

2. Provision by user group for MEDICINE

Resource	Students			Staff		
	Taught		Research	University	Clinical	Non-clinical
	Undergrad	Postgrad				
<p>Monographs</p>	<p>Years 1-3 RSL Years 4-6 HCL for lending and reference</p>	<p>Material may be held for lending and reference at the HCL or RSL depending on the location and needs of the users</p>			<p>Material for lending and reference is in HCL to support clinical practice, continuing medical education and professional examinations</p>	<p>CPD materials for lending and reference to support the National Skills Framework are in HCL</p>
<p>Reference copies of British books obtained by legal deposit and of current interest are provided on open shelves in RSL. Older legal deposit material can be requested from stack to any OULS ASR library</p> <p>HCL holds only current editions of books published in the last ten years unless they are of particular significance</p>						
Print	Multiple copies of lecture list	At least one copy of all	Specialised material	Research materials	Specialised material	Multiple copies of

	books at the RSL or HCL	recommended texts at HCL or RSL	purchased on demand at both HCL & RSL	purchased on demand at HCL & RSL RSL is Actively seeking to hold publications by university staff.	purchased on demand at HCL. Material also selected in accordance with NHS priorities	recommended material are purchased by HCL
Reference	Print versions of major encyclopaedias and handbooks, received as legal deposit, are held in the Radcliffe Science Library for reference. Print copies may also be held in HCL if not available electronically					
Electronic	Although relatively few medical e-books are currently held, requests for titles will be implemented as licensing requirements and funding permit				Dual HE/NHS licences are taken advantage of where possible.	
Serials	Clinical journals are held at either HCL or RSL. Reference copies of British periodicals obtained by legal deposit and of current interest are provided on open shelves in RSL. Older legal deposit material can be requested from stack to any OULS ASR library					
Print	The libraries are actively deleting duplicate subscriptions in particular where electronic access is available. One copy of each current medical serial is provided on open access in either HCL or RSL. The HCL are keeping a smaller collection of core titles (chosen by readers) as print subscriptions as well.					
Electronic	Electronic journals are purchased in packages and availability depends on current deals, which are often linked to print subscriptions. Recommendations for new titles are welcomed and implemented where possible.				Academic electronic journals are available within the libraries. Dual HE/NHS licences are taken advantage of where possible.	

	The library policy is to purchase electronic backfiles as these become available, funds permitting and to move towards e-only holdings.			
Datasets	<p>Bibliographic databases will normally be funded by OULS and made available via OxLIP+. Hard data collections are normally funded by other university departments and may be linked through OxLIP+ where appropriate.</p> <p>Major Abstract & Index databases available for Medicine currently include Medline, Embase, Cinahl, Psycinfo, AMED, HEED, HMIC, TRIP, Scopus, Web of Knowledge.</p>		<p>Databases on OxLIP+ can be used from within the libraries and via Single Sign-On.</p> <p>Major additional databases are UpToDate, Clinical Evidence (BMJ).</p>	
Report Literature	<p>Specific items as required for teaching, occasionally in multiple copies</p>	<p>Provided as required for specific research areas.</p> <p>Official papers (UK government and UN) are held in the Radcliffe Camera – <i>mainly legal deposit</i></p>		
Theses	<p>Hard copies of Oxford theses held at Radcliffe Science Library for reference only. Other hard-copy theses may be purchased on demand or supplied on inter-library loan. For some universities full-text theses are available online.</p>			
Legislation	<p>Legislation held at the Law Library. Books about legislation relating to medicine held in RSL. Law and ethics books are also held in HCL</p>			
Laboratory materials	<p>NOT PROVIDED BY LIBRARY SERVICES</p>			