



KCHS 9th Grade Health Pathfinder

*This document will help you locate quality information for your Health Current Events assignments. Listed below are suggested websites and directions to easily locate newspaper and magazine articles.

Web Sites

*The following are links to trusted web sites. When searching on your own please consider the following before choosing a site to use.

- *Authority* – Who wrote the information or What group is taking responsibility for the information?
- *Content* – What is the purpose of the site? Is it to inform, report, entertain, or persuade?
- *Currency* – What is the date of creation or the date of the latest update? Does it fit the time requirement for your assignment?

[Teen Health](#) – Great health information for teens. This site comes from Nemours, one of the largest nonprofit organizations devoted to children’s/teen health.

[MedlinePlus Teen Page](#) The National Library of Medicine, a part of the National Institutes of Health, created and maintains MedlinePlus to assist you in locating authoritative health information. Links to over 650 pre-formulated searches of the MEDLINE database allow you to find references to latest health professional articles on your topic.

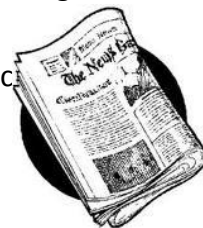
[GirlsHealth](#) This site was created to help girls (ages 10-16) learn about health, growing up, and issues they may face. Site is maintained by The Office on Women’s Health a Division of the US Department of Health & Human Services.

[Best of the Web](#) (This link is specifically about drugs and substance abuse.)

[Center for Young Women’s Health](#) – This site comes from the Children’s Hospital in Boston.

[NIDA for Teens: The Science Behind Drug Abuse](#) (This link is specifically about drugs and substance abuse.) Information comes from the National Institute on Drug Abuse.

[Student Resources in Context](#) Provides an engaging online experience where students develop both research and critical-thinking skills



NEWSPAPERS & MAGAZINES

NEWSPAPERS – Follow the Directions Below:)

Go to: [KCHS Library](#) > Digital Pipeline> High School > Academic Journals, Magazines, and More> Newspapers & Magazines > Newspapers

At the EBSCOhost Search Page Follow these Directions.

- Click on “Choose Databases”
- Check “Newspaper Source” and “Newspaper Source Plus” (Make sure ALL other boxes are unchecked!)
- Click “OK”
- Check box next to “Full Text”
- Enter date range in “Publication Date”
- Type your topic in the search area
- Click on Search

At this point you should get a list of newspaper articles to choose from.

MAGAZINES - Follow the Directions Below:)



Go to: [KCHS Library](#) > Research > Digital Pipeline > Newspapers & Magazines >Magazines

At the EBSCOhost Search Page Follow these Directions.

- Click on “Choose Databases”
- Check “MAS Ultra”, “Health Source – Consumer Edition”, and “Alt HealthWatch”
- Click “OK”
- Check box next to “Full Text”
- Enter date range in “Publication Date”
- Type your topic in the search area
- Click on Search

At this point you should get a list of magazine articles to choose from.

To easily get Citation information: Follow these Directions.

- Open your article
- On the right side under Tools, Click Cite
- Copy & Paste the APA Reference



Citing a website

1. Structure: Last, F. M. (Year, Month Date Published). Article title. Retrieved from URL.
2. Example: Satalkar, B. (2010, July 15). Water aerobics. ...