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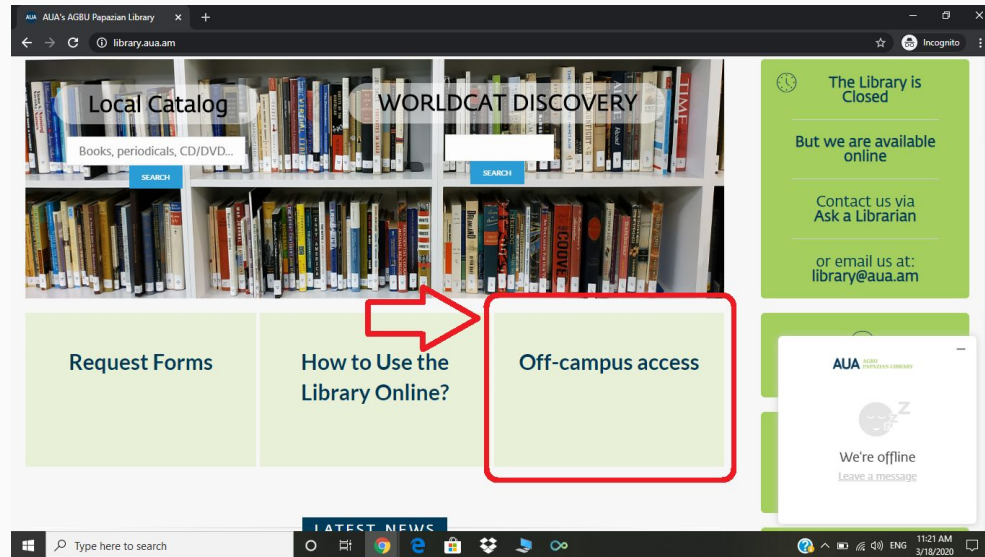
— Accessing the AGBU Papazian Library's e-Resources Remotely

— This presentation will guide you to:

- Access AGBU Papazian Library e-resources off-campus.
- Perform a simple and advanced search in a featured database (EBSCOhost).
- Use **limiters** and **Boolean Operators** to focus your search results.

How to Access AGBU Papazian Library e-Resources Off-campus?

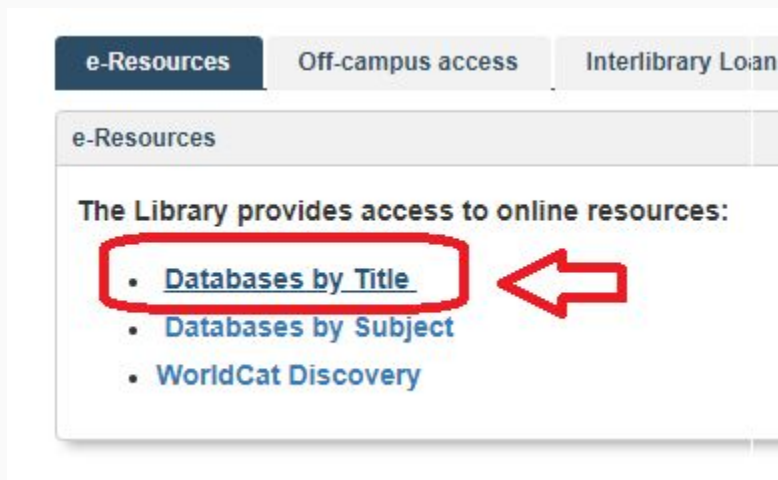
library.aua.am ⇒ Off-Campus access ⇒ Remote Authentication using your AUA network ID credentials



