

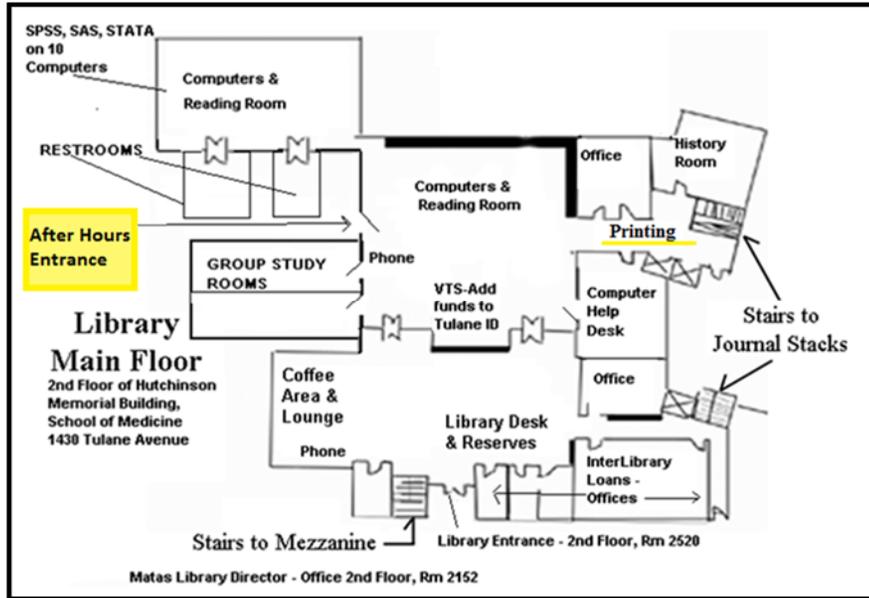


Rudolph Matas Library of the Health Sciences
LIBRARY GUIDE

Regular Library Hours

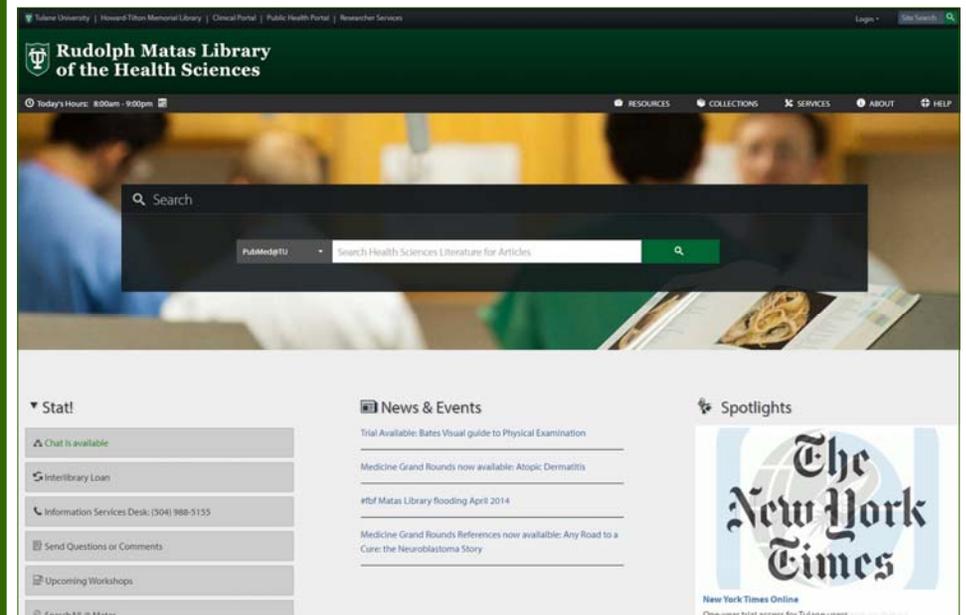
Daily hours and holiday closures are posted on library website.

