

#	Questions	Possible Answers	Total Answers	Percentage
1	How frequently did you go to your school library while you were doing your nursing program?	Never	6	13.6%
		1-3 times a semester	17	38.6%
		Once a month	11	25.0%
		Once a week	8	18.2%
		More than once a week	2	4.5%
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2	How frequently did you use your school library resources from a computer either at home or at school while you were doing your nursing program?	Never	6	13.6%
		1-3 times a semester	17	38.6%
		Once a month	11	25.0%
		Once a week	6	13.6%
		More than once a week	4	9.1%
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3	Why did you go to or use online resources from your school library? Choose all that apply	Research for a class	31	30.1%
		Preparation for a class project	30	29.1%
		Study for an exam	18	17.5%
		Look up drug info, lab value or other specific measurement	12	11.7%
		Extra reading	5	4.9%
		Other (explain)	7	6.8%
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4	What kinds of things did you use at or from your school library? Choose all that apply	Textbooks	22	21.2%
		Encyclopedia	7	6.7%
		Journals/Magazines	32	30.8%
		Drug reference book	11	10.6%
		Instructional videos	26	25.0%
		Other (explain)	6	5.8%

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5	What feaures did you like about your school library? Choose all that apply	Helpful librarians	25	23.8%
		Good study space	26	24.8%
		Good place to meet friends	8	7.6%
		Always found what was needed	14	13.3%
		Good computers	27	25.7%
		Other (explain)	5	4.8%
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6	What features did you not like about your school library? Choose all that apply	Didn't have what you needed	8	11.6%
		Couldn't find what you needed	10	14.5%
		Hours limited	20	29.0%
		Computers not adequate	5	7.2%
		Unhelpful librarian	2	2.9%
		Too crowded or noisey	11	15.9%
		Not cool to go to the library	0	0.0%
		Other (explain)	13	18.8%
			69	
7	What features of a library are most important to you? Choose all that apply	Have books and journals you need	40	17.1%
		Have computer resources you need	39	16.7%
		ask for help	22	9.4%
		Help from librarian to find things you need	38	16.2%
		Have adequate computers	31	13.2%
		To be open all the time	25	10.7%
		To be a comfortable place to research and study	39	16.7%
		Other (explain)	0	0.0%
			234	
		Expert: I always know where to look and get what I need; I never need any help	1	0.02

8	How would you rate yourself as a user of online resources from the library at your school?	I'm not afraid of the process	30	0.68
		need most of the time	11	0.25
		information because I can't find good stuff	1	0.02
		Clueless: I really have no idea how to look for information	1	0.02
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9	How would you rate yourself as a user of print resources from your school library?	Expert	2	4.5%
		Comfortable	35	79.5%
		Challenged	6	13.6%
		Suffering	0	0.0%
		Clueless	1	2.3%
			44	
10	How would you rate yourself on being able to find information from the internet?	Expert	6	13.6%
		Comfortable	32	72.7%
		Challenged	6	13.6%
		Suffering	0	0.0%
		Clueless	0	0.0%
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11	In general when you need something, how do you find the information? Choose all that apply	Ask a friend or other student	33	35.1%
		Ask a relative or "respected adult"	1	1.1%
		Ask a librarian	9	9.6%
		Look in a book or directory	16	17.0%
		Surf the internet	33	35.1%
		Other (explain)	2	2.1%
			94	
12	If you can't find information you need, what do you do? Choose all that apply	Ask a friend or other student	33	42.3%
		Ask a librarian	7	9.0%
		Try looking in a different place	13	16.7%
		Change your topic to fit the information that you did find	18	23.1%
		info you really need	1	1.3%
		Give up and go home	5	6.4%
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13	At your school library, did you receive training on how to use: Choose all that apply	CINAHL	7	14.0%
		Medline	10	20.0%
		Medline Plus	4	8.0%
		Full text journal database such as EBSCO or OVID	23	46.0%
		Knowledge databases such as MD Consult or Up To Date	6	12.0%
			50	
14	With or without training from your school, do you know how to use: Choose all that apply	Medline	21	39.6%
		Medline Plus	3	5.7%
		Full text journal database such as EBSCO or OVID	17	32.1%
		Knowledge databases such as MD Consult or Up To Date	12	22.6%
			53	
15	Did you receive training at your school on how to verify the accuracy of health information you found on the internet?	Yes	13	29.5%
		No	31	70.5%
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16	Do you use a PDA/palm computer for nursing applications?	Yes	17	38.6%
		No	27	61.4%
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17	Would you like to use a PDA for nursing applications?	Yes	42	95.5%
		No	2	4.5%
			44	

Other Answers For This Question

I never did. I did not know about it	I never used my school library	study group	I did not use the library at my school, it was a 45 minute drive to another town	Online nursing program	online nursing	Didn't use the library
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None	never used	none	internet access	electronic media	internet	computer lab, group rooms
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Actually, our school was out of town so I didn't utilize it very much	N/A	quick computers	easy access online	access of info. online from home
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Out of town	location not close to home	N/A	Not enough computers	none	could not concentrate there	old old textbooks	Very COLD temperature	limited resources	Too far away from home	Too far away from home	Library too far from home
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Teachers/Instructors	Look at information sites provided by the school access sites	ebscohost journal and magazines
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