

# Beyond Paperchase: *Library Resources for Global Health & Social Policy*



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# Life Sciences Library

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research...*”

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- Resources
- Instruction
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# LSL Webpage

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**Quick Links**

- CINAHL (Ebsco)
- MD Consult
- MEDLINE
- Ovid Online
- PUBMED with Linkout
- UptoDate - Note: no remote access
- Web of Science

**Forms**

- Request a book - ILL
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- Recommend a purchase
- Request a Consult

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**Research**

- Library Catalogue
- Article Indexes and Databases
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- Research Guides by Subject
- more...*

**Services**

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- Computing & Printing
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**About**

- Hours & Directions
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**Online Search**

Select a category  
This Website

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**News & Events**

Apr 30, 2007  
PubMed: 17 Million and Growing

Apr 25, 2007  
Life Sciences Library Announces Spring and Summer Hours

Apr 18, 2007  
Open Medicine Journal Publishes its First Issue

Apr 10, 2007  
Drug and Therapeutics Bulletin (DTB) Available on 30 Day Trial

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# LSL Subject Guides

The screenshot shows a Mozilla Firefox browser window displaying the McGill Life Sciences Library website. The browser's address bar shows the URL <http://www.health.library.mcgill.ca/research/sguides/index.cfm>. The page features a navigation menu with links for Home, Research, Services, About the Library, and Help. Below the navigation menu is a search bar and a "Search this site" button. The main content area is titled "Research Guides" and lists various subject guides, including Aboriginal Health, Alternative & Complementary Medicine, Anatomy & Cell Biology, Biochemistry, Biology, Biomedical Engineering, Biomedical Ethics, Clinical Medicine, Communication Sciences & Disorders, and Consumer Health. A sidebar on the left contains contact information for Lorie Kloda and Deborah Meert. The browser's status bar at the bottom shows "Done".

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Resources have been selected by Life Sciences Liaison Librarians.

- Aboriginal Health
- Alternative & Complementary Medicine
- Anatomy & Cell Biology
- Biochemistry
- Biology
- Biomedical Engineering
- Biomedical Ethics
- Clinical Medicine
- Communication Sciences & Disorders
- Consumer Health

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# Global Health Resources

Global Health Resource Guide - McGill University Life Sciences Library - Mozilla Firefox

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## Global Health Resource Guide

### Suggested texts

### Key Databases

- [CINAHL](#)
- [EMBASE](#)
- [GIDEON: Global Infectious Disease and Epidemiology Network](#)
- [Global Health Archive \(1910-1983\)](#)
- [Health Indicators](#)
- [Health Statistics at a Glance](#)
- [Health Promis](#)
- [HealthSTAR](#)

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# Global Health Resources

- [Suggested texts](#)
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# GIDEON

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Diagnosis Epidemiology Therapy Microbiology Tutorial

**Diseases** Graphs Travel

Fingerprint  Synonym

Agent: Bacterium

Vector: <Any Vector>

Vehicle: <Any Vehicle>

Reservoir: <Any Reservoir>

Country: < Worldwide >

Reset Search >

**Results**

- Trichomoniasis
- Trichostrongyliasis
- Trichuriasis
- Tropical phagedenic ulcer
- Tropical pulmonary eosinophilia
- Tropical sprue
- Trypanosomiasis - African
- Trypanosomiasis - American
- Tuberculosis**
- Tularemia
- Tungiasis
- Typhoid and enteric fever

Total: 342 listed


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**General** Distribution Images Clinical

Disease is found worldwide or in virtually every country

< Worldwide > @  
< Outbreaks > @  
< Surveys > @  
< Bioterrorism simulator >  
United States + @  
Afghanistan + @  
Albania + @  
Algeria + @  
American Samoa + @  
Andorra + @

Note:  
+ indicates that a country is endemic or potentially endemic.  
@ indicates that a country-specific note is available.

 iMap

**Tuberculosis in < Worldwide >**

An estimated 1.87 billion people (32% of humans) carry live Mycobacterium tuberculosis (1997).

- Tuberculosis is the leading infectious killer of adults, causing 2.8% of all disease globally, and 26% of avoidable deaths in developing countries.
- More women die of tuberculosis than all causes of maternal mortality combined.
- Among women ages 15 to 44, approximately 2.5 million are infected and one million die annually.

One human is infected every second. An untreated patient will infect 10 to 15 people within one year.

Pulmonary tuberculosis was diagnosed in 13.4% of AIDS cases diagnosed in Europe during 2002; extrapulmonary tuberculosis in 11.5%.

Approximately 8 million cases and 3 million deaths (including 300,000 under the age of 15 years) are attributed to tuberculosis each year.

