Introduction to Human Services Resource Guide

Reference Sources

- The Autism Encyclopedia: Ref RC 553 .A88 A847 2005
- Child Abuse Sourcebook: Ref HV 6626 .52 .C557 2004
- Disabilities Sourcebook: Ref HV 1553 .544 2000
- Domestic Violence Sourcebook: Ref HV 6626.2 .D685 2004
- Drug, Alcohol and Other Addictions: Ref RC 564.73 .D78 1989
- Drug Use: Ref HV 5801 .I67 2004
- The Encyclopedia of Alzheimer’s Disease: Ref RC 523 .T87 2003
- Encyclopedia of Associations: Ref Desk HS 17 .G3344
- Regional, State and Local Organizations: Ref HV 6626 .5 .C57 2001
- The Encyclopedia of Child Abuse: Ref HV 6626.5 .C57 2001
- The Insider’s Guide to Mental Health Resources Online: Ref RC 437.2 .G76 1999
- Mental Health Disorders Sourcebook: Ref RC 454.4 .M458 1996
- Social Workers’ Desk Reference: Ref HV 40 .S6464 2002

Some Suggested Databases

- Social Services Abstracts
- Sociological Abstracts

What do I do when I find a citation without full text?

- **Find it Icon (SFX/Serials Solutions)** to locate possible full text databases for a journal article.

Illiad - Interlibrary Loan if we do not have online access or a print subscription.
Try using WebFeat (NEW) federated searching tool to search multiple sources at one time.

**Internet sites:**
Evaluating websites according to accuracy, authority, currency, coverage, and objectivity. Use handout to assist with website evaluation. If in doubt, ask either a librarian or your professor to help.

**New York State Resources**

- [Office for the Aging](http://aging.state.ny.us/)
- [Office of Alcoholism and Substance Abuse Services](http://www.oasas.state.ny.us/index.cfm)
- [Council on Children and Families](http://www.ccf.state.ny.us/)
- [Department of Children and Family Assistance](http://www.ocfs.state.ny.us/main/)
- [Office for the Prevention of Domestic Violence](http://www.opdv.state.ny.us/)
- [Department of Health](http://www.health.state.ny.us/)
- [Division of Housing and Community Renewal](http://www.dhcr.state.ny.us/)
- [Office of Mental Health](http://www.omh.state.ny.us/)
- [Commission on Quality of Care and Advocacy for Person with Disabilities](http://www.cqcapd.state.ny.us/)
- [Office of Temporary and Disability Assistance](http://www.otda.state.ny.us/)

**Orange County Resources**

- [Community Health Outreach](http://www.co.orange.ny.us/orgMain.asp?orgid=97&storyTypeID=&sid=&)
- [Crime Victims Assistance](http://www.co.orange.ny.us/orgMain.asp?orgid=231&storyTypeID=&sid=&)
- [Early Intervention Services](http://www.co.orange.ny.us/orgMain.asp?orgid=99&storyTypeID=&sid=&)
- [Department of Mental Health](http://www.co.orange.ny.us/orgMain.asp?orgid=50&storyTypeID=&sid=&)
- [Office for the Aging](http://www.co.orange.ny.us/orgMain.asp?orgid=50&storyTypeID=&sid=&)
- [Department of Social Services](http://www.co.orange.ny.us/orgMain.asp?orgid=55&storyTypeID=&sid=&)
- [Veterans Service Agency](http://www.co.orange.ny.us/orgMain.asp?orgid=56&storyTypeID=&sid=&)
- [Youth Bureau](http://www.co.orange.ny.us/orgMain.asp?orgid=57&storyTypeID=&sid=&)
Ulster County

Office for the Aging http://www.co.ulster.ny.us/resources/aging.html
Health Department http://www.co.ulster.ny.us/resources/health.html
Mental Health Department http://www.co.ulster.ny.us/resources/mentalhealth.html
Social Services http://www.co.ulster.ny.us/resources/socservices.html
Veterans Service Agency http://www.co.ulster.ny.us/resources/veterans.html
Youth Bureau http://www.co.ulster.ny.us/resources/socservices.html#Youth

For Additional Help

STL Select an Area to Research — Click on the Select an Area to Research button on the STL homepage for links to academic discipline-based areas to Research (e.g., Social Work, Sociology, Government Information).

Interlibrary loans — click on the ILLiad link from the STL homepage; create an ILLiad account (or use your present one if you have already signed up); fill out the interlibrary request form.

“Ask a librarian” — click on the Ask a Librarian link from the STL homepage to select options for contacting a librarian for help