



# Respiratory Therapy Subject Guide



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## Reference books

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*Stedman's medical dictionary for the health professions and nursing* REF R121 .S8 2005

*Guide to culturally competent health care*  
REF RA418 .5 .T73 P87 2005

*CIBA collection of medical illustrations*  
REF QM 451 .N45 (set)

*Encyclopedia of health care management*  
REF RA971 .E52 2004

*Encyclopedia of bioethics* (5 vols.) REF QH332 .E52 2003

*Environmental health sourcebook: basic consumer health information about the environment and its effect on human health* REF RA565 .E484 2003

*Pocket guide to cultural health assessment*  
REF RT86.54 .G45 2003

*Mosby's medical, nursing, & allied health dictionary*  
REF R121 .M89 2002

*Health issues* (2 vols.) REF RA425 .H39 2001

*Taber's cyclopedic medical dictionary*  
REF R121 .T18 2001

*Merck manual of diagnosis and therapy*  
REF RC55 .M4 1999

## Respiratory Therapy subject headings: suggested search terms

Lungs  
Lungs – diseases, obstructive  
Respiration  
Respiratory diseases  
Respiratory function  
Respiratory insufficiency  
Respiratory organs  
Respiratory physiology  
Respiratory therapy  
    Equipment and supplies  
    Artificial respiration  
    Respirators (medical equipment)  
Pulmonary function tests

## Respiratory Therapy Exam Guides

*Advanced respiratory therapist exam guide: the complete resource for the written registry and clinical simulation exams*

RC731.E96 S5 2006 (4<sup>th</sup> Floor)

*Respiratory care exam review: review for the entry level and advanced exams*

RC735.I5 P453 2005 (4<sup>th</sup> Floor)

## DVDs and Videos, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor

SARS : the true story (DVD, 2004) 614.5 .S27

Performing respiratory assessment (VHS, 2000)  
610.73692 .P47

## Books and Articles

[Library Catalog](#) (books, DVDs, etc.)

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Integrated cardiopulmonary pharmacology  
RM388 .C635 2008

AACN protocols for practice  
RC735.R48 A33 2007

Management of the mechanically ventilated patient  
RC735.R48 P54 2007

Natural therapies for emphysema and COPD: relief and healing for chronic pulmonary disorders  
RC776.E5 G74 2007

Pulmonary disorders of the elderly: diagnosis, prevention, and treatment RC732.5 .P853 2007

Pulmonary physiology QP121 .L46 2007

Respiratory care anatomy and physiology: foundations for clinical practice QP121 .B355 2007

Advanced respiratory therapist exam guide  
RC731.E96 S5 2006

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### Respiratory Therapy journals - full-text

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American journal of respiratory and critical care medicine from 02/01/2003 to 07/15/2006 in ProQuest Health & Medical Complete

American journal of respiratory cell and molecular biology from 01/01/1994 to 07/01/2006 in ProQuest Health & Medical Complete

Canadian journal of respiratory therapy: CJRT from 12/01/2004 to present in CINAHL with Full Text

Chronic respiratory disease from 05/01/2004 to 08/01/2006 in ProQuest Health & Medical Complete

Current medical literature. Respiratory medicine from 05/01/2003 to present in Academic Search Premier

Respiratory therapeutics week from 01/27/2003 to present in LexisNexis Academic from 02/03/2003 to 07/31/2006 in ProQuest Health & Medical Complete

### Journals available in print

Heart & Lung  
Periodicals, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor RC681.A1 H38  
v. 27(1998 – present)

[Journal of the American Medical Association \(JAMA\)](#)  
Browsing Periodicals, 1st Floor  
(shelved under Journal of the...)  
Holdings: Vol. 295, No. 6, Feb 1 2006 to present

Periodicals, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Call Number: R15 .A48  
Holdings: v.211(1970)-v.258(1987), v.283(2000)-  
v.285:no.12(2001:Mar.28),  
v.295:no.1(2006:Jan.4)-v.295:no.4(2006:Jan.25)

**For some electronic access through the JAMA homepage, you can register there as a guest for free. Subject to change without notice.**

<https://subs.ama-assn.org/ama/exec/guest?url=http%3A%2F%2Fjama.ama-assn.org%2Fcontent%2Fvol296%2Fissue4%2Findex.dtl>

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- Click on name of database you want to search
- The **Database Login** page will appear
- Enter your **MyUSI username** and **password**
- Click **Login**

### Recommended Web Sites

[American Association for Respiratory Care](#)

[Clinical Practice Guidelines](#)  
by the American Association for Respiratory Care

[HospitalCompare](#)

[National Board for Respiratory Care](#)  
Licensure and credentialing board, with information about exams and certification.

[NU Bouve College: Direct-Entry MS in Respiratory Therapy Respiratory Care Journal](#)

[Respiratory Care Links](#)  
From the American Association for Respiratory Care

[Respiratory Therapy: Joint Clinical Practice Guidelines and Statements](#)

Respiratory Therapists (Occupational Outlook Handbook)  
<http://www.bls.gov/oco/ocos084.htm>

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