Database Searching

- **Psychology and Behavioral Sciences** (EBSCO) [RRCC Library Access] – peer-reviewed journals in psychology and behavior
- **JSTOR** [RRCC Library Access] – peer-reviewed articles in many fields including the social sciences and psychology
- **PubMed** [RRCC Library Access] – citations for biomedical literature from MEDLINE including literature on psychiatry and journals in various areas of psychology
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- **Campbell Cooperation** [Online Public Access] - systematic reviews in the social and human sciences that help inform policy

Books Available from the RRCC Library

- **Diagnostic and statistical manual of mental disorders: DSM-5**
- **Publication manual of the American Psychological Association**

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- **List of Psychology Journals**
  - The Journal of Psychology
  - Annual Review of Psychology
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APA In-text citation example:

Ellis (2017) explains the basics of how rational emotive behavior therapy works, "It encourages self-effort and the resulting experience of greater empowerment so that clients can rightly claim to take responsibility for, and create, their emotions" (p. 272).

APA Bibliographic/End-of-text citation example for an academic article:


- [Purdue OWL: APA Formatting and Style Guide](https://owl.lib.purdue.edu/owl/apa/apa_formatting_and_style_guide.html)

Professional Organizations
- [American Psychological Association](https://www.apa.org)
- [Association for Psychological Science](https://www.psychologicalscience.org)
- [Society for Personality and Social Psychology](https://www.spsp.org)
- [American Board for Professional Psychology](https://abpp.org)