### Rudolph Matas Library of the Health Sciences LIBRARY GUIDE

#### Regular Library Hours

Daily hours and holiday closures are posted on library website.

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<td>Monday-Thursday</td>
<td>8:00 am - 8:45 pm</td>
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<td>Friday</td>
<td>8:00 am - 4:45 pm</td>
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<td>Saturday</td>
<td>Closed</td>
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<td>Sunday</td>
<td>1:00 pm - 5:45 pm</td>
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**Circulation Policies**

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<td>Circulation Period</td>
<td>2 days</td>
<td>28 days (4 weeks)</td>
<td>2 hour</td>
<td>6 hours</td>
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<td>Fines</td>
<td>After 3 weeks overdue, a $10 process fee and replacement cost of book will be charged.</td>
<td>$1/hour</td>
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<td>Renewal and Holds</td>
<td>Available only on items that are checked out. Patrons will be notified when the hold item is available. Holds do not change the due date. Request via Information Services desk</td>
<td>Available only at the Information Services desk</td>
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<td>Delivery</td>
<td>Book delivery and return for regular books is available between Howard-Tilton Memorial Library, the offsite depository, and the Matas Library.</td>
<td>No delivery available</td>
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The Rudolph Matas Library of the Health Sciences serves the School of Medicine, School of Public Health and Tropical Medicine, Tulane National Primate Research Center, and Tulane’s Hospitals & Clinics. Borrowing privileges are extended to faculty, students and staff of Tulane University, Tulane University Hospital & Clinic, and LSUHSC-New Orleans.

In the library you will find journals, books, and study space
Journals: organized alphabetically.
Books: organized by call number on the book spine.
Study Space: 1 Classroom, 5 study rooms and 288 seats for laptop studying. Reserve study rooms weekdays up to 24 hours in advance for 3+ people.

Off-Campus Access
Use the library website for remote access to licensed e-journals, e-books, databases & library services.
Use Tulane technology account (user name and password) to login.
Do not use the "@tulane.edu" in your user name.

The Commons Area is available for socializing and study.
24/7 Access: Computers, printers, scanners, standing desks, lockers, group study, phone charging station, VTS machine. 10 computers have SAS, SPSS, STATA & ARC-GIS, priority use for public health students. Use Tulane Splash Card for after hours entry. This is a quiet study area.

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Use to request articles or books NOT available from Tulane.
First time users must register online using their Tulane username and password.

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Key Resources for Health Sciences
- AccessMedicine: online medical textbooks
- Biological Abstracts: life sciences and biomedical research
- BrowZine: personalized, browsable scholarly journals
- Cochrane Library: evidence-based systematic reviews, meta-analyses and clinical trials
- ClinicalKey: online medical textbooks & journals
- CINAHL: nursing & allied health journal articles
- DynaMed Plus: evidence-based clinical topics and drug summaries
- EMBASE: MEDLINE, international drug research, health policy and management, biotechnology, biomedical engineering
- Gideon: global infectious disease and epidemiology
- Jove Science Education: videos of basic lab procedures
- IBM Micromedex: evidence-based drug information, drug interactions, IV compatibility, NeoFax & Pediatrics, and clinical answers
- OvidSP: MEDLINE, Global Health, HealthStar
- Psychiatry Online: practice guidelines, DSM Library, Textbook of Psychiatry, full text psychiatry books and journals
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History & Archives: Resources from the late 19th and early 20th century. Ask for assistance. Most resources are in online finding aids. Materials may be restricted to in-house use only.

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