



## LIBRARY

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## Scan, Seek and Save: Efficiently Locating and Organize Medical Evidence

Looking to upgrade your search skills? College librarians can bring the new two-hour Scan, Seek, Save workshop to your location, or join us at the College.

This two-hour, interactive workshop will expand physicians' awareness of high quality clinical information resources and build on their ability to conduct effective searches to find credible and evidence-based medical information. Practice online literature searching using various resources (e.g. Ovid MEDLINE, BMJ Best Practice, apps, and clinical practice guidelines). Know how to find authoritative patient information using MedlinePlus. Save key documents using Zotero.

### Skills gained:

- build expertise in conducting literature searches
- apply search tools to find reliable, evidence-based medical literature
- find authoritative patient and drug information
- store important documents for later retrieval

**Target audience:** Physicians with access to library services through the College of Physicians and Surgeons BC.

**Course format:** Computer, hands-on workshop with up to 20 physicians.

**Course location:** College of Physicians and Surgeons of BC or at a location of your choice.

**Prerequisite:** General familiarity with a computer (i.e. use of a mouse and limited typing) is required.

### This workshop also provides:

- classroom support to maximize learning and minimize frustration
- time for practice and Q and A

**Note:** Participants may need to bring their own computers depending on the location of the workshop.

**Contact:** Karen MacDonell, director, library services to arrange a workshop.

*This Group Learning program has been certified by the College of Family Physicians of Canada and the British Columbia Chapter for up to 2 Mainpro+ credits.*