



Some Useful LC Call Numbers:

<p><u>B: Philosophy, Psychology, Religion</u> BD 444 Death (Philosophical Aspects) BF: Psychology BF 575 .G7 Grief & Bereavement BF 789 Death (psychological aspects) BL-BX: Religions BL 504 Death (religious aspects)</p>	<p><u>H: Social Sciences</u> HQ: The Family HQ 1058 Widowhood HQ 1060 Gerontology HQ 1073 Death (social aspects) HM: Sociology</p>
<p><u>GN: Anthropology</u></p>	<p><u>R: Medicine</u> R 726 Medical Ethics R 726.8 Terminal care; dying (medicine)</p>

Looking It Up: Selected Reference Materials

E-Reference (Research Gateway >> Find eBooks)

Gale Virtual Reference Library

- Encyclopedia of Bioethics* (2004)
- Encyclopedia of Philosophy* (2006)
- Encyclopedia of Psychology* (2005)
- Intl. Encyclopedia of Marriage & the Family* (2003)
- Worldmark Encyclopedia of Religious Practices* (2006)

NetLibrary e-Books (“Reference Center”)

- The Blackwell Encyclopedia of Social Psychology*
- Death and the Afterlife: a Cultural Encyclopedia*
- Encyclopedia of Aging*

On the Reference Shelves:

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| <i>Encyclopedia of Sociology</i> | HM 425 .E5 2000 |
| <i>Encyclopedia of Anthropology</i> | GN 11 .E63 2006 |
| <i>Handbook of Death & Dying</i> | HQ 1073 .H36 |
- (See also encyclopedias for specific religions, BL-BX)

In-Depth Coverage: Circulating Books

**1. COUGARCat
 Library Catalog**



To find...	Search by...	Example
...a specific book	Title	raising the dead
...books on a topic	Keyword	funeral rites s:death and s:child*
		child* retrieves child, childhood, children s:death retrieves only items with a subject heading of “death”
** Check the subject headings assigned to items for additional useful search terms!		

Need an item we don't have? Try SUMMIT (orbis.uoregon.edu) to identify items; request Interlibrary Loan.

2. E-Books:

- NetLibrary:** CCC Library subscription to many current, academic e-books: www.netlibrary.com
- Freebies:** Public domain (out-of-copyright) works; try Online Books: onlinebooks.library.upenn.edu
 National Academies Press – current sci/tech publications & reports: www.nap.edu



Periodicals: Research, News, Hot Topics & Features

Journals: formal, peer-reviewed articles in which researchers report their new work

Trade journals: news, features and career information for professionals in a field

Magazines: news and features for non-specialists or the general public

Article Indexes (Access: Research Gateway >> Article Indexes; ask for passwords to use these from home)

EBSCO Indexes:

Academic Search Premier - all-purpose index for undergraduate research, lots of full-text

CINAHL – covers nursing and allied health – limited full-text

Health Source – Nursing / Academic edition

Professional Development Collection – focus on education

Psychology and Behavioral Sciences Collection – a subset of Academic Search Premier

EBSCO search tips:

- Use **and, or & truncation (*)** as needed – EBSCO defaults to a **phrase** search (unlike *Google*).
line 1: *pain or palliative* [and] line 2: *death or terminal care*
- Watch for the system's **vocabulary** – e.g., “older people” rather than “elderly”
- Use the pull-down menu to search just in a specific field (“subject”) for more precision
- Using the **Subjects** tab to browse subject headings may give precise results quickly.
- Use **Refine Search** to limit to items in **full text** or **held at CCC**; items >1 page long

Other Indexes:

NewsBank: *Access World News* (1700 world newspapers); *Oregonian* and *New York Times* (current)

New York Times (via ProQuest) – historical file, 1851-2003

Obtaining Articles Owned at CCC: Alphabetical by journal title in the **Periodicals** section.

Not owned at CCC: Request an article by **Interlibrary Loan**

Check **SUMMIT** catalog for other area libraries that own the title



World Wide Web Resources: a few good starting points

(see also our Research Guides on Web Searching and Web Evaluation)

Try: Google **Directory** (more > Directory)

Intute (www.intute.ac.uk)

Health > Mental Health > Grief, Loss & Bereavement

academically-oriented search engine; selected sites only

American Society on Aging (note link to Aging Today)

www.asaging.org

Association for Death Education & Counseling

www.adec.org

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

www.cdc.gov

International Association for Near-Death Studies

www.iands.org

Medline Plus (health information & fact sheets)

www.medlineplus.gov

National Council on the Aging

www.ncoa.org

Quackwatch

www.quackwatch.org

Sociology of Death & Dying

<http://www.trinity.edu/~mkearl/death.html>

Citing Your Sources: APA Format

Use **American Psychological Association** format for listing your references (citations). Refer to:

CCC Library's APA style handout

APA format website (www.apastyle.org)

Publication Manual of the American Psychological Association (Reference LB 2369 .P83)