West Library Resources in Counseling

This list is a summary of many resources offered by the West Library to aid you in your library research and should not be considered exhaustive. Please contact the Reference Department for further assistance.

Books

Reference

- DSM V: RC455.2 .C4 D544 2013

General Collection

The General Collection is on the Third Floor of the library. In addition to these books, you can search the library’s catalog. You may also browse the relevant sections of the library.

- Applied Psychology: BF 636-637
- Family Therapy: HQ 720
- Educational Psychology: LB1050.9-LB1091
- Psychiatry: RC 435-RC571

Handbook of Counseling Psychology: BF637 .C6 H315 2008
Readings in Family Theory: HQ 728 .R37 2008
Counseling Ethics: BF636.67 .J86 2013
Counseling and the Culturally Diverse: BF637 .C6 S85 2013

Journal Databases and Journals

- Academic Search Complete
- ERIC
- Education Research Complete
- Psychology and Behavior Science Complete
- PsycArticles
- PubMed

Individual Journals

- Counseling Today
- Elementary School Guidance and Counseling
- Journal of Applied School Psychology
- Journal of Counseling and Development
- Journal of Counseling Psychology
- Journal of Mental Health Counseling
- Journal of Multicultural Counseling and Development
- Journal of School Counseling
- Professional School Counseling

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Web Resources

National Institute of Mental Health: http://www.nimh.nih.gov/index.shtml
Texas State Board of Examiners of Professional Counselors: http://www.dshs.state.tx.us/counselor/
American Counseling Association: http://www.counseling.org/
National Center for Health Statistics FastStats: Mental Health: http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/faststats/mental.htm
PsychWatch: http://www.psychwatch.com/

APA Citation and Formatting Help

Basic Book

Last, F. M. (Year). Title of book in sentence case: Include the subtitle. City, St: Publisher.

Journal Article

Last, F. M. (Year). Title of the journal article: With the subtitle. Title of Journal, vol (iss.), pp-pp. doi:xx.xxxx

Web Page

Last, F. M. (Year, Month Day). Title of article. Title of Periodical or Website. Retrieved from URL

More detailed information can be found in the following:

- West Library’s APA Citation Guide (including basic formatting rules): http://westlibrary.txwes.edu/sites/default/files/pdf/apa_citation_style_6.pdf
- Publication Manual of the American Psychological Association, 6th ed: At the Circulation and Reference Desks
- Reference Librarians (reference@txwes.edu)

Reference Help

For help finding materials not listed here, for assistance using any of the library’s resources, or for help with bibliographies, please contact the West Library’s Reference Department:

reference@txwes.edu or kvandertulip@txwes.edu

Or, check out our web tutorials: https://www.youtube.com/user/librariankaeli/videos