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AJAN Australian Journal of Advanced Nursing

<https://www.ajan.com.au/index.php/AJAN>

Publishes a wide variety of original research, review articles, practice guidelines, and commentary relevant to nursing and midwifery practice, health- maternity- and aged-care delivery, public health, healthcare policy and funding, nursing and midwifery education, regulation, management, economics, ethics, and research methodology.

ANZJPH Australian and New Zealand Journal of Public Health

<https://www.sciencedirect.com/journal/australian-and-new-zealand-journal-of-public-health>

The research reported includes formal epidemiological inquiries into the correlates and causes of diseases and health-related behaviour, analyses of public policy affecting health and disease, and detailed studies of the cultures and social structures within which health and illness exist.

BMC Nursing <https://bmcnurs.biomedcentral.com/>

An open-access, peer-reviewed journal that considers articles on all aspects of nursing research, training, education and practice.

BPACNZ Best Practice Advocacy Centre NZ <https://bpac.org.nz/>

An independent, not-for-profit organisation established in Dunedin in 2003 to disseminate and communicate “best practice” evidence. Advocates for best practice in health-care treatments and investigations across a wide range of health service delivery areas.

Recognised by the College of Nurses Aotearoa (NZ) as providers of high-quality education; reading our online articles counts towards hours of professional development. This can be recorded via MyNC on the 'Continuing Competence' tab https://www.nursingcouncil.org.nz/NCNZ/nursing-section/Continuing_Competence.aspx.

COCHRANE Library <https://www.cochranelibrary.com/>

All New Zealand residents have access to reliable up-to-date evidence on medical interventions from the Cochrane Library. The Cochrane Library includes systematic reviews from the Cochrane Collaboration, a UK registered international charity and the world's leading producer of systematic reviews. These reviews bring together research on the effects of health care.

Directory of Open-Access Journals <https://doaj.org/subjects>

DOAJ is a unique and extensive index of diverse open access journals from around the world, driven by a growing community, committed to ensuring quality content is freely available online for everyone.

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[Asian/Pacific Island Nursing Journal](#)

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[Nursing Open](#)
[Online Journal of Nursing Informatics](#)
[Online Journal of Rural Nursing and Health Care](#)
[SAGE Open Nursing](#)

Journal of Primary Health Care: Journal of The Royal New Zealand College of General Practitioners <https://www.publish.csiro.au/hc/content>

Publishes peer-reviewed original research and systematic reviews and papers on improving performance that are relevant to its primary health care audience.

Relevant to Australasian and Pacific island countries and is a means both of moving research into practice and practice into research.

Published quarterly: March, June, September, December.

L.O.G.I.C: The official journal of the College of Primary Health Care Nurses, NZNO

Published four times per year in March, June, September, December.

https://www.nzno.org.nz/groups/colleges_sections/colleges/college_of_primary_health_care_nurses/logic_journal

Ministry of Health publications <https://www.health.govt.nz/publications>

Full-text access to current government publications, guides, standards, statistics and consumer health information.

For older publications contact the Ministry of Health Library

<https://www.health.govt.nz/about-ministry/ministry-health-library>

Nursing Forum <https://www.hindawi.com/journals/nuf/>

Nursing Forum is part of a partnership between Wiley and Hindawi and is now fully open access. Nursing Forum will remain a Wiley title but will be published and hosted by Hindawi. Peer-reviewed journal for research that explores, explicates or reports issues, ideas, trends and innovations that shape the nursing profession. From 2023 all articles are published as open access.

Nursing Open <https://onlinelibrary.wiley.com/journal/20541058>

Immediate open access to rigorous, peer-reviewed international nursing articles published in the Wiley Online Library.

Nzresearch.org.nz <https://nzresearch.org.nz/>

New Zealand's most comprehensive selection of research papers and related resources, this site includes peer-reviewed articles and other research from universities, polytechnics, and research organisations throughout the country.

Search theses or journal articles on nursing via the Advanced Search page.

PubMed Central (PMC) <https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pmc/>

Offers a free full-text archive of biomedical and life sciences journal literature at the U.S. National Institutes of Health's National Library of Medicine (NIH/NLM).

Sage Open Nursing <https://journals.sagepub.com/home/son>

A peer-reviewed open-access journal covering all aspects of nursing, and patient care across the various nursing specialties and related disciplines.

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