

APA 6th Ed. Guide – UNC-CH School of Nursing

Louise Fleming, MSN, RN and Julia Shaw-Kokot, RN, MSLS, AHIP

Update August 2012

Non-Electronic Sources

Books

Chinn, P. L., & Kramer, M. K. (2004). *Integrated knowledge development in nursing* (6th ed.). St. Louis, MO: Mosby.

Chapters in Edited Books

One Author

Labajo, J. (2003). Body and voice: The construction of gender in flamenco. In T. Magrini (Ed.). *Music and gender: Perspectives from the Mediterranean* (pp. 67-86). Chicago: University of Chicago Press.

Two Editors

Hammond, K. R., & Adelman, L. (1986). Science, values, and human judgment. In H. R. Arkes & K. R. Hammond (Eds.) *Judgement and decision making: An interdisciplinary reader* (pp. 127-143). Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

Journals

One Author

Mayer, D. K. (2012). Anatomy of a drug shortage. *Clinical Journal of Oncology Nursing*, 16(2), 107-108. doi:10.1188/12.CJON.107-108

Two Authors

Tonges, M., & Ray, J. (2011). Translating caring theory into practice: The carolina care model. *The Journal of Nursing Administration*, 41(9), 374-381.
doi:10.1097/NNA.ob013e31822a732c; 10.1097/NNA.ob013e31822a732c

Multiple Authors

Oermann, M. H., Kardong-Edgren, S., & Odom-Maryon, T. (2011). Effects of monthly practice on nursing students' CPR psychomotor skill performance. *Resuscitation*, 82, 447-453. doi:10.1016/j.resuscitation.2010.11.022

More than Six Authors

Hobgood, C., Sherwood, G., Frush, K., Hollar, D., Maynard, L., Foster, B., . . .
Interprofessional Patient Safety Education Collaborative. (2010). Teamwork training with nursing and medical students: Does the method matter? results of an interinstitutional, interdisciplinary collaboration. *Quality & Safety in Health Care*, 19(6), e25. doi:10.1136/qshc.2008.031732

Pamphlets

UNC Care Notes. (2008). Post cardiac catheterization discharge instructions.
[Brochure]. Chapel Hill, NC: Author.

Electronic Sources

Electronic Version of a Print Book

Rhoads, J. (2008). Davis's guide to clinical nursing skills. [NetLibrary version].
Retrieved from <http://search.lib.unc.edu/search?R=UNCb5904683>

Note that many publishers have started assigning URLs to ebooks and to chapters within ebooks. **If available, the DOI should be used instead of the persistent URL.

***Use persistent URL, which is found in the UNC catalog under Full Record. Persistent URLs take you directly to the article. This may or may not be the address at the top of the screen.

Journals

Journal Article, One Author, Accessed Online

Ku, G. (2008). Learning to de-escalate: The effects of regret in escalation of commitment. *Organizational Behavior and Human Decision Processes*, 105(2), 221-232. doi:10.1016/j.obhdp.2007.08.002

Journal Article, Two Authors, Accessed Online

Sanchez, D., & King-Toler, E. (2007). Addressing disparities consultation and outreach strategies for university settings. *Consulting Psychology Journal: Practice and Research*, 59(4), 286-295. doi:10.1037/1065-9293.59.4.286

Journal Article, More than Two Authors, Accessed Online

Van Vugt, M., Hogan, R., & Kaiser, R. B. (2008). Leadership, followership, and evolution: Some lessons from the past. *American Psychologist*, 63(3), 182-196. doi:10.1037/0003-066X.63.3.182

Journal Article from a Subscription Database (No DOI)

Van Riper, M. (2007). Families of children with down syndrome: Responding to "a change in plans" with resilience. *Journal of Pediatric Nursing*, 22(2), 116-128. Retrieved from

https://auth.lib.unc.edu/ezproxy_auth.php?url=http://search.ebscohost.com/login.aspx?direct=true&db=c8h&AN=2009687023&site=ehost-live&scope=site

Note: This url can be shortened to: <https://search.ebscohost.com/AN=2009687023>

Electronic Reference: Internet-only Magazine or Journal

Northam, S. (2005). Tips for time management with online learning. *Online Journal of Nursing Informatics (OJNI)*, 9(3), 73-83. Retrieved from http://ojni.org/9_3/northam.htm

Up to Date

Marion, D.W. (2010). Diaphragmatic pacing. In D. S. Basow (Ed.), *UpToDate*. Retrieved from <http://www.uptodate.com/home/index.html>