- 6% of fatal cases occur below the age of 15 years.
- 178,213 tuberculosis deaths were officially reported in 1965; 156,880

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# Gideon: Disease Distribution

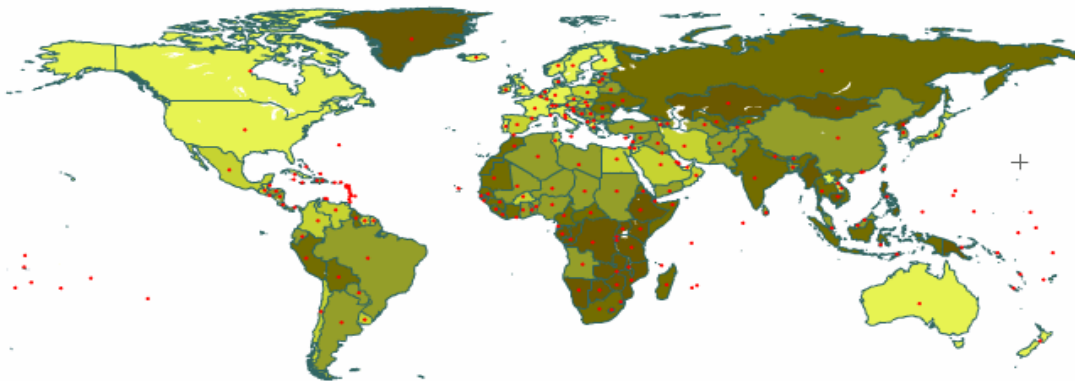
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Tuberculosis: Global distribution



Disease is found worldwide or in virtually every country



Annual Disease rates per 100,000 population

Not Endemic   >0 to 10   >10 to 25   >25 to 75   >75 to 150   > 150

● Click to view country-specific notes.

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## Health Services & Policy Research Resource Guide

### 1. Sources for Background Information

#### Handbooks

- Handbook of health care risk management (1986)
- Handbook of health communication (2003)
- Handbook of health economics (2000)
- Handbook of international health care systems (2002)
- Operations research and health care : a handbook of methods and applications (2004)

#### Dictionaries and Directories

**Health Services & Policy Research Resource Guide**

Sources for Background Information

- Searching the Library catalogue and/or Databases
- Key databases
- Additional databases
- Key Journal Titles
- Government Resources, Sites and Recent Publications
- Statistics & Data
- McGill Departments, Resources & Research in Progress
- Other Resources

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# LC and MeSH Headings

The screenshot shows a Mozilla Firefox browser window with the following details:

- Title Bar:** Health Services & Policy Research Resource Guide - McGill University Life Sciences Library - Mozilla Firefox
- Address Bar:** http://www.health.library.mcgill.ca/research/sguides/hlthservices.cfm
- Navigation:** Back, Forward, Home, Reload, Stop buttons.
- Bookmarks Bar:** My Yahoo!, HotMail, QuestionPoint Logon, McGill Library Podcast..., Speak Friend, and En..., Snackbars, Present, HSL Global Health Resour..., EBM Librarian.
- Page Content:**
  - Section Header:** 2. Searching the Library Catalogue and/or Databases
  - Table:** A table with two columns of subject headings.

Catalogue: Library of Congress Subject Headings	Catalogue or Databases: Medical (MESH) Subject Headings
Health Administration	Decision Making, Organizational
Health Analyses	Health Care Evaluation Mechanisms
Health Care Administration	Health Care Rationing
Health Care Delivery	Health Care Reform
Health Care Finance	Health Care Sector
Health Care in Canada Series	Health Care Surveys
Health Care Management	Health Expenditures
Health Care Planning	Health Plan Implementation
Health Care Policy	Health Planning
Health Care Reform	Health Policy
Health Care Surveys	Health Services Administration
Health Economics	Health Services Indexes
Health Informatics	Organization and Administration
Health Planning	Policy Making
Health Policy/ Health Reform	Public Health Informatics
Health Service Studies	Public Policy
Health Services Administration	Statistics
Health Services Management	World Health
Health Services Planning	*more detailed MESH subject headings below
Health, Society and Policy	
Medical Laws and Legislation	
Medical Policy	
Medical Telematics	
World Health	



# Accessing Resources

- Some databases McGill access only
  - \*connect VPN from home
  - \*check your institution for access
- All resources accessible from library computers
- ILL can get McGill material we don't own, and other institutions can borrow material from McGill Library

# Collaboration

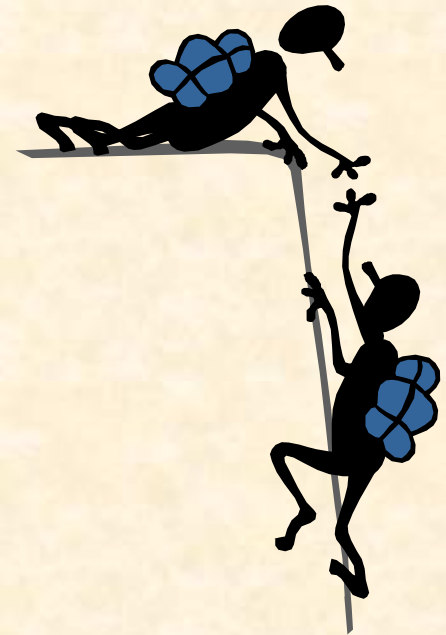
- Global Health a dynamic subject area
- Global Health Subject Guide as a Wiki
- McGill Faculty can add to/edit the guide anytime, anywhere
- The whole world can view the guide
- LSL will maintain and monitor the guide



# Global Health Resource Workshop

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- Health Sciences
- Law
- Government
- NGOs
- Academic/Professional
- Grey Literature



# Questions?



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