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Ask a Librarian

The Ask a Librarian email service allows you to ask simple research and other library-related questions. Send an email to RefLib@salud.unm.edu.

Health Information Classes

We provide classes in the use of health information resources to health professionals, community groups, libraries, schools and students. Our classes help participants find, evaluate and use relevant health information and can be customized to meet participants' needs. The following are examples of our class topics:

- Cancer resources
- Evaluation of health information
- Evidence-based medicine
- Health education materials
- Public health resources



Helpful Websites

Distance Services

<http://hslic.unm.edu/library/outreach/>

Native American Health Information Services

<http://hslic.unm.edu/library/nativeservices>

Native Health Database (NHD)

<https://hcssl.unm.edu/nhd>

MedlinePlus

<http://www.medlineplus.gov>

New Mexico landscape (By Howard Brandenburg)



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Pat Bradley (left) with Native Voices exhibit visitor
(By Eliot Knight)



Distance Services Overview

The Distance Services program at the Health Sciences Library and Informatics Center (HSLIC) extends the library's reach to the entire state of New Mexico by providing resources to health professionals, community groups, libraries, schools and students. This includes Native American Health Information Services.

Distance Services provides health information delivery, development and training through the following activities:

- Interlibrary loans (article delivery)
- Information resource access
- Health information search assistance (literature searches)
- Health information training
- Orientations on the use of materials
- Collection-development consultation
- On-site visits and training
- HSLIC tours
- Continuing education for librarians and health professionals

Native American Health Information Services (NAHIS)

Native American Health Information Services (NAHIS) connects HSLIC to Native Americans in New Mexico. The program offers resources to health care providers serving Native Americans and to community members of the 22 Native nations in the state. The program also addresses the health information needs of the Native American community at the University of New Mexico.

Native American Health Information Services focus on health information delivery and training, as well as collection-development consultation.

Native Health Database (NHD)

The NHD contains citations and abstracts of health-related articles, reports, surveys and other documents pertaining to the health and health care of American Indians, Alaska Natives and Canadian First Nations. The database provides information for those with an interest in initiatives regarding North American indigenous peoples. The NHD was established in 2007 with the merger of two earlier databases. In 2013, HSLIC received \$35,000 from the National Library of Medicine to update and promote the NHD.

Health Sciences Library and Informatics Center (HSLIC)

HSLIC is a state-of-the-art library that offers the following services:

Interlibrary Loan

Through our interlibrary loan service, we deliver articles on request to New Mexico health care providers and government agencies. For details, go to HSLIC's home page (<http://hslc.unm.edu>) and select "Interlibrary Loan" in the "Featured Links" section.

Borrowing Privileges

HSLIC will check out books and journals to health professionals who are licensed in New Mexico, as well as biomedical researchers and corporations that are located in New Mexico.

Literature Searches

We conduct medical literature searches to help New Mexico residents find information about particular health-related questions.

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