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Collaborating Across the Campus: Librarians and Faculty Create a Course-Specific, Online Research Guide for Students

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The Challenge
The Solution
THE FIELD GUIDE FOR ELDERLY DEPRESSION
Practical Tools for Adult Children Caring for their Aging Parents
by Robbye and Rebecca Jarrell
Depression, Anxiety, and Within-Person Variability in Adults Aged 18 to 85 Years

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Mild depression and anxiety were investigated in relation to measures of within-person (WP) variability and mean reaction time from psychomotor, executive function, visual search, and word recognition tasks in a continuous age range (18–85 years, $M = 50.33, SD = 20.35$) of 300 community-dwelling adults. Structural equation modeling identified a significant Age × Depression interaction in relation to visual search for measures of WP variability but not for mean reaction time. Older more depressed adults exhibited greater variability. WP variability in executive function and other cognitive constructs converged, and the significant Age × Depression interaction with visual search was accounted for by WP variability in executive control. The findings suggest that age- and depression-related reductions in attentional resources may contribute to increased variability in visual search and that variability in executive control may be the mechanism underlying these effects.

Keywords: age, depression, anxiety, intraindividual variability, cognition

It is not uncommon for otherwise healthy community-dwelling individuals to experience episodes of depression or anxiety in their day-to-day lives. Although each episode may not obviously affect everyday functioning, it is possible that their effects manifest in relatively subtle, but nonetheless important, ways. It is this point...
LEARNING OBJECTIVES

By the end of the course, students will be able to:

1. Recognize the interdependence of the physiological, social/cultural, and psychological factors influencing their healthy well-being.

2. Examine the cultural, ethnic, gender, physiological, environmental, and socioeconomic factors that influence their healthy well-being throughout the life span and across generations.

3. Articulate their own definition of personal health.

4. Conduct their own personal wellness inventory in order to identify the knowledge, skills, and behaviors necessary for achieving both psychological and physiological well-being.

5. Recognize the influences of the academic environment on their personal health behaviors.

6. Practice the interpersonal skills necessary for negotiating and advocating for safe and healthy social environments.

7. Identify and use available university services and resources that promote their academic and personal development.
LIBGUIDE OBJECTIVES

1. Learn how to connect to the King Library’s scholarly and professional resources to find books, websites, and articles.

2. Learn how to construct, use, and evaluate search strategies for finding books, websites, and articles on specific topics.

3. Learn how to retrieve the full text of articles.

4. Learn where and when to ask for assistance.
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Researching for Health Science 1

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A handout and the worksheet that you turn in to your instructor are in the box to the right.
1. Begin your research by watching three short videos on the resources you'll need to complete your project. (Note: It's best to watch them in order):
   a. Finding Websites (2 mins.)
   b. Finding Books (3 mins.)
   c. Finding Articles (6 mins.)
   (If you prefer reading to watching, review this PDF instead.)

2. When you've finished the tutorials, take the quiz at the end of the "Finding Articles" video.

3. Next, use each of the tabs above to find reliable websites, books, and articles for your Health Science 1 assignments. The Help tab links to online and in-person help and the APA tab links to resources for citing your sources in APA style.

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Assessment
1. What kind of articles should you search for in Academic Search Premier or any other database while starting research for Health Science 1?
   A. Magazine articles
   B. Newspaper articles
   C. Peer-reviewed articles
   D. Not sure

2. What should you do to find an article that is listed in your search, but does not have a full-text option?
   A. Go to the library to find it
   B. Click the Get Text button to see if it is available in another database
   C. Skip that article and move to the next option
   D. Not sure

3. What did you learn that was new to you?
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