CEGH Locating Articles on Phlebotomy

Information Literacy Skills:

- Identify appropriate information discovery tools
- Use features of a discovery tool to identify items on your subject (use subject searching functions, limit to full-text, peer-reviewed literature, etc.)
- Identify the elements of a bibliographic citation
- Manipulate the found resource (print, download, cite, email, etc.)

1. From GRCC’s Library website, select [Subject Guides] and then select the [Phlebotomy Subject Guide]. http://subjectguides.grcc.edu/phlebotomy

2. From the [Databases] box, select [Health Source: Nursing/Academic Edition].

Phlebotomy OR Blood collection OR Blood banks OR Blood donors OR Needlestick Injuries

3. Circle the topic you are searching and then locate that topic using the [Subjects] or Thesaurus on the blue menu bar. Follow the numbered steps indicated below in the graphic to [Search] for articles on your topic.

   How many hits / results did you get? __________

4. Sort your results to see the NEWEST at the top. Limit the results by date to 2013-the present. How many do you have now? __________

5. Now limit your results to [full-text] articles in and [Academic journal].

6. Select one article and identify the bibliographic elements of the article you chose:

   Author: ________________________________________________________________

   Article Title: __________________________________________________________

   Publication (Journal) / Source Title: ______________________________________

   Volume #: ________ Issue #: __________ Issue Date: ___________ Page #s: __________

   Email the article to yourself with an APA citation and initial here: ________

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7. Now, go back to the [Phlebotomy Subject Guide]. This time, select the database [CREDO]. Search for a definition or article on a phlebotomy-related term that you encountered in class OR in the article in #6. If you are searching for a phrase, use “quote marks” around the phrase for better results. Do NOT choose a “Topic Page.”

Term searched: ___________________________________  How many hits/matches? ______

Limit results to Subjects = [Health & Medicine] titles. How many are left? ____________

Title of the definition/entry/article in the Reference Book:
(The title you choose may not always be the same as the term you searched for.)

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Title of the Reference Book: _____________________________________

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Click into the entry and read it. Then, initial here ______ after emailing the FULL-TEXT definition to yourself with an APA citation.

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