

## Zetoc Features

- Covers over 20,000 current journals
- Over 2 million journal article citations added each year
- Around 500,000 conference papers added each year
- Over 37 million records in total
- Wide range of subjects covering all areas of research
- New records added daily
- Article abstracts are included (from mid-2009) for those journals where an agreement is in place between the British Library and the journal publisher
- Email alerting service to keep up-to-date with relevant new articles and papers
- RSS feeds for journal titles
- Links to the full text of journal articles and other electronic resources
- Order any article from the British Library's Document Supply Centre

## Zetoc Help and Advice

### Helpdesk:

Email: [zetoc@mimas.ac.uk](mailto:zetoc@mimas.ac.uk)

Tel: 0161 275 6109

(Ask for Zetoc Support)

### Website:

<http://zetoc.mimas.ac.uk>

### Mailing List:

[mimas-zetoc@jiscmail.ac.uk](mailto:mimas-zetoc@jiscmail.ac.uk)

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Providing NHS access to citations for the latest research articles and papers



## What's in Zetoc?

Zetoc provides the NHS with access to the British Library's electronic table of contents (ETOC) covering over 20,000 current journals and including more than 2 million conference papers and reports. Where agreed, journals from Open Access publishers (e.g. BioMed Central) are included.

It includes an email alert facility to keep you up-to-date with the latest articles in your field of research. RSS feeds are also available for journal titles.

Abstracts are available (for records added from mid-2009) for those journals where there is an agreement in place between the British Library and the journal publisher. If requested by your institution, Zetoc provides links to full text where available.

## Logging In

You need an Athens username and password to log in to Zetoc. Your local NHS librarian will be able to advise you how to get an Athens account.

Note: Some institutions authenticate by IP address to both Zetoc Search and Zetoc Alert. A username and password is not required.

## Additional Features

- List search results in date or title order
- View search history
- Modify and re-run searches
- Email search results
- Download search results

## Searching Zetoc

You can search Zetoc for journal articles and/or conference proceedings by entering search terms into the search boxes provided.

### Example Search Terms

Keywords, e.g.

- dermatology
- nursing

Phrase searching (uses quotation marks), e.g.

- "clinical research"
- "patient care"

Truncated word search (uses root of word and \*), e.g.

- health promo\*

Searches for health and promote, promoting, promotion, etc.

## Zetoc RSS

Zetoc RSS provides an RSS link alongside each of the journal titles in the RSS journal list, enabling you to subscribe to feeds for individual journals. You can subscribe to the feed in various ways, depending on your chosen RSS reader.

For more information on RSS feeds, see:

<http://zetoc.mimas.ac.uk/rss.html>

## Zetoc Alert

Zetoc Alert keeps you up-to-date with the latest articles in your field of research.

You will receive an email every time new articles are added that match your search criteria.

Set up email alerts to receive table of contents from your favourite journals, e.g. *British Journal of Nursing*, *BMJ* and *The Lancet*.

Zetoc alerts can include:

- **Journal titles:** select journal titles to receive regular emails listing all articles in the latest issue of a journal
- **Keywords:** enter single words or phrases to receive emails of articles with these words in the title
- **Author(s):** enter surname(s) and initial(s) to receive emails of the latest articles by selected authors, e.g. "barnard c" or "wilmut l"

You can have up to 50 searches in any one alert list, and you can create as many lists as you wish.

For information on setting up, modifying and transferring alerts, see:

<http://zetoc.mimas.ac.uk/alertguide.html>