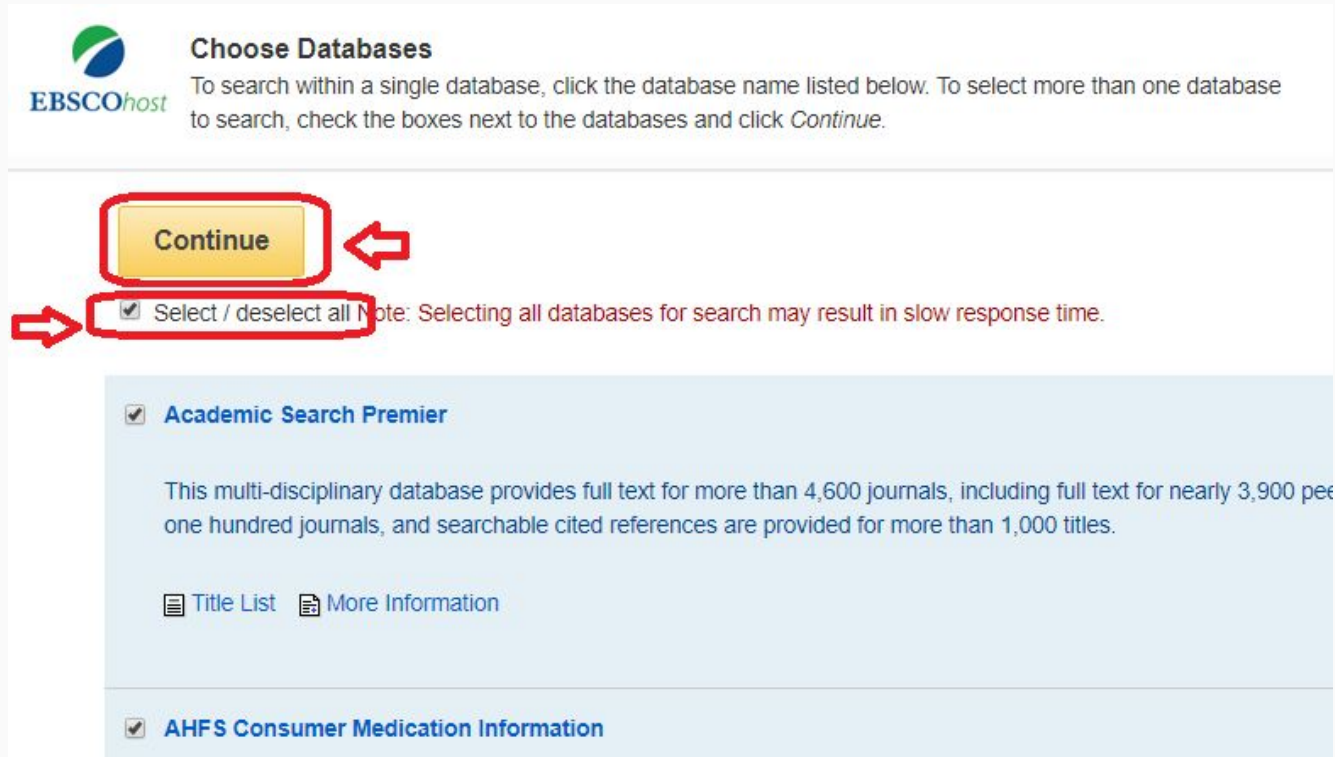
- You can browse available databases by title or by subject.
- To search a database, click on it and you will be directed to its website, where you can use the search engine to find the e-resources you need (e-books, articles, etc.)

Let's feature simple and
advanced searches in a
multidisciplinary database
EBSCOhost.

- Find and click on **EBSCOhost** in the list of databases by title, under the letter **E**.



- Select all databases and continue.



EBSCOhost

Choose Databases

To search within a single database, click the database name listed below. To select more than one database to search, check the boxes next to the databases and click *Continue*.

Continue

☒ Select / deselect all Note: Selecting all databases for search may result in slow response time.

☒ **Academic Search Premier**

This multi-disciplinary database provides full text for more than 4,600 journals, including full text for nearly 3,900 peer-reviewed journals, and searchable cited references are provided for more than 1,000 titles.

[Title List](#) [More Information](#)

☒ **AHFS Consumer Medication Information**

- Now you can type your topic terms in the search engine to find e-resources you need.

Type your
search terms
here



Searching: **Academic Search Premier**. [Show all](#) | [Choose Databases](#)

Enter any words to find books, journals and more



Search



[Search Options](#) ▶ [Basic Search](#) [Advanced Search](#) [Search History](#)

Search Types

- **Simple Search** - Search using **Keywords**. The search engine will look for your word(s) in all the fields of a record.
- **Advanced Search** - Search by title, author(s), year of publishing, ISBN, ISSN etc. The search engine will look for your word(s) in the specified field only.

Helpful Tips:

- Use **limiters** to refine your search results
- Use **Boolean Operators** to combine keywords

- To perform a **simple search**, type your keywords in the search box and click on **search**.

Type your
search terms
here



Searching: **Academic Search Premier**. [Show all](#) | [Choose Databases](#)

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Search



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- Refine the results using the limiters on the left side.

