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In April, Elsevier launched its new medical database, ClinicalKey, a combined search engine and database to help clinicians diagnose and treat a variety of disorders.

Both MDConsult and ClinicalKey are produced by Elsevier and while both are very similar in content users will find there are more features available in ClinicalKey. It has over 1000 medical, public health and surgical e-books. Users can browse the e-books collection and access etext on Clinical and Translational Science: Principles of Human Research, Netter's Sports Medicine and Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation. It also boasts over 500 journals including practice guidelines, drug information, and patient education. It has a robust multimedia section with over 3.5 million images and 15,000 videos.

Users of ClinicalKey will also have access to FirstConsult point-of-care database as well as its new Vital Signs point-of-care resources currently in beta. In addition to books, e-text and guidelines your search results will include Clinical Trials and Procedures Consult. Refining your search can be facilitated by using the tool-bar on the left allowing you to limit by study type, date, specialty and content type. Once you create your own individual account (free!) you can use its "Presentation Maker" to help save your images and with just one click you can export them to PowerPoint along with its description and citations.

<u>Journal</u>	Use "Search Box," Alphabetical list or by Title
Book	Use "Search Box," Alphabetical list or by Title
Practice Guidelines	Authoring organization or specialty
Drug Information	Drug name, class, adverse reactions, indications or contraindications
<u>Multimedia</u>	Images and video
Patient Education	Authoring organizations, medications, or specialty
Presentation Maker	Save images and export them to PowerPoint along with its description and citations

Tip of the Month EBM Results Made Easy in PubMed

The next time you are trying to locate evidence-based research try using the EBMfilters Himmelfarb has created in PubMED. The Library has customized these filters so that when users conduct a search their results can be quickly filtered using the links on the upper right side to make it easier to find high-quality evidence-based clinical information.

- EBM/Clinical Reviews this tab contains systematic reviews, practice guidelines, and meta-analyses, written in English.
- · EBM/Clinical Trials this tab contains controlled clinical trials, multicenter studies, and randomized controlled trials, written in
- Reviews this tab contains review articles, written in English.

The customized EBM filters are available only to the GW community from the PubMed link on Himmelfarb Library's homepage. (See example search: PubMED **EBM Filters**)

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Thursday, May 23, 2013 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm [Register]

Excel Level II

Thursday, May 30, 2013 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm **[**Register



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