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Unmatched content, exceptional currency and easy access

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Indexed/full-text titles: 180/142

Plus more than 700 full-text pamphlets, six full-text reference books (soon to be eight), 1,800 full-text topical overviews, selective indexing of full-text articles from an additional 1,500 general interest titles.

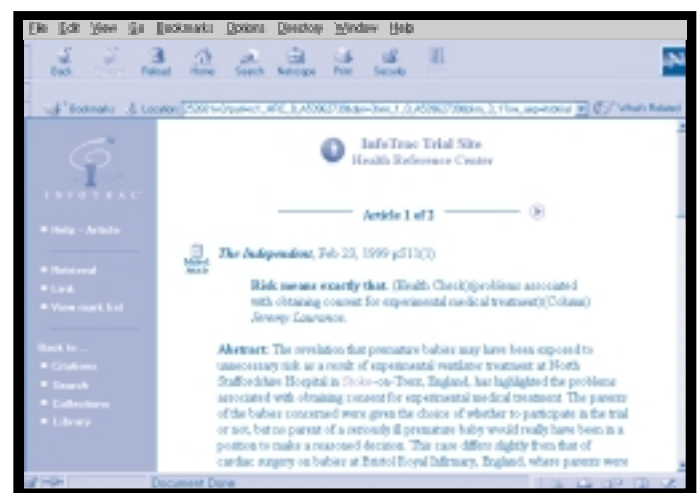
- Consumer health magazines
- Selected medical journals
- Educational pamphlets
- Health and wellness newsletters
- Topical overviews from Clinical Reference Systems
- Support/referral information from The Complete Directory for People with Chronic Illness
- Reference books including *Mosby's Nursing, Medical and Allied Health Dictionary*; *Everything You Need to Know About Medical Tests*; *The Complete Directory for People with Chronic Illness*; and *The Gale Encyclopedia of Medicine*

Winner: National Health Information Award

“Highly recommended for academic, public, and special libraries; its content and search interface will serve very well the needs of researchers, healthcare professionals, and healthcare consumers.”

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Source Type	Indexed	Full Text
Journals and magazines	4 years + current year	4 years + current year
Reference books	Current editions	Current editions
Referral information	Current editions	Current editions
Topical overviews	Current editions	Current editions
Pamphlets	Current editions	Current editions



▲ A wide variety of health topics are explored and presented in terms easily understood by a general audience

Sample applications

For the person at risk for heart disease who is interested in the latest approaches to prevention and treatment, Health Reference Center delivers:

- Pamphlets from The American Heart Association, plus the latest in treatment and recovery from *The Lancet and Transplant Weekly*
- Guidelines for healthy eating from the Nutrition Action Healthletter and *The University of California, Berkeley Wellness Letter*
- Tips on beginning a fitness routine from American Fitness.

For the patron researching the responses to the AIDS crises in different countries, Health Reference Center delivers:

- Overviews of critical issues in prevention from such broad-reaching publications as *World Health* and *World Disease Weekly Plus*
- Specific information on current research and treatment from titles like *AIDS Alert* and *AIDS Weekly*
- Educational pamphlets from the Center for Disease Control
- Information on public health policies around the globe from *Bulletin of the World Health Organization*.

For those thinking about starting a family, Health Reference Center provides:

- General information on pregnancy from *The Columbia University Complete Home Medical Guide*
- The latest research on fertility from the *American Journal of Obstetrics and Gynecology*
- Educational pamphlets from the Office of Maternal and Child Health
- Everyday perspectives on family leave from *Working Woman*.

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- Z39.50 compliance

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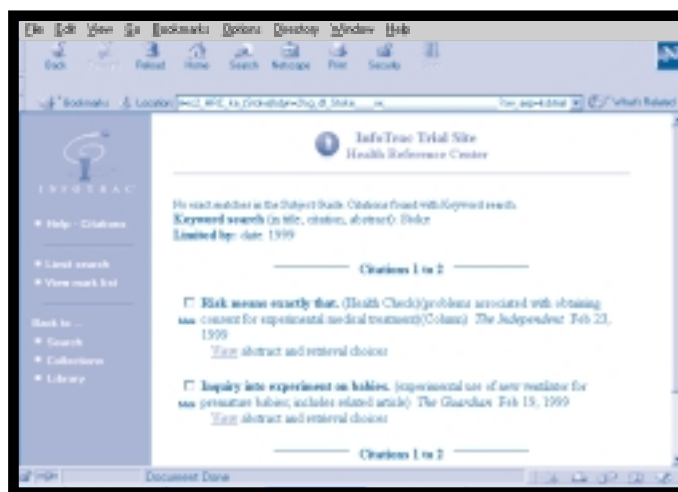
- The ability to preview and order full text and image articles from dumb terminals, workstations, PCs, and Macintoshes
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