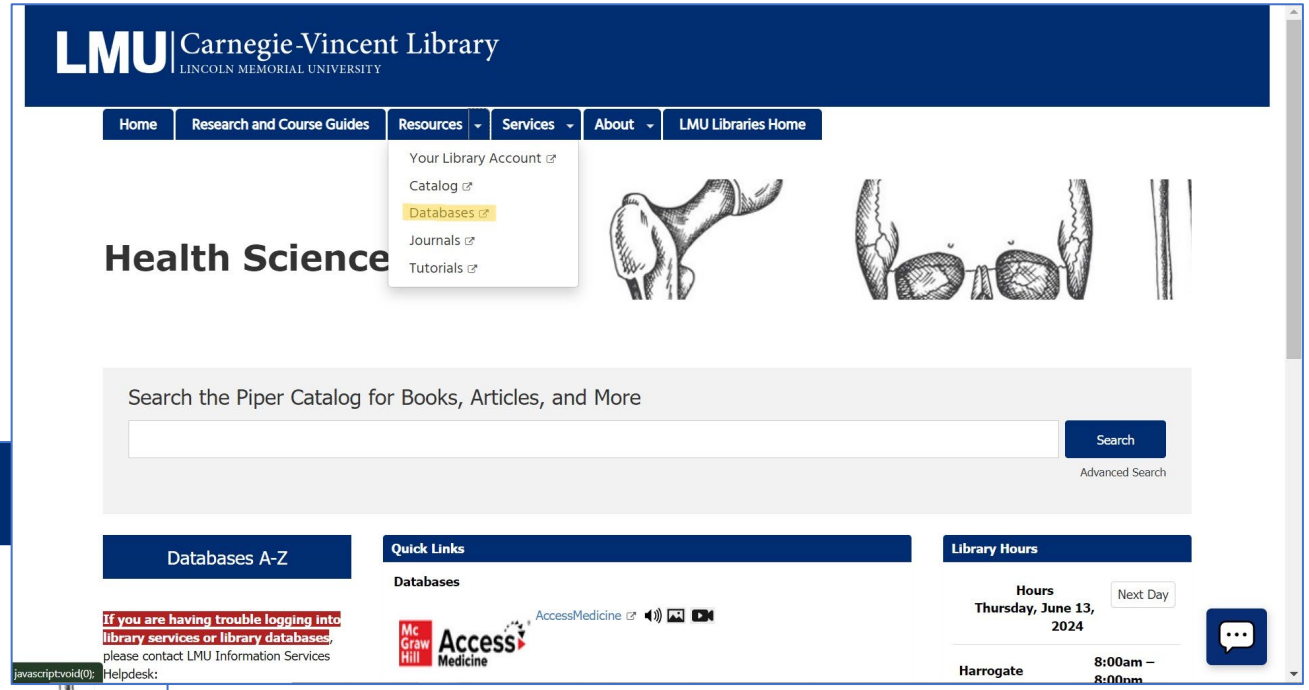

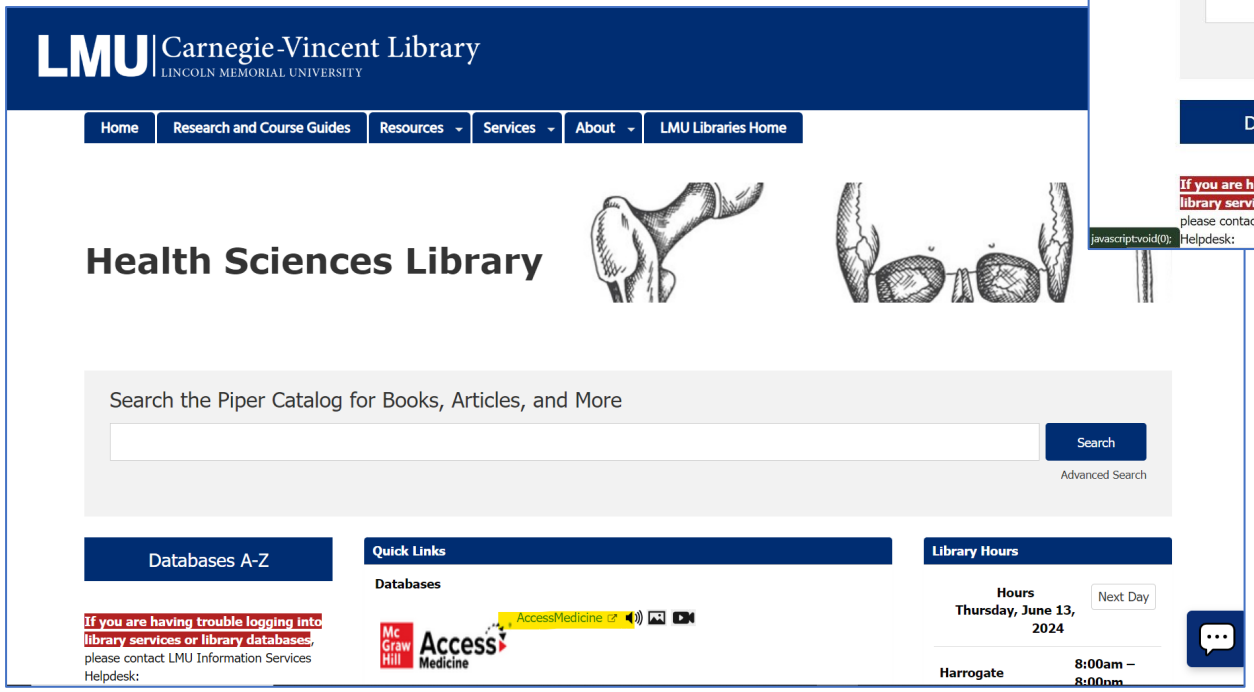

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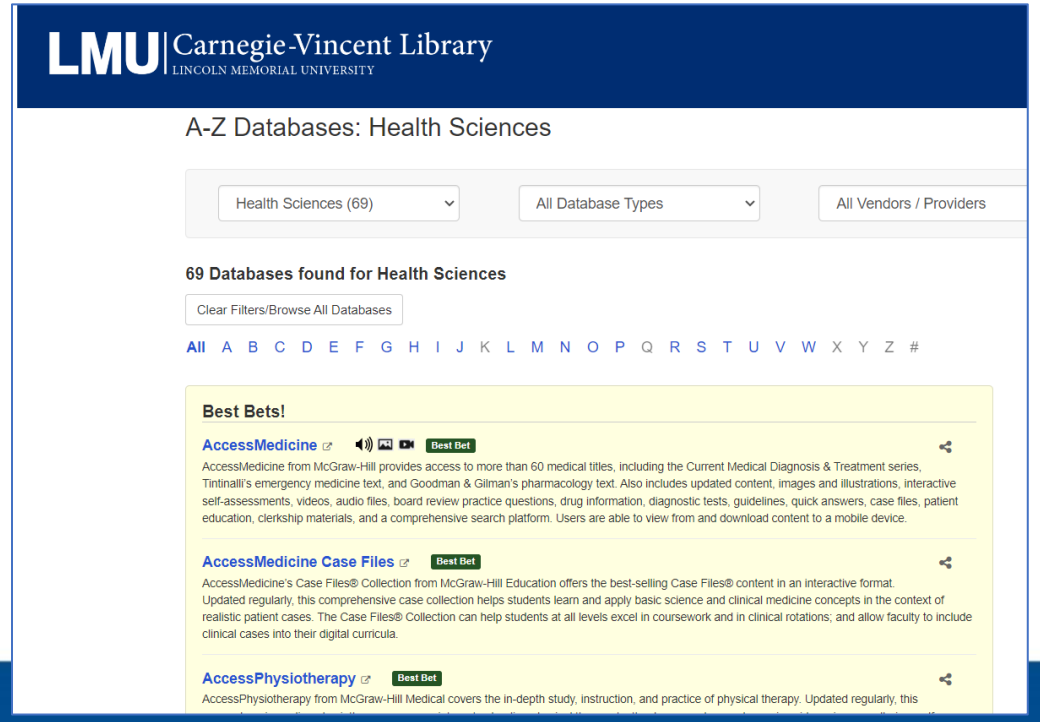
