

# Open-Access Nursing and Health Research

## *NZNO Library Resource Guide*

### **AJAN Australian Journal of Advanced Nursing**

<http://www.ajan.com.au/index.html>

Aims to provide a vehicle for nurses to publish original research and scholarly papers in all areas of nursing.

### **ANZJPH Australian and New Zealand Journal of Public Health**

<https://onlinelibrary.wiley.com/journal/17536405>

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.

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

Cochrane library is a database focused on evidence-based medicine and assessments of health care treatments provided free to the NZ public by the Ministry of Health.

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

Independent community-curated online directory that indexes and provides access to high quality, open access, peer-reviewed journals in all subject areas. Click on Medicine>Nursing, then choose English for language, to bring up open-access nursing titles in English, such as the following selection:

[Aporia: the Nursing Journal](#) [Canada]  
[Asia-Pacific Journal of Oncology Nursing](#) [US]  
[Asian/Pacific Island Nursing Journal](#) [Canada]  
[BMC Nursing](#) [UK]  
[European Burn Journal](#) [Switzerland]  
[Frontiers of Nursing](#) [Poland]  
[Global Qualitative Nursing Research](#) [US]  
[Infermieristica Journal](#) [Italy]  
[International Journal of Nursing Sciences](#) [Singapore]  
[International Journal of Nursing Studies Advances](#) [UK]  
[JMIR Nursing](#) [Canada]  
[Journal of Nursing Research](#) [UK]  
[Journal of Perioperative Nursing](#) [Australia]  
[NSC Nursing](#) [Italy]  
[Nursing & Health Sciences Research Journal](#) [US]  
[Nursing Open](#) [UK]  
[Nursing Reports](#) [Switzerland]  
[Nursing Research and Practice](#) [UK]

[Nursing: Research and Reviews \[UK\]](#)  
[Online Journal of Rural Nursing and Health Care \[US\]](#)  
[Online Journal of Nursing Informatics \[US\]](#)  
[Quality Advancement in Nursing Education \[Canada\]](#)  
[SAGE Open Nursing \[US\]](#)  
[Science of Nursing and Health Practices \[Canada\]](#)  
[Witness \[Canada\]](#)

**Journal of Primary Health Care** <http://www.publish.csiro.au/hc/content>

Peer-reviewed original research and systematic reviews and papers on improving performance that are relevant to primary health care. Published quarterly in March, June, September and December.

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

[https://www.nzno.org.nz/groups/colleges\\_sections/colleges/college\\_of\\_primary\\_health\\_care\\_nurses/logic\\_journal](https://www.nzno.org.nz/groups/colleges_sections/colleges/college_of_primary_health_care_nurses/logic_journal)

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

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

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

<http://www.moh.govt.nz/notebook/nbbooks.nsf/mohwebsearch?readform>

**Nursing Forum** [Nursing Forum - Wiley Online Library](#)

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, making them immediately free to read, download and share.

**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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