Library catalogue guide
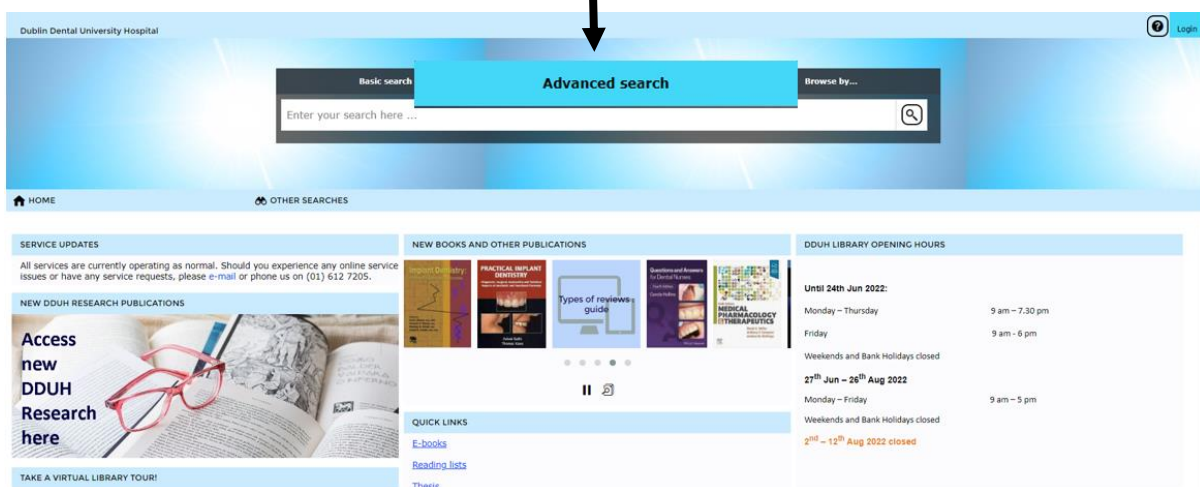# Advanced Search

Find books, e-books, journals, e-journals, reports, audio-visual materials etc.

Access from the Library website http://www.dentalhospital.ie/education/library/. For some features of advanced searching, you will need to be logged in to the catalogue. You will be prompted for your Athens login to access e-books and e-journals where necessary.

Advanced search

Select the Advanced Search either here:

Or here:

Search options

Enter your search terms into any of the fields you want to search and click 🔍
You can use any combination of search fields. Subject field searches for MeSH headings. If you want to do a keyword search instead, use the Main search field.

Search tools
Choose from the following – defaults to best match:

Search tool definitions

Best match	presents matches in the order of Exact Match, the phrase, all the words, any of the words.
All words	performs a Boolean "AND" search, looking for resources that contain all of the words specified, but not necessarily together.
Any of the words	performs a Boolean "OR" search where at least one word out of several words in a search query will be in a resource.

Phrase	searches for resources that contain the specified terms in the specified order. It is the same as putting search terms into quotes ("").
Exact match	only displays records that are a 100% match for the entered search term. It will not display a result when the terms used are part of a larger title or subject etc.

Limits

Search within current results only	refines a search via the criteria in Advanced search for the current list result
Include non-physical items	defaults to ticked, if unticked excludes online resources , websites etc.
Year From Year To	restricts to a particular publication date range
Collections	limits by collection in which resource is located

Author, Subject, Series and Publisher Authority Lookup

Check the indexes for a subject or author. Type in the search term, then click
A second window opens and the index displays. Indexes include cross-references such as USE [instead]. See Also, narrower terms and broader terms.
Click on the term required, you will see it appear in the 'Selected Terms' box on the left, or when using multiples, join with "OR".

Click **Finish**, to take you back to the main search window.

Click to search