

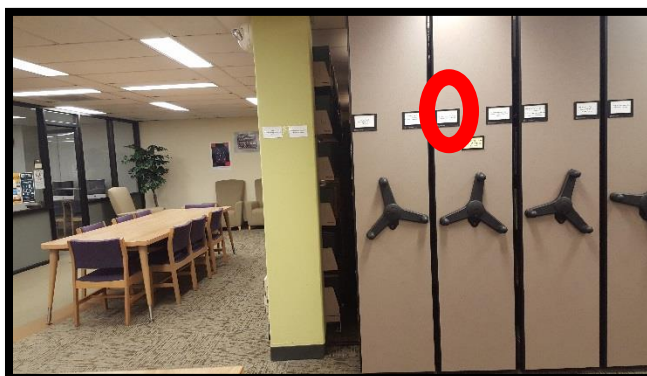
EXSS 110: FINDING RESEARCH ARTICLES

- I. IF YOU WANT TO FIND AN ARTICLE FROM A PRINT JOURNAL AT BENNER LIBRARY
Browse the *Journal of Athletic Training*.

JOURNAL TITLE	PRINT AT BENNER LIBRARY	FULLTEXT OVERAGE
<i>Journal of Athletic Training</i>	1999 - Present	1992-present



Current issues back to 4-years ago are on the counter-height shelving in the middle of the room. Third shelf back from the aisle.



Older issues are in the compact shelving. Second movable shelf from the General Purpose (quiet) Lab.

- II. IF YOU WANT TO FIND A **RESEARCH ARTICLE** ON A SPECIFIC TOPIC

- Use the database SPORTDiscus (pictured below) or Academic Search Complete
- Choose a topic, for example, "injury prevention"
- Limit to articles with certain words in the abstract: **method, results, study, research**

Searching: **SPORTDiscus with Full Text** | [Choose Databases](#)

"injury prevention" Select a Field (optional) Search

AND study OR method OR results **AB Abstract**

- III. IF YOU WANT TO FIND AN ARTICLE FROM A SPECIFIC JOURNAL

- Use the database SPORTDiscus (pictured below) or Academic Search Complete
- Limit search by changing the drop-down box to "SO Source" for the journal name/title

Searching: **SPORTDiscus with Full Text** | [Choose Databases](#)

"journal of athletic training" **SO Source** Search

c. Type the journal title. Choose one of these:

JOURNAL TITLE	PRINT AT BENNER LIBRARY	FULLTEXT OVERAGE
<i>Journal of strength and conditioning research</i> [ISSN: 1064-8011]	none	2004 to present Summon
<i>Physical therapy</i> [ISSN: 0031-9023]	none	1996 to 1 year ago Academic Search Complete
<i>Physical therapy in sport</i> [ISSN: 1466-853X]	none	2000 to present SPORTDiscus

MAKE SURE YOU HAVE A RESEARCH ARTICLE

- Research articles (original studies) have these sections:
 - Methods/Methodology
 - Results
- In a research article, the abstract and/or Introduction section explains the purpose and hypothesis of the study. Find it.
- In a research article, the abstract and/or Methods section will clearly state the following elements of the project design:
 - Number of subjects/participants
 - Measurement/test/activity used with participants



If you don't see the criteria listed above, you may only have a literature review or descriptive article. Go back to the database to look for a study.

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