The screenshot shows the EBSCOhost search interface. At the top, the search bar contains 'public health' and a green 'Search' button. Below the search bar, there are links for 'Basic Search', 'Advanced Search', and 'Search History'. On the left side, a 'Refine Results' sidebar is highlighted with a red box. It includes a 'Current Search' section with 'Boolean/Phrase: public health' and 'Expanders' with 'Apply equivalent subjects'. Below this is a 'Limit To' section with checkboxes for 'Full Text', 'References Available', and 'Scholarly (Peer Reviewed) Journals'. A red arrow points from the 'Refine Results' sidebar to the search results area. The search results show 'Search Results: 1 - 10 of 2,907,337'. The first result is titled '1. Public Health : Some International Aspects' by Merrick, Joav. It is an eBook from the 'Public Health: Practices, Methods and Policies' series. The description states: 'Public health is the science and art of preventing disease, prolonging life and efforts and informed choices of society, organizations (public and private),...'. The subjects listed are 'POLITICAL SCIENCE / Public Policy / Social Services & Welfare; P Security; Public health--Social aspects'. There are links for 'PDF Full Text' and 'Full Download', as well as 'Table of Contents' and 'Most Relevant Pages From This eBook'.

- Select and apply different limiters depending on your search goals.

Useful Tip:

Experiment and try out the different limiters offered by the search engine to learn more.

The screenshot shows a search engine interface with several filter sections. Red arrows point from text descriptions to specific filter options:

- Show only results that AUA has access to** points to the **Limit To** dropdown menu.
- Show only peer reviewed articles (articles reviewed by other experts in the field)** points to the **Scholarly (Peer Reviewed) Journals** checkbox.
- Limit results to resources published in a specific time frame** points to the **Publication Date** range selector (1836 to 2020).
- Show only selected types of sources** points to the **Source Types** section.

The **Limit To** section includes checkboxes for:

- ☐ Full Text
- ☐ References Available
- ☐ Scholarly (Peer Reviewed) Journals

The **Publication Date** section shows a range from 1836 to 2020.

The **Source Types** section includes checkboxes for:

- ☒ All Results
- ☐ Academic Journals (2,022,100)
- ☐ Journals (1,272,275)
- ☐ Magazines (337,165)
- ☐ Trade Publications (142,096)
- ☐ News (114,353)

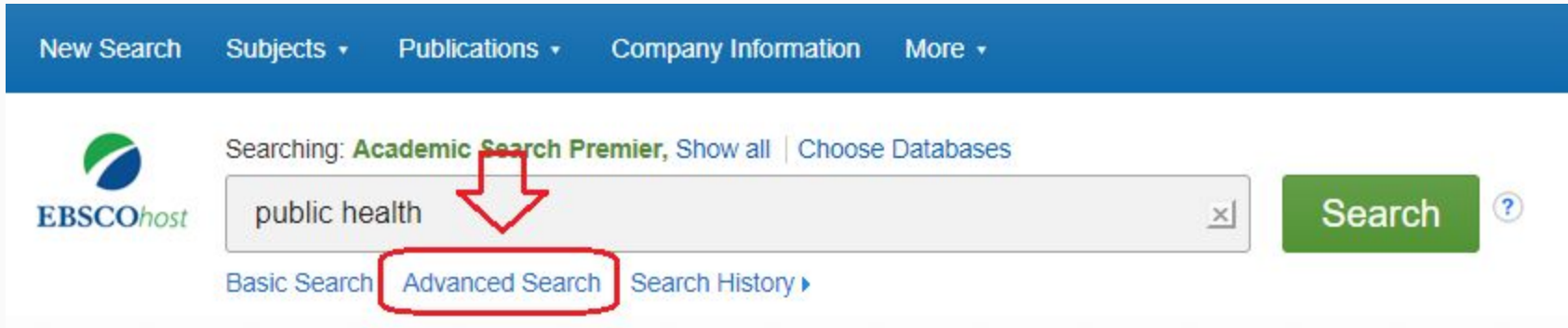
Below the filters, there is a section for **Video Results (3 of 1522)** with two video thumbnails.

Another filter you will find useful is the **Subject Thesaurus Term**; which will suggest selecting subject terms related to your topic to narrow down your search results.

Click on show more for more terms.




Now, let's perform an **advanced search** in **EBSCOhost**.
Click on the advanced search option under the search box.



Here you can combine several search terms, or search for a specific title, ISBN, ISSN, author, etc.

[New Search](#) [Subjects ▾](#) [Publications ▾](#) [Company Information](#) [More ▾](#)

 Searching: **Academic Search Premier**, [Show all](#) | [Choose Databases](#)

Select a Field (optional) ▾

Search

AND ▾

Select a Field (optional) ▾

[Clear](#) [?](#)

AND ▾

Select a Field (optional) ▾

+

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Select the field you want to search from the drop down menu.