Government Reports

U.S. Government Accountability Office. (2003, July). *No Child Left Behind Act: More information would help states determine which teachers are highly qualified*. (Publication No. GAO-03-631). Retrieved from GAO Reports Main Page via GPO Access database: <http://www.gpoaccess.gov/gaoreports/index.html>

Websites

Complex Website: With Author

Marts, S. (2006). *A cloud of confusion lingers over hormone therapy use*. Retrieved from Society for Women's Health Research website: <http://www.womenshealthresearch.org/press/newsservice/022306.htm>

Professional Website, No Author

Agency for Research Health and Quality. (2005). *Management of menopause-related symptoms*. Retrieved April 15, 2010, from <http://www.ahrq.gov/clinic/tp/menopstp.htm>

Nonperiodical Web Document or Report

List as much of the following information as possible (sometimes you have to hunt around to find the information):

Author, A. A., & Author, B. B. (Date of publication). Title of document. Retrieved from
<http://Web address>

Nursing. (2009, June). Patient Rounds. Retrieved from
http://intranet.unhealthcare.org/policies/nursing_clinical_practice/nurso557.pdf

Electronic Reference, Online Message or Discussion Board

Newman, M. (2006, January 30). *Re: Suggestion on application of theory to clinical scenario*. Message posted to
<http://www.healthsexpandingconsciousness.org/dialogue/discussion.html>

Electronic Reference, No Author, Date or Organization

Learning styles. (n.d.). Retrieved from
http://www.trcc.commnet.edu/Ed_Resources/TASC/Training/Learning_Styles.htm

****Note -** When a DOI is not available, and a URL is included, do not include retrieval dates unless the source material may change over time. When citing an entire website (when you are not quoting from, but rather making reference to an entire website), it is sufficient to give the address of the site in just the text (no entry in the reference list is necessary)

Unless you have the journal in print form directly in front of you, you must either use a DOI (preferred) or a URL to identify that you retrieved the source online!!!
Changed this to make sure it wasn't just article. Any article can be printed.

DOI

What is a DOI?

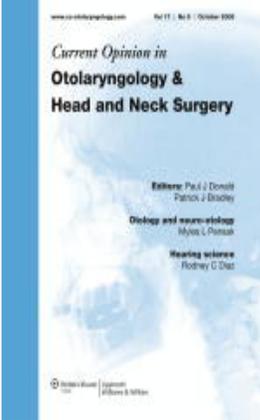
The Digital Object Identifier (DOI®) System is for identifying content objects in the digital environment. DOI® names are assigned to any entity for use on digital networks. They are used to provide current information, including where they (or information about them) can be found on the Internet. Information about a digital object may change over time, including where to find it, but its DOI name will not change.

Where Can I Find the DOI?

On article information (works for newer articles):

1. Going directly to the online journal

[Journals A-Z](#) » [Current Opinion in Otolaryngology & Head & Neck Surgery](#) » [17\(5\) October 2009](#) » [Bilateral Meniere's disease.](#)

	<p>Current Opinion in Otolaryngology & Head and Neck Surgery Issue: Volume 17(5), October 2009, p 356-362 Copyright: © 2009 Lippincott Williams & Wilkins, Inc. Publication Type: [Otology and neuro-otology: Edited by Myles L. Pensak] DOI: 10.1097/MCO.0b013e3283304cb3 ISSN: 1068-9508 Accession: 00020840-200910000-00007 Keywords: bilateral, contralateral, endolymphatic hydrops, Meniere's disease</p>
---	--

2. On the article itself

Correspondence: Dr Toshihisa Murofushi, Department of Otolaryngology, Tokyo Postal Services Agency Hospital, 2-14-23 Fujimi Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo 102-8798, Japan. Tel: +81 3 5214 7111. Fax: +81 3 5214 7384. E-mail: toshi-ty@umin.ac.jp

(Received 23 September 2007; accepted 23 October 2007)

ISSN 0001-6489 print/ISSN 1651-2551 online © 2008 Informa UK Ltd. (Informa Healthcare, Taylor & Francis As)

DOI: 10.1080/00016480701767390

Nursing Ethics

<http://nej.sagepub.com>

Culture and Organizational Climate: Nurses' Insights Into Their Relationship With Physicians

David Cruise Malloy, Thomas Hadjistavropoulos, Elizabeth Fahey McCarthy, Robin J Evans, Dwight H Zakus, Illyeok Park, Yongho Lee and Jaime Williams

