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## SELECTED JOURNAL AND RESEARCH DATABASES

**LICENSED DATABASES:** Veterinary-related databases are made available by the Stanley Mark Dennis Veterinary Library for faculty, staff, and students who access the campus network.

### **BEAST CD**

Coverage: Serves as an electronic index to literature. It is very useful in finding articles relating to specific topics and helps to narrow searches and verify citations. Beyond citing articles in academic and scientific journals, it provides abstracts, which summarize the articles. It contains information pertaining mostly to **animal management, production and technology**. The index contains information dating from 1973 to current.

### **EBSCOhost Electronic Journal Service**

Coverage: aggregated interface to our full-text electronic journal subscriptions and tables of contents for other journals. Outside the Ross campus network, use your Outlook Username and Password.

### **MEDLINE**

Coverage: (1966 to present) – is the world's premier biomedical database, covering more than 4000 journals in the fields of veterinary medicine, human medicine, dentistry, nursing, and basic sciences. Citations are bibliographic (author, title, journal, abstract when available). Outside the Ross campus network, use your Outlook Username and Password.

### **VET CD**

Coverage: Serves as an electronic index to literature. It is very useful in finding articles relating to specific topics and helps to narrow searches and verify citations. Beyond citing articles in academic, medical and scientific journals, it provides abstracts, which summarize the articles. It contains information pertaining mostly to **veterinary medicine and veterinary science**. The index contains information dating from 1973 to current.

## **“FREE” VETERINARY-RELATED DATABASES**

### **AGRICOLA**

Coverage: Animal science, biology, breeding, nutrition and veterinary science  
<http://www.nal.usda.gov/ag98>

### **COMPILATION OF LITERATURE ON THE ASSESSMENT OF ANIMAL WELFARE AND ANIMAL DISTRESS**

Coverage: Bibliography of articles related to animal pain and animal pain assessment. Some links to full-text articles are provided. Note: site has not been updated recently.  
<http://www.vetinfo.demon.nl/aw/>

### **CONSULTANT**

Coverage: Cornell Veterinary Medicine diagnostic support system. Signs, symptoms, diagnoses, and literature references.  
<http://www.vet.cornell.edu/consultant/consult.asp>

### **CONVINCE**

Coverage: Database of computer-aided instruction programs in veterinary medicine.  
<http://www.convince.org>

### **CURRENT VETERINARY JOURNALS (Universite de Montreal)**

Coverage: Provides tables of contents and instructions for authors for over 160 veterinary journals.  
<http://www.medvet.umontreal.ca/biblio/vetjr.html>

### **FOOD ANIMAL RESIDUE AVOIDANCE DATABANK**

Coverage: Current drug label information, official tolerance for drugs and pesticides, descriptions of screening tests and the effects of chemicals in food animals.  
<http://www.farad.org>

### **GREYHOUND RESEARCH DATABASE**

Coverage: Over 1,500 citations and abstracts regarding Greyhound research, including clinical research by practicing veterinarians.  
<http://www.agcouncil.com>

**INGENTA**

Coverage: Veterinary and animal science journals are included among the 18,000 journals covered by this table of contents and document delivery service. Updated monthly.

<http://www.ingenta.com>

**INNO-VET**

Coverage: Provides abstracts from the latest veterinary medical, human medical and other scientific publications for items of interest to the veterinary practitioner.

<http://www.inno-vet.com/>

**INTERNATIONAL VETERINARY INFORMATION SERVICE (IVIS)**

Coverage: Access to original clinical reviews on a wide variety of veterinary topics. Must register.

<http://www.ivis.org/>

**NORINA**

Coverage: Audiovisual alternatives to laboratory animals in teaching

<http://oslovet.veths.no/NORINA/>

**PubMed**

Coverage: Veterinary science and medicine. (one of the best)

<http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?holding=uwisclib>

**OFFICE INTERNATIONAL DES EPIZOOTIES**

Coverage: Provides full-text links to many OIE publications.

[http://www.oie.int/eng/publicat/en\\_publicat.htm](http://www.oie.int/eng/publicat/en_publicat.htm)

**TEKTRAN DATABASE**

Coverage: Recent research results from the Agricultural Research Service. A well-being, diseases, nutrition, parasites, and reproduction.

<http://www.nalusda.gov/ttic/tektran/tektran.html>

**TOXNET**

Coverage: Developmental and reproductive toxicology environmental teratology.

<http://toxnet.nlm.nih.gov>

## **VETERINARY CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS**

Coverage: Tables of contents and indexes to subjects and authors.

<http://www.medvet.umontreal.ca/biblio/gopher/bases/default.htm>

## **VETERINARY EPIDEMIOLOGY AND EVIDENCE-BASED MEDICINE PAPERS**

(John M. Gay, Washington State University)

Coverage: A list of basic veterinary epidemiology resources.

<http://www.vetmed.wsu.edu/courses-jmgay/EpiPapers.htm>

## **MAJOR GATEWAYS BY TOPIC**

### **VETERINARY MEDICINE**

Net Vet

<http://netvet.wustl.edu/vet.htm>

WWW Virtual Library – Veterinary Medicine

<http://netvet.wustl.edu/vetmed.htm>

Martindale's Virtual Veterinary Center

<http://www-sci.lib.uci.edu/HSG/Vet.html>

Health Web – Veterinary Medicine

<http://www.lib.msu.edu/health/hw/vetmed/>

AltVetWeb (Alternative Veterinary Medicine)

<http://www.altvetmed.com/>

EpiVetNet

<http://epiweb.massey.ac.nz/>

### **ANIMALS**

Electronic Zoo

<http://netvet.wustl.edu/ssi.htm>

Livestock Library  
<http://www.ansi.okstate.edu/library/>

## **AGRICULTURE**

Agriculture Network Information Center (AGNIC)  
<http://www.agnic.org/>

Web-agri  
<http://www.web-agri.com/>

## **ELECTRONIC BOOKS**

These electronic books are available through the International Veterinary Information Service (IVIS), a free nonprofit organization.

- All Species
- Avian
- Bovine
- Companion Animals
- Equine
- Exotic Species
- Porcine
- Small Ruminants and Camelids

[http://www.ivis.org/advances/toc\\_advances.asp](http://www.ivis.org/advances/toc_advances.asp)

## **REFERENCES: DICTIONARIES, MANUALS, ETC.**

**Merck Manual** (free but must register) -  
<http://www.merck.com/pubs/mmanual/>

**Merck Veterinary Manual** (Electronic version of the Merck Veterinary Manual)

Coverage: The single most comprehensive electronic reference for animal care information. Includes over 12,00 indexed topics and over 1,200 illustrations. Rapidly search by topic, species, specialty, disease, and keyword.

<http://www.merckvetmanual.com/mvm/index.jsp>

## Equine Multilingual Dictionary

<http://pages.globetrotter.net/bouletjc/vc2e/searvc2.htm>

## Veterinary Abbreviations and Acronyms

<http://www.library.uiuc.edu/vex/vetdocs/abbreviation.htm>

## Mediated Searching

Mediated searching refers to the interactive process between a search intermediary and the person requesting a literature search. If you are interested in having a biomedical literature search done, please contact the Library Director [ccumberbatch@rossvet.edu.kn](mailto:ccumberbatch@rossvet.edu.kn)

## Ready Reference

**Library staff** will gladly look up facts and answer ready reference questions related to science, technology, and veterinary medicine. Please ask at the Information Desk, or call extension 124.



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