Nuclear Medicine
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Websites

Amarillo College Nuclear Medicine Department—information about the program at AC.

American Society of Nuclear Cardiology—Library contains articles on standards, competencies and other training info; some links require membership

Exploring the Table of Isotopes—Interactive table from Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory.

Glossary of Nuclear Science Terms — includes animations—From Lawrence Berkeley National Lab.

How to read a research article—Article in Journal for Specialists in Pediatric Nursing advises clinicians how to read a research article.

The Many Medical Uses of Radioactive Materials — information from the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

Nuclear Medicine Teaching Files— The Stanford University web page links to assorted medical schools and other collections of teaching files, cases and images. Another website with many resources is the Harvard Medical School teaching files from the Joint Program of Nuclear Medicine.

Occupational Health for Healthcare Providers—Sources about screening and prevention of accidents and infections, coping with shift work and stress, procedures to avoid needle stick, safe patient transport methods, dealing with hazardous material and more.

Radiation Dose Assessment site (RADAR)—Various resources that exist in the areas of internal and external dose assessment.

Radiopharmaceutical Package Inserts by Generic Name—Nuclear Pharmacy Education Online, University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences and University of New Mexico.

Radiopharmaceuticals by diagnostic category—From Medline Plus, National Library of Medicine.

Scitech Resources—a catalog of government Science and technology web sites.

Society of Nuclear Medicine—Professional organization web site.
**AC Library Databases**

**Health Reference Center Academic**— provides searchable full text information from medical reference books and articles from refereed periodical literature including full text of journals such as Diagnostic Imaging.

**Health Source: Nursing/Academic Edition**— provides articles from more than 500 scholarly full text and abstracted journals focusing on many medical disciplines. Also contains a medical dictionary.

**CINAHL Plus with Full Text**—Cumulative Index to Nursing and Allied Health Literature covers nursing, biomedicine, health sciences librarianship, alternative/complementary medicine, consumer health and 17 allied health disciplines. Contains abstracts or full text, depending on the publisher.

**STAT!Ref**—is an electronic medical library that enables users to cross-search more than 35 full text medical reference and textbooks covering physiology, pharmacology, internal medicine, obstetrics, psychiatry, pediatrics, urology, dermatology, geriatrics, emergency medicine and more.

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**Electronic Books**

Note: There are a number of books on this topic in the EBSCO eBooks database. These are just a few samples. Please log in using your WebAdvisor ID and password.


Print Periodicals

Located in the library on AC West Campus, a member of the Amarillo Public Library system (Northwest Branch).

• Journal of Nuclear Medicine
• Journal of Nuclear Medicine Technology

SMARTTHINKING—Free Online Tutoring

Read these instructions first and then use the link to AC Online provided below:

1. Log onto AC online (use web Advisor name and password).
2. Scroll down to the bottom right of the page.
3. Click on link that says “SmarThinking Online Tutoring Service.”
4. Follow the instructions for setting up an account. (Blue bubble with words: Click here to create your own account).
5. Now click here to go to AC Online.

Print Books

Librarians can help students identify suitable books for assignments. You can save time by seeking their assistance.

Washington Street Campus

Walk-in assistance: Go to the second floor of Lynn Library. Use the telephone located on the small table near the main computer sign-in desk to call the research help number, which is posted. The librarian on duty will respond.

Assistance by appointment: Call 371-5403 or 345-5582 to make an appointment for uninterrupted individual help.

Assistance by telephone: Call 371-5468 or toll-free 866-371-5468.

West Campus
**Note:** The West Campus Library specializes in nursing, allied health, criminal justice, child development, and mortuary science.

**Walk-in assistance:** Go to the AC area of the Amarillo Public Library Northwest Branch, which is located in the southeast corner of the AC West Campus (closest to Bell Street). (The AC area is located in the back right-hand corner of the building.) The AC librarian on duty will assist you. You will need a valid library card to check out a book. Call 371-5400 for information about how to obtain a library card.

**Assistance by telephone:** Call 356-3627.