Nurs Ethics 2009; 16; 719

DOI: 10.1177/0969733009342636

3. Through the find at UNC link (pick the item that just says Article)

find it online:

Go directly to:	Search the database:	Dates available:
Article	Informa Healthcare	1918 - present
Article	InformaWorld	1918 - present
Article	Academic Search Premier	05/27/1998 - 1 year ago
Article	CINAHL with Full Text	05/27/1998 - 1 year ago
Article	Health Source: Nursing/Academic Edition	05/27/1998 - 1 year ago
Article		

Then you will see:



offers the following full-text links:

[Article](#)

10.1080/00016480701762458

4. CrossRef <http://www.crossref.org/guestquery/>



free DOI lookup

CrossRef currently provides three ways for you to locate a DOI.

- If you have bibliographic data for a item and would like to find the DOI, please use the **metadata** section of this form.
- If you only have an article title and author, please use the **article title search** section of this form.
- If you have the text of a bibliographic reference, please use our **automatic parsing** service described at the bottom of this page.

Bibliographic metadata search

This form is a guest query interface to the CrossRef system for individual DOI retrieval. This interface is not intended for automated querying. If you would like to query CrossRef on an automated batch basis, please obtain an account on our system. You must supply either author or first page and we recommend using journal title instead of ISSN. For a list of journal titles in the CrossRef holdings please visit our [browsable journal list](#).

Limit search to: Journal OR Book/Conference Proceeding

First Author ISSN

Journal Title

Article Title

Volume Issue Page Year

ISBN Component Number

Series Title

Enable Multiple Hits

Journal Title	Author	ISSN	Volume	Issue	Page	Year	PubMedID	PMCID
Article Title								
DOI		Persistent Link						
Nursing Research	Morse	00296562	50	5	286	2001	11570713	
Changes in M??ni??re??s Disease Responses as a Function of the Menstrual Cycle								
doi:10.1097/0006199-200109000-00006		http://dx.doi.org/10.1097/0006199-200109000-00006						

Search on article title

If you only know the title of an item (article, book chapter, report, working-paper ... etc.) submit them here. Optionally, supply the author to reduce the number of results. This form is a guest query interface to the CrossRef system for individual DOI retrieval. This interface is not intended for automated querying. If you would like to query CrossRef on an automated batch basis, please obtain an account on our system.

Citing References

Examples of In-text Citing

1. Advances in medical treatments over the last fifty years have dramatically increased the survival rate for children suffering from life threatening and chronic illnesses (Katz, 2002).
2. Katz (2002) found that advances in medical treatments over the last half century have dramatically...
3. In 2002, Katz's review of the literature showed that there has been a dramatic increase in survival rate for children with life threatening...

**Note If there are 3-5 authors for a work, all of them must be listed the first time they are cited in the paper. Afterwards, it can be cited using et al.

Example: (Smith, Johnson, Doe, & Brown, 2009) for the 1st citation, then (Smith et al., 2009) for subsequent citations.

Direct Quotations

1. "The rates of non-adherence cited for some conditions show that compliance problems are so frequent that they could be considered to be a normal response to the demands of illness and treatment" (Fielding & Duff, 1999, p. 196).
2. As Fielding and Duff (1999) reported, "The rates of non-adherence cited for some conditions show that compliance problems are so frequent that they could be

considered to be a normal response to the demands of illness and treatment” (p. 196).

Direct Quote: More than 40 Words

Parents of children suffering from these disorders, live daily with a distinct fear of an emergency situation that can lead to the death of their child.

Mandell, Curtis, Gold, & Hardie (2005) state that families must learn to cope regardless of whether it suits their capacities, personalities, experiences, and inclinations; otherwise, they may increase the risk of exposure to danger or death. They may cope admirably and find that circumstances beyond their control put their child at risk. (p. 325)

** Note that for blocks of text, the citation follows the final punctuation of the quoted text

Headings

Centered, Bold, Upper and Lower Case Heading

Left Justified, Bold, Upper and Lower Case Heading

Indented, bold, lower case, paragraph heading with a period.

Indented, bold, italics, lower case paragraph heading with a period.

Indented, italics, lower case paragraph heading ending with a period.

Sample Nursing Paper

Suzie Q. Nurse

University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill

November 30, 2009

Sample Nursing Paper

This begins your paper with a proper introduction.

References