	<u>Information Desk</u>	<u>Card Access</u>
Monday-Thursday	8:00 am - 9:00 pm	9:00 pm - 8:00am
Friday	8:00 am - 5:00 pm	5:00 pm - 1:00 pm Sunday
Saturday	Closed	24/7
Sunday	1:00 pm - 6:00 pm	6:00 pm - 8:00 am



Circulation Policies	Journals and "Commons" study guides	Books	Course reserves & current textbooks	Head-phones, laptops, markers
Circulation Period	2 days	28 days (4 weeks)	2 hour	6 hours
Fines	After 3 weeks overdue, a \$10 process fee and replacement cost of book will be charged.		\$1/hour	\$1/hour
Renewal and Holds	Available only on items that are checked out. Patrons will be notified when the hold item is available. Holds do not change the due date. Request via Information Services desk, online, or phone.		Available only at the Information Services desk	
Delivery	Book delivery and return for regular books is available between Howard-Tilton Memorial Library, the offsite depository, and the Matas Library.		No delivery available	N/A

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The Rudolph Matas Library of the Health Sciences serves the School of Medicine, School of Public Health and Tropical Medicine, Tulane National Primate Research Center, and Tulane's Hospitals & Clinics. Borrowing privileges are extended to faculty, students and staff of Tulane University, Tulane University Hospital & Clinic, and LSU Health New Orleans.

In the library you will find journals, books, and study space

Journals: organized alphabetically.

Books: organized by call number on the book spine.

Study Space: 1 Classroom, 5 study rooms and 288 seats for laptop studying.

Reserve study rooms weekdays up to 24 hours in advance for 3+ people.

Off-Campus Access

Use the library website for remote access to licensed e-journals, e-books, databases & library services.

Use Tulane technology account (user name and password) to login.

Do not use the "@tulane.edu" in your user name.

The Commons Area is available for socializing, study and coffee.

24/7 Access: Computers, printers, scanners, group study, phone charging station, VTS machine. 10 computers have SAS, SPSS, STATA & ARC-GIS, priority use for public health students. Use Tulane Splash Card for after hours entry. This is a quiet study zone.

Interlibrary Loan (ILLiad system):

Use to request articles or books NOT available from Tulane.

First time users must register online using their Tulane username and password.

TU Link Select TU Link to locate full-text, check the catalog, and request items from interlibrary loan.

If you can't find it: request a purchase or use interlibrary loan.

Subject Guides: Use to locate online resources by specialty.

Library Catalog: Use to search for a specific book or journal title. A link appears in the catalog record when an online version is available.

History & Archives: Resources from the late 19th and early 20th century. Ask for assistance. Most resources are in online finding aids. Materials may be restricted to in-house use only.

Printing/Scanning: B&W printing: 10¢/page; Color printing: 50¢/page; Scanning: free. Use TU ID for printing; add funds via VTS machine.

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Key Resources for Health Sciences

 = mobile app available

-  • **AccessMedicine:** online medical textbooks
 - **Biological Abstracts:** life sciences and biomedical research
-  • **BrowZine:** personalized browsable scholarly journals
 - **Cochrane Library:** evidence-based systematic reviews, meta-analyses and clinical trials
 - **ClinicalKey:** online medical textbooks & journals
 - **CINAHL:** nursing & allied health journal articles
-  • **DynaMed:** evidence-based clinical topics and drug summaries
 - **EMBASE:** MEDLINE, international drug research, health policy and management, biotechnology, biomedical engineering
 - **Gideon:** global infectious disease and epidemiology
 - **Jove Science Education:** videos of basic lab procedures
-  • **Micromedex:** evidence-based drug information and clinical answers
 - **OvidSP:** MEDLINE, Global Health, HealthStar
-  • **VisualDX:** differential diagnoses in dermatology
 - **UptoDate:** evidence-based clinical topic summaries. Available in Tulane Hospital and Clinics and the School of Medicine only
 - **PubMed@TU:** biomedical journal articles (MEDLINE)
 - **Psychiatry Online:** practice guidelines, DSM Library, *Textbook of Psychiatry*, full text psychiatry books and journals
 - **Springer Protocols:** laboratory protocols
 - **Web of Science:** interdisciplinary search, impact factors, metrics