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- **BIOSIS Previews** – The most comprehensive database for life science and biomedical research. Contains citations to items in over 6,000 journals, books, conference proceedings, and patents, in all areas of the life sciences, including genetics, microbiology, biochemistry, biology, botany, biotechnology, paleontology, evolution, and environmental pollution. Many citations include abstracts. Updated weekly. Coverage: 1926–present.

- **CINAHL Plus with Full Text** - Expanded online version of the *Cumulative Index to Nursing and Allied Health Literature*. Offers complete coverage of English-language nursing journals and publications from the National League for Nursing and the American Nurses' Association. Includes over 5,000 professional nursing journals, plus health care books and chapters, nursing dissertations, conference proceedings, evidence-based care sheets, standards of practice, educational software, audiovisuals, legal cases, clinical paths, drug records, research instruments, and clinical trials. Full-text articles available from over 770 journals, including the most-used titles. Covers nursing, biomedicine, alternative/complementary medicine, consumer health, and 17 allied health disciplines. Coverage: 1937–present.

- **Global Health** - Provides coverage of all aspects of public health at both the international and community level. It covers over 6,000 journals, reports, books and conferences, as well as over 1.8 million scientific records from 1973 to the present and from over 100 countries in 50 languages. Subjects covered include diseases; nutrition and food safety; medicinal plants; toxicology; social science and health service; community and public health service; policy and economics; environmental and rural health; occupational health; and sexual and reproductive health.

- **MedlinePlus** - The National Library of Medicine developed MedlinePlus for use by patients, their families, and friends. Provides access to consumer health information about over 900 specific diseases, conditions, and wellness issues in English, Spanish, and 48 other languages. Includes information on drugs and supplements, clinical trials and senior health, as well as medical dictionaries, a medical encyclopedia, videos, and more. MedlinePlus is reliable, up-to-date, and easy to understand.

- **PsycINFO** – Peer-reviewed literature in the behavioral sciences and mental health, with coverage relevant to psychology, psychiatry, and other mental health-related topics such as education, management, business, medicine, neuroscience, nursing, pharmacology, law, and social work. Contains citations to articles in nearly 2,500 professional journals, conference proceedings, books, reports, and dissertations. Coverage: 1597–present, with comprehensive coverage since the 1880s.

- **PubMed@UCLA** - The National Library of Medicine’s search service provides access to over 21 million citations in the health and life sciences. The database covers approximately 5,400 biomedical journals published in the United States and worldwide. Includes citations and abstracts to articles in medicine, nursing, dentistry, public health and the preclinical sciences (including genetics, immunology, molecular biology, microbiology, etc.). The Filters feature appears on the search results screen running down the left hand side and allows you to filter your results by date of publication, language, species, gender, etc. Coverage: 1948–present.

- **Web of Science** - Covers all disciplines and is particularly useful for interdisciplinary topics. Offers access to the *Arts and Humanities Citation Index; Science Citation Index; Social Sciences Citation Index, Conference Proceedings Citation Index; Index Chemicus; Current Chemical Reactions*. Content dates back as far as 1900 and covers 12,000 of the highest impact journals worldwide, as well as over 150,000 conference proceedings. The General search allows you to locate articles by subject term, author name, journal title, or author affiliation. Cited Reference search, a unique feature of ISI, lets you search for articles that cite an author or article that you specify. EndNote Web reference manager is fully integrated with Web of Science, and is available to all UCLA faculty, staff, and students at no extra cost.

- **Zoological Record** - The world’s most comprehensive index to zoological literature. Covers every aspect of zoology, including biochemistry, behavior, ecology evolution, genetics, etc. Over 5,000 professional journals, plus non-journal coverage, including magazines, newsletters, monographs, books, reviews, and conference proceedings. 75,000 records are added annually. Coverage: 1864–present.