New Search Subjects ▾ Publications ▾ Company Information More ▾

EBSCOhost

Searching: **Academic Search Premier**, Show all | Choose Databases

public health

AND ▾

AND ▾

Basic Search Advanced Search Search History

Select a Field (optional) ▾

- Select a Field (optional)
- TX All Text
- AU Author
- TI Title
- SU Subject Terms
- SO Source
- AB Abstract
- IS ISSN
- IB ISBN


Search

Clear ?

+ -

Select a **Boolean Operator** to combine your terms from the drop down menu.

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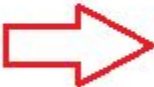
 Searching: **Academic Search Premier**, Show all | Choose Databases

public health Select a Field (optional) ▾ **Search**

AND ▾ Select a Field (optional) ▾ Clear ?


AND
OR
NOT Select a Field (optional) ▾

Advanced Search Search History



Add or remove search fields as you need.

New Search Subjects ▾ Publications ▾ Company Information More ▾

 Searching: **Academic Search Premier**, [Show all](#) | [Choose Databases](#)

<input type="text" value="public health"/>	Select a Field (optional) ▾	<div>Search</div> <div>Clear ?</div> <div><div>+</div><div>-</div></div>
AND ▾ <input type="text"/>	Select a Field (optional) ▾	
AND ▾ <input type="text"/>	Select a Field (optional) ▾	

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You can click on the **Cite** button on the right of a record to see its citation in different styles. Then, you can copy and use the citation in the style you are using in your paper.

The screenshot displays a library database interface. On the left, a sidebar contains options: 'Detailed Record', 'PDF Full Text' (with a PDF icon), 'Full Download' (with a download icon), 'Related Information', 'Most Relevant Pages From This eBook', 'Table of Contents', and 'Find Similar Results using SmartText Searching.'. The main area shows a 'Citation Format' window with a red border. Inside, a note states: 'NOTE: Review the instructions at EBSCO Connect and make any necessary corrections before using. Pay special attention to personal names, capitalization, and dates. Always consult your library resources for the exact formatting and punctuation guidelines.' Below this, two citation styles are listed: 'ABNT (Brazilian National Standards)' and 'AMA (American Medical Assoc.)'. The ABNT style shows the title 'Public Health : Some International Aspects' by Merrick J. with publication details and a URL. The AMA style shows the same title and author with a URL and access date. At the bottom of the window is a yellow bar with the text 'Export to Bibliographic Management Software (EndNote, ProCite, Reference Manager, RefWorks, BibTeX, etc.) ». On the right, a 'Tools' sidebar includes 'Google Drive', 'Add to folder', 'Print', 'Email', 'Save', 'Cite' (highlighted with a red box and a red arrow pointing to it), 'Export', 'Create Note', and 'Permalink'. Above the 'Cite' button, a red arrow points from the 'PDF Full Text' option in the sidebar to the 'Citation Format' window.

Detailed Record

PDF Full Text

Full Download

Related Information

Most Relevant Pages From This eBook

Table of Contents

Find Similar Results using SmartText Searching.

Result List Refine Search 1 of 2,907,560

Citation Format

NOTE: Review the instructions at EBSCO Connect and make any necessary corrections before using. Pay special attention to personal names, capitalization, and dates. Always consult your library resources for the exact formatting and punctuation guidelines.

ABNT (Brazilian National Standards) References

MERRICK, J. **Public Health : Some International Aspects**. Hauppauge, New York: Nova Science Publishers, Inc. 2016. ISBN 9781634846127. Disponível em: <http://search.ebscohost.com/login.aspx?direct=true&db=e000xww&AN=1226279&site=ehost-live>. Acesso em: 18 mar. 2020.

AMA (American Medical Assoc.) Reference List

Merrick J. *Public Health : Some International Aspects*. Hauppauge, New York: Nova Science Publishers, Inc; 2016. <http://search.ebscohost.com/login.aspx?direct=true&db=e000xww&AN=1226279&site=ehost-live>. Accessed March 18, 2020.

Export to Bibliographic Management Software (EndNote, ProCite, Reference Manager, RefWorks, BibTeX, etc.) »

Public Health : Some International Aspects

Tools

Google Drive

Add to folder

Print

Email

Save

Cite

Export

Create Note

Permalink

Click on the **Help** button on the top right for more tips and tutorials on using EBSCOhost.