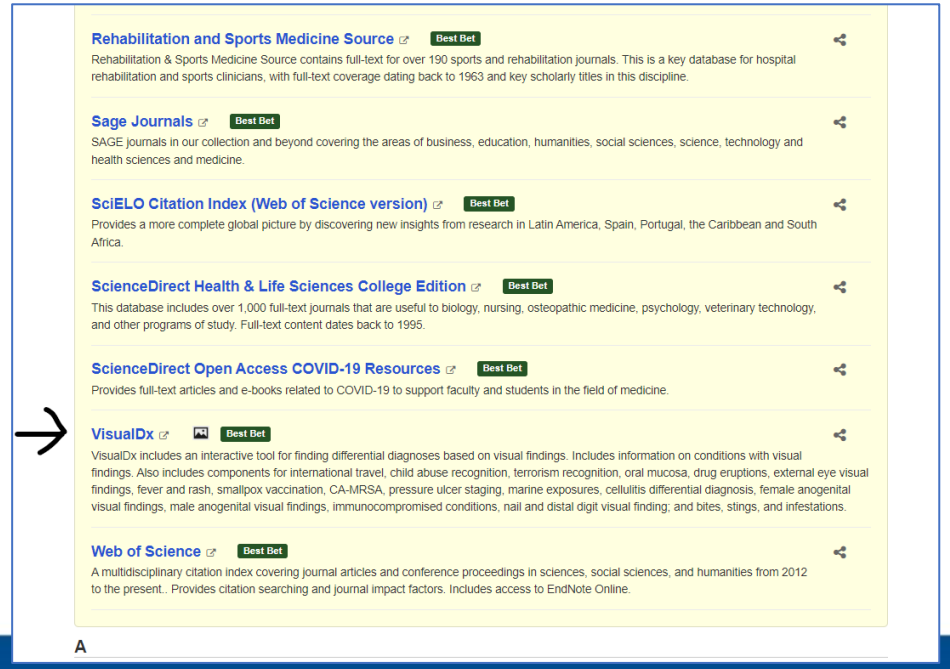
- To access VisualDx, go to Resources, click Databases, and SCROLL DOWN the “Best Bets” links





