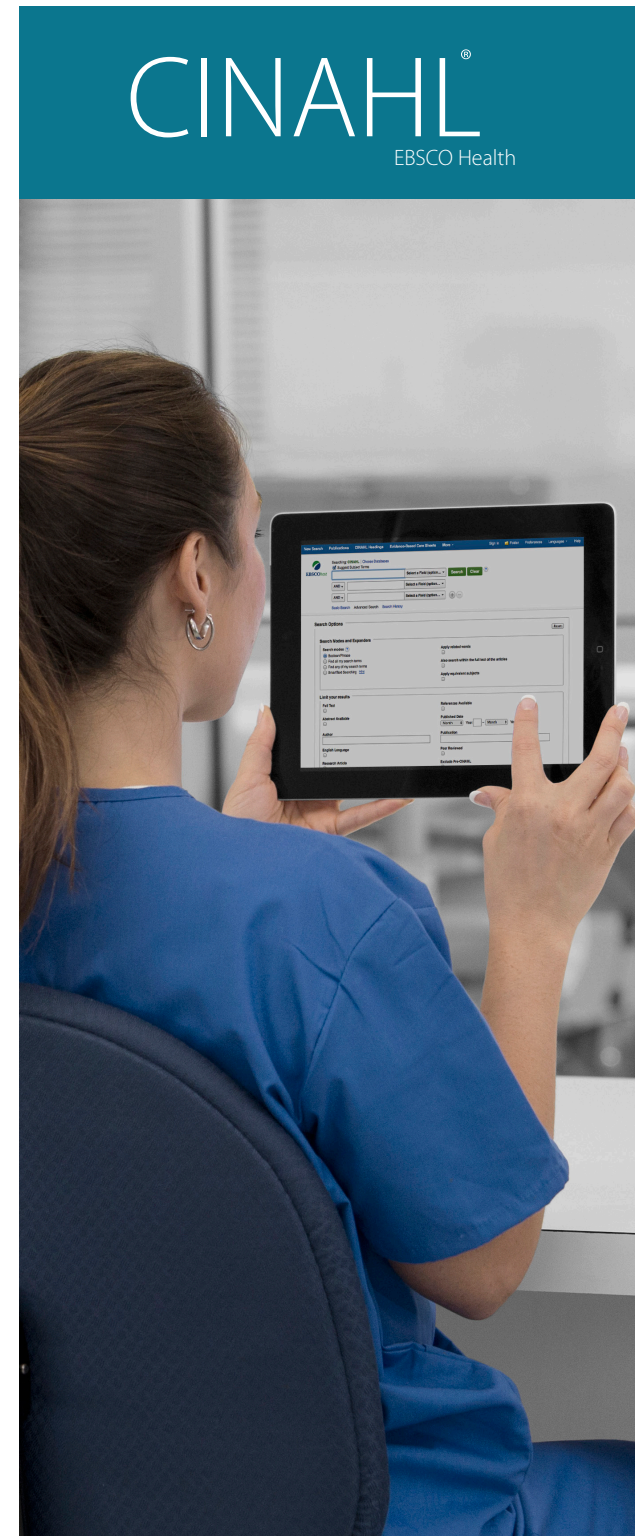


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## Additional Features:

- Provides an **easy-to-use interface** with basic and advanced search features and searchable cited references
- **Subject Headings** help users effectively search and retrieve information and follow the structure of the Medical Subject Headings (MeSH) used by the National Library of Medicine
- Contains more than **6 million records**
- Offers indexing for **more than 5,300 journals** dating back to 1976
- Includes searchable cited references for **more than 1,300 journals**
- Includes **author affiliations**



**1** Search field

**2** Suggest Subject Terms

**3** Select a Field dropdown

**4** Search Modes and Expanders

**5** Limit your results section

## Searching CINAHL

- 1** Keyword Search  
Enter a keyword or phrase to search
- 2** Suggest Subject Terms  
Search CINAHL Headings
- 3** Select a Field to Locate:
  - Author – or enter AU author’s last name, first name
  - Title – or enter TI and words in the title
  - Other fields such as – Abstract, Author Affiliation, etc.
- 4** Apply Search Modes and Expanders
- 5** Select a Limiter  
This can restrict results to Research Articles, Evidence-Based Practice, Age Groups, etc.

**1** Refine Search

**2** Search

**3** Search results list

**4** Search options

**5** Share

**6a** Source Types

**6b** Search field

**6c** Limit To

**6d** Magnifying glass icon

## Navigating the Results Page

- 1** Basic Search  
Change from the Advanced Search Screen to Basic
- 2** Advanced Search  
Change from the Basic Search Screen to Advanced
- 3** Search History  
Display or hide Search History or Create Alerts
- 4** Choose Databases  
Change the database you are searching or apply additional databases to your searches
- 5** Help  
Access the online User Guide featuring step-by-step instructions
- 6** Other Result List Functions
  - a. Limit your results by Source Type
  - b. Refine your results with Search Options or CINAHL Headings
  - c. Click on available Full Text
  - d. Mouse over the magnifying glass icon to preview an abstract
  - e. Use the EBSCOhost folder to print, email or save multiple results at once