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## April 2026

Greetings!

I'm excited to share some key resources available to you through the Cushing/Whitney Medical Library. As your nursing librarian, I provide a variety of personalized services to support your education, clinical practice, and research needs.

This quarter's newsletter will spotlight NatMed Pro along with books and articles focused on professionalization in nursing, catering to both those new to the field and seasoned professionals looking to grow as leaders.

For further information, please visit the [Support for Nurses](#) page on the library's website.

Best regards,

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## Resource Spotlight

[NatMed Pro](#), short for Natural Medicines Comprehensive Database, is a comprehensive resource for information on natural products and herbal medicines. Developed to support healthcare professionals, it provides evidence-based data on the safety, efficacy, and interactions about natural medicines, including herbs, dietary supplements, sports supplements, minerals, and vitamins. The database includes clinical studies, chemical compositions, dosage recommendations, and patient handouts.

## Leadership in the Literature

### **"How to Engage Nurses in Developing Their Professional Identity in Nursing"**

*The journal of continuing education in nursing, 2025*

### **"Exploring Influential Factors Shaping Nursing as a Profession and Science in Healthcare System—A Systematic Literature Review"**

*Healthcare, 2025*

For more articles on leadership and healthcare administration, explore [Healthcare Administration Database](#).

## Freshly Shelved Reads

### ***Narrative Nursing - What Does it Mean to be a Professional Nurse: Stories from the Field***

### ***Practical Strategies for Greatness in Nursing: The Nightingale Effect***

### ***A Leadership Toolkit for Nurses and Healthcare Professionals: From Student to Experienced Practitioner***

To view more books on this topic, visit the library's [virtual book display](#)!

Do you have a book you'd like to recommend for our library? [Suggest a purchase](#)!

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## DID YOU KNOW?

Join us in celebrating the 200th anniversary of Yale New Haven Hospital with the exhibit "Yale New Haven Hospital at 200: Advancing Care into a Third Century," on view from January 26 to August 17, 2026, in the Cushing Rotunda. This exhibition highlights the Hospital's rich history, showcasing its contributions to medical innovation and excellence in patient care, teaching, research, and community service.

For more information: <https://library.medicine.yale.edu/historical/collections/exhibitions/>

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### Zoom Trainings

Wednesday, April 15 at 11am

[Evidence, Stats, and More in the Web of Science Database](#)

Wednesday, April 22 at 12pm

[Finding Evidence for Healthcare Quality Improvement Projects](#)

Thursday, April 30 at 1pm

[Finding the Evidence: Searching Business Source Ultimate and the Healthcare Administration Database](#)

### Virtual Office Hours

**Thursdays from 12-1pm: [Zoom Link](#)**

Meet with your nursing librarian & get help with:

- Finding articles and books
- Literature reviews and searches
- Citation management
- Critical appraisal
- Reporting guidelines
- Anything library-related!

No appointment necessary – just drop in!

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### Library News

The library is currently trialing Consensus AI until December 31, 2026. This search engine can help you find evidence-based research with proper citations.

For information about the database, including how to access and review it: <https://guides.library.yale.edu/activetrials>



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