AccessMedicine

- McGraw-Hill product with clinical resources from texts, to infographics, cases, multimedia, etc.
- How to use:
  - Point-of-care reference – texts, drug reference
  - Student assignments – infographics, videos, cases, multimedia
  - Group teaching
- There's an app that allows you to track what you've reviewed and access all the resources from your devices.
  - Create a login from the website, download the app, login.
  - Reauthenticate the app login every 90 days

Review AccessMedicine Site

UpToDate

- History
  - UpToDate was founded in 1992 by nephrologists Burton "Bud" Rose, MD and Joseph Rush, MD
- Purpose and Importance
  - A clinical decision support system designed to help healthcare professionals make evidence-based decisions quickly.
  - Provides reliable, up-to-date medical information, saving valuable time for busy clinicians.
    - Currently used by over two million clinicians and 44,000 institutions across more than 190 countries. It is updated continuously with users accessing over 54 million topics per month across 25 specialties.

UpToDate

Key Features and Benefits

- Evidence-Based Clinical Information
  - Peer-reviewed, trustworthy content
- Comprehensive Coverage
  - Over 11,600 topics in 25 specialties
- Regular Updates
  - Latest research and guidelines
- User-Friendly Interface
  - Quick and easy access to information
- Benefit for Busy Clinicians:
  - Saves time by providing a single, reliable source of information

UpToDate

Practical Uses

- Diagnosis Support
  - Comprehensive information and tools
- Treatment Recommendations
  - Evidence-based options tailored to patients
- Patient Education Materials
  - Resources to enhance patient understanding
- CME Credits
  - Earn credits while using UpToDate
- Benefit for Busy Clinicians:
  - Streamlines clinical workflows and enhances patient care
  - Supports professional development efficiently

UpToDate

Accessibility and Integration

- Multi-Platform Access
  - Desktop, mobile app, EHR integration
- Offline Access
  - Download content for offline use
- EHR Integration
  - Supports workflow efficiency
- Benefit for Busy Clinicians:
  - Access crucial information anytime, anywhere
  - Smooth integration into existing workflows

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Review Visual DX site

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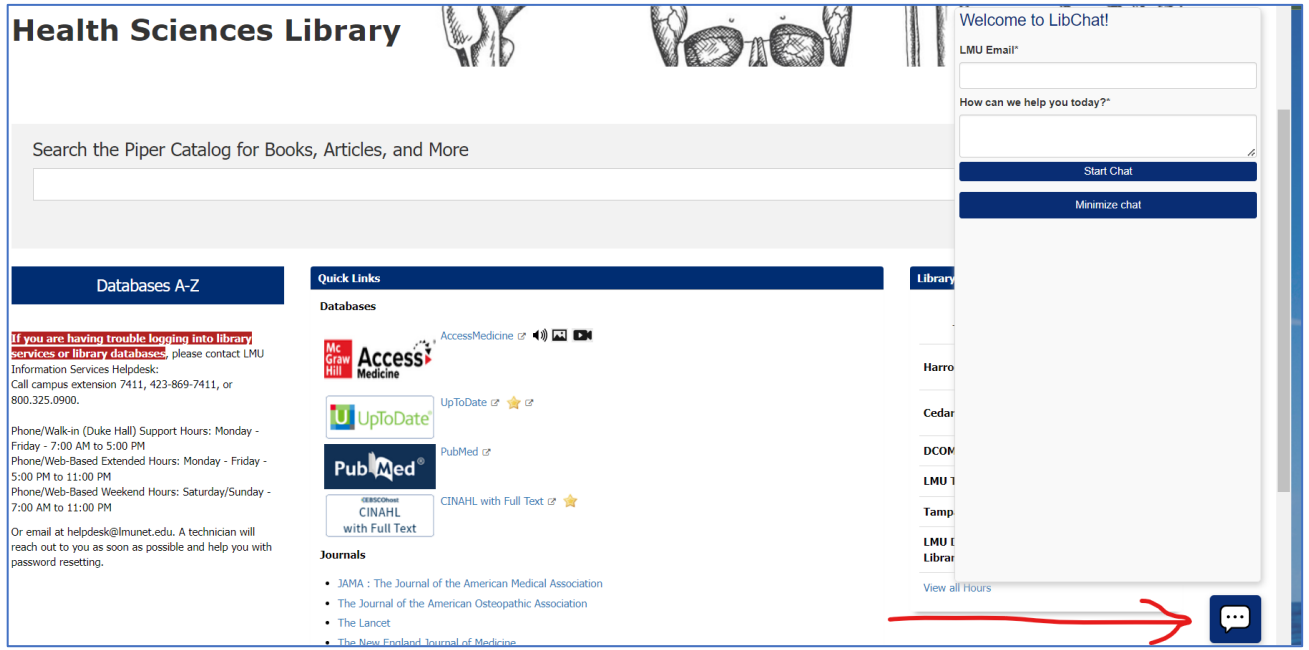
Questions? Ask a Librarian!



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