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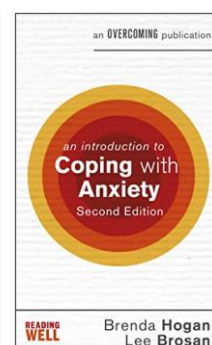
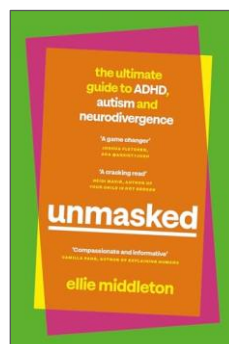
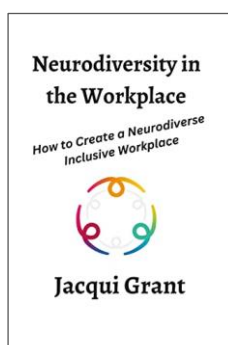
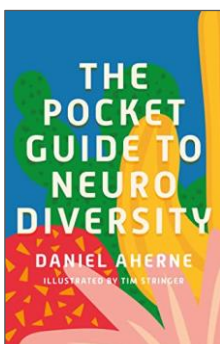
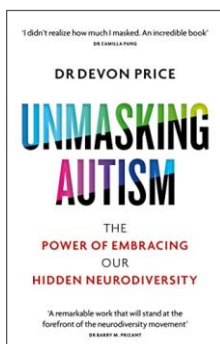
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**Neurodiversity
Celebration
Week**

Neurodiversity Celebration Week challenges misconceptions about neurodiversity and celebrates acceptance, equality, and inclusion. The Trust is hosting several events throughout the week – [click here](#) to find out more and find links to resources.

The library has several resources on neurodiversity to explore and will have displays on both sites for the week. Click on the images below to reserve via the [library catalogue \(OPAC\)](#). Not yet a library member? Complete our [online registration form](#) to join!



You can also view the [Neurodiversity Reading List here](#)

[Sign up to KnowledgeShare](#) to receive current awareness on neurodevelopmental disorders.

New Canon printers in our libraries

As part of the Trust printer replacement programme, we now have shiny new Canon printers in both our libraries! This new upgrade means that all users can now also print without a smartcard, using their Trust login details.

To print to the new printers you will need to select print queue 4, 5 or 6 instead:

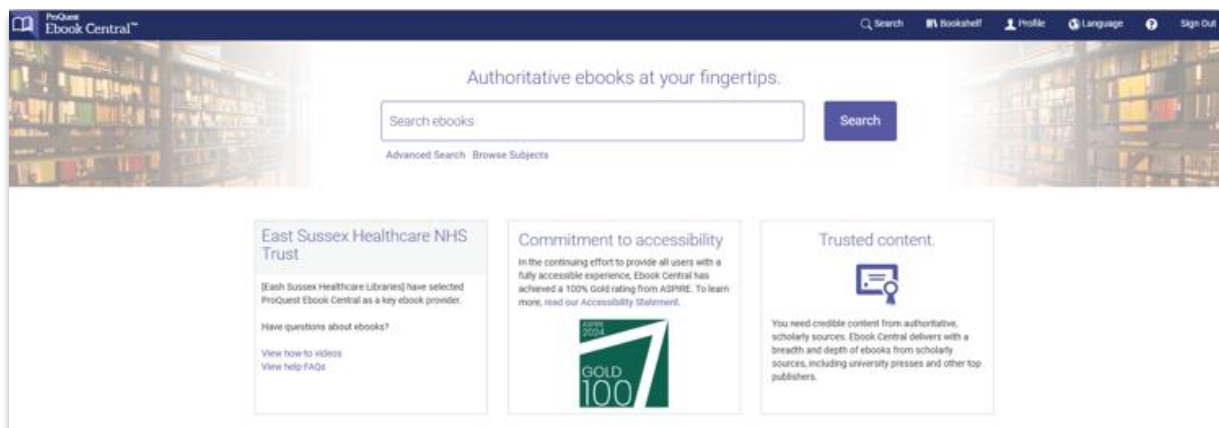
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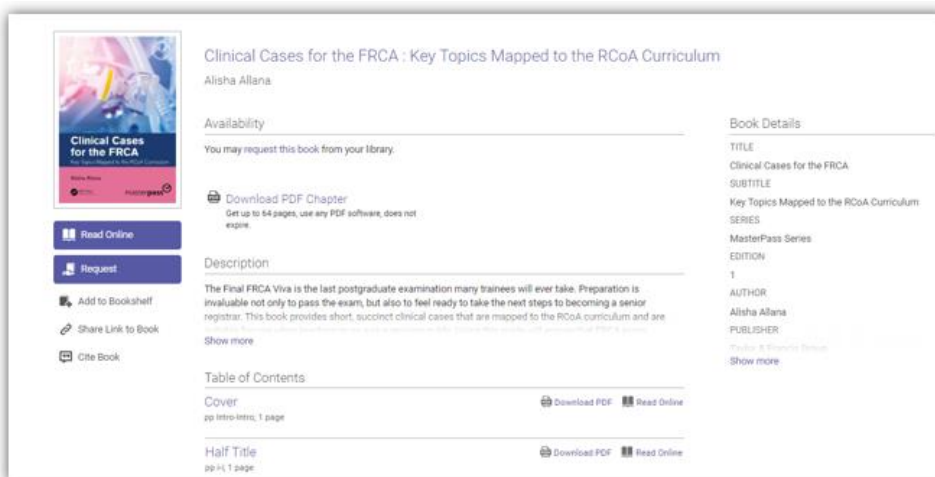
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Library staff will then assess user requests for approval (this will be dictated by cost). Where popular titles are frequently requested, we will look into purchasing these e-book titles for our collection.

