Information literacy policy/
St George’s Library

St George’s Library seeks to support staff and students of St George’s, University of London and NHS partners in learning, teaching and research. It accomplishes this through the provision of relevant information resources and a commitment to information literacy as set out below.

All library members

- All library members will have access to the information skills and IT training programmes run by St George’s Library.
- All library members will have access to online and printed support material.
- All library members will have access to 1-2-1 support from their Liaison Librarian and the librarians at the Research Enquiries Desk. Support may be in person, by telephone or email.

Undergraduate students:

- All undergraduate students will be offered a library induction at the start of their course.
- Students at level 4 (Foundation Degrees) and levels 5 & 6 (BSc) will have appropriate information literacy training at key points in their course, arranged in consultation with academic staff.

Taught postgraduate students and Workforce development students:

- All taught postgraduate students (Level 7) will be offered a library induction at the start of their course.
- Postgraduate students will have appropriate information literacy training at strategic points in their course arranged in consultation with academic staff.
- Students on standalone postgraduate modules and Workforce Development courses will be offered at least one information literacy training session to support their studies.

Academic staff, researchers and research students

- All academic staff and researchers will be offered a 1-2-1 induction to library services and resources at the start of their employment.
- Research students will be offered the opportunity to participate in information literacy training as part of their skills programme

NHS staff

- NHS staff will be offered information on library services and resources during their induction.
- Information literacy sessions focusing on NHS resources will be offered on a regular basis and bespoke sessions can be arranged with the NHS Liaison Librarian.

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