New Search Subjects ▾ Publications ▾ Company Information More ▾ Sign In Folder Preferences **languages** **Help** Exit

EBSCOhost Searching: Academic Search Premier, Show all | Choose Databases

public health Select a Field (optional) ▾ Search

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Basic Search Advanced Search Search History

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Wondering what are the
Boolean Operators
and how to use them?

Boolean Operators (Boolean Searching)

Boolean Operators are simple words: **AND, OR & NOT** to combine or exclude keywords when using any search engine.

They help to:

- **Broaden** or **narrow** search results
- **Focus** your search by connecting search terms

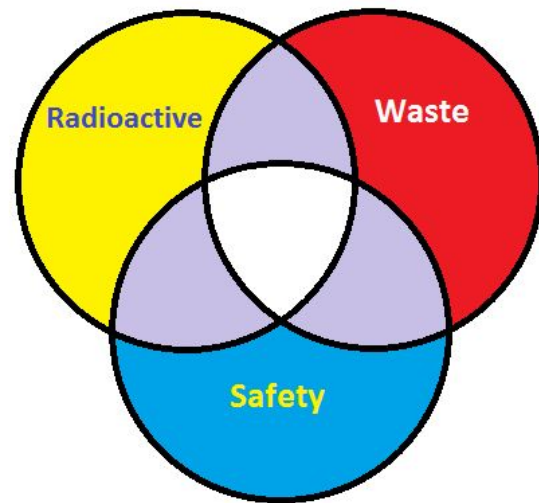
—
AND

Will **narrow** search
results:

Radioactive AND waste AND
safety



only records that contain all 3
terms



Some search engines automatically imply AND between search terms

Children Healthcare and Vaccines



Children AND Healthcare AND Vaccines

All search terms will be present in your results, but not connected the way you want...

Instead, use phrases in quotation marks:

“Children Healthcare” AND Vaccines

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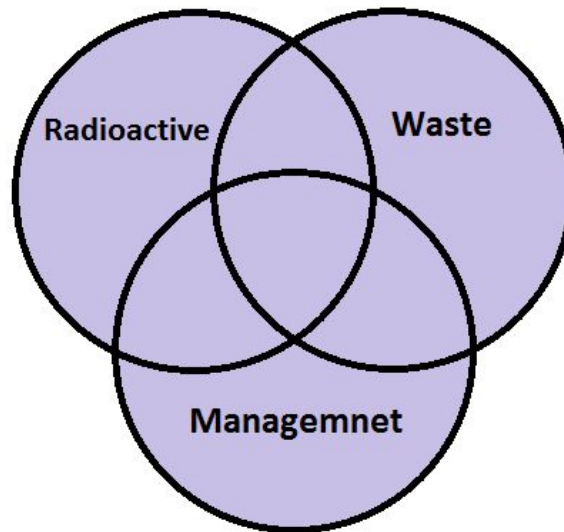
OR

Will broaden
your search
results

radioactive OR waste OR management



records containing any of the mentioned
terms



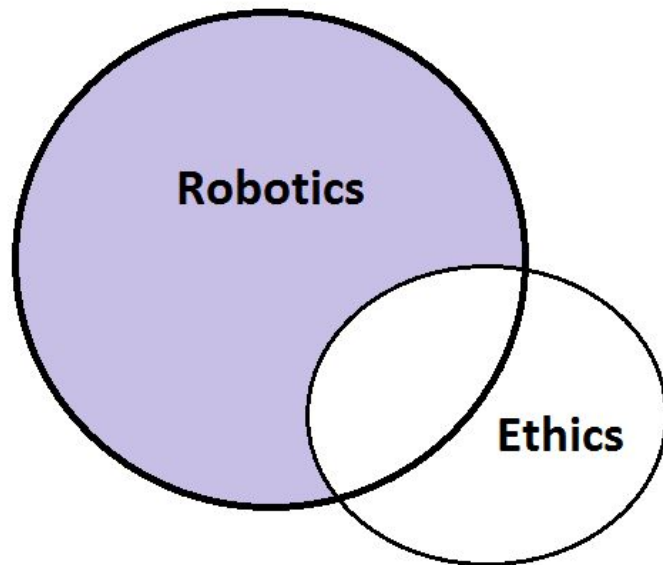
—
NOT

**Will narrow your
search results**

robotics NOT ethics



records containing about robotics
but (not about/excluding) ethics



What if I need to use a combination of Boolean Operators?

Use parentheses:

ethics **AND** (cloning **OR** medicine)

(ethics **OR** moral) **AND** (bioengineering **OR** cloning)

(cloning **AND** bioengineering) **NOT** ethics

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