The links to [Proquest eBook Central](#) are also already available on the [library Extranet page](#) and [library website](#). It is important to note that this ebook package will not be discoverable via the [library catalogue](#) or the [NHS Knowledge and Library Hub](#).

View this [video](#) for a quick demo of [Proquest eBook Central](#). If you'd like access to any book and are struggling to find it, get in touch!

Say Hello...

We welcome two new librarians to our Library Team - Lynne Emery, our Assistant Librarian & Steve Sommer-Wood, our Knowledge and Evidence Specialist!

Lynne Emery



"I bring 15 years experience as an academic librarian and a love of assisting users and promoting the fantastic resources of our libraries."

Steve Sommer-Wood



"As the new Knowledge and Evidence Specialist, my main focus is on knowledge mobilisation and sharing, research support (such as via evidence and literature searching), user education and training for online resources and resource promotion. Additionally, I help promote the library service generally and help manage day-to-day library operations across both sites."

...Wave Goodbye

We bid farewell to Sabelo Mapasure, our Knowledge and Library Services Manager, who is leaving the Trust at the end of March.

We wish Sabelo all the best for the future! Sabelo writes:

My retirement seems too soon as I wanted to see more come into fruition. However, I'm proud of the progress I've made while working for ESHT to help boost the Knowledge and Library Services. When I joined, the team had just gone through some change, and I'm grateful for the cooperation and support I have received from the Library Staff and the Assistant Director for HR – Education from the moment I started. We held a staff away day in December 2021 that helped create a roadmap for a united service operating across both sites.



Losing a Deputy Library Services Manager and an experienced Knowledge Specialist in 2022 left a vacuum that wasn't easy to fill. But the team demonstrated their resilience and teamwork to ensure service delivery continued. Following a staff consultation across Integrated Education in 2024, a new diverse structure for the Knowledge and Library Services team was approved. I am happy that the roles of Librarian Team Leader, Knowledge and Evidence Specialist, Community Outreach Librarian, Assistant Librarian and Senior Library Assistant have been incorporated into the team, with all but the Community Outreach Librarian role being filled. The future looks bright! I'm happy knowing I'm leaving the Knowledge and Library Services stronger and able to help promote evidence based decision-making and better care outcomes.

I'd like to thank everyone I've worked with directly and indirectly across the Trust. Some have said I am too young to retire, as such I will consider pastures new in a different location.

*Best wishes,
Sabelo Mapasure*

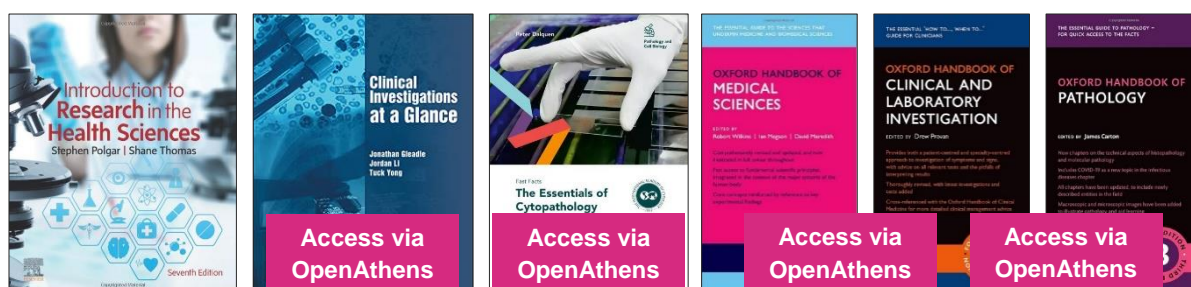
If you would like to say goodbye personally, Sabelo is happy to be contacted directly via email at smapasure@nhs.net or please pop into the library!

Healthcare Science Week: 10-16 March

Healthcare Science Week celebrates and raises awareness of the wide variety of scientific specialisms and professionals working in the NHS.

Check out the wide variety of books we provide access to via our [catalogue](#), and our e-journals via [BrowZine](#).

Sign up to [NHS England's Healthcare science bulletin](#) or register for KnowledgeShare, our current awareness service. You can also get in touch with the library team to see what journals we offer table of contents alerts for to stay up to date on the latest information.



Need an OpenAthens account? Register [here](#) or speak to the library staff to get set up.

Stress Awareness Month: April

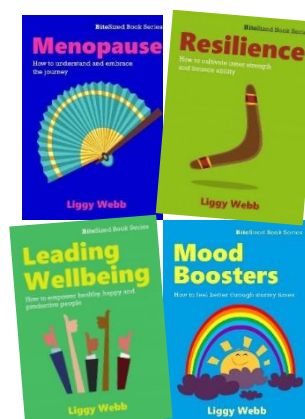
April is Stress Awareness Month. Be sure to check out some of the resources the library has to offer to learn how to combat and cope with stress. Both libraries are open 24/7 with your ID badge and are the perfect space to unwind.



Wellbeing

A big thank you to the ESHT People Engagement Team (Wellbeing) who have donated a collection of bite-sized books to our libraries. The books by Liggy Webb are easy to read and give practical tips on essential life skills.

For more information about wellbeing within the Trust, visit the [Wellbeing](#) pages on the extranet.



Join the Library!



Library membership is open to all Trust staff, including students on placement.

By joining the library you can get access to a wide range of physical and online resources, as well as training or assistance with literature searches, and 24/7 access to a comfortable and quiet place to study and relax.

To become a member, come see us in the libraries or complete our [online form](#).

Contact us

Email the Library Team: esht.libraryservices@nhs.net

The Education Centre, Conquest Hospital // Tel: 0300 131 5221 Ext: 770493

The Education Centre, Eastbourne District General Hospital // Tel: 0300 131 4500 Ext: 770593

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