

WHITTINGTON HEALTH LIBRARY

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A new look for the Michael Clift Wellbeing Room

Colleagues are welcome to visit the library's Mike Clift Wellbeing room, named after a nurse who worked at Whittington Health for many years and sadly passed away in 2018. The wellbeing room is located in our library (Highgate Wing of our hospital site) and is open to all staff with staff ID.



The room offers a cozy escape with wellbeing books, art, and poetry thoughtfully donated by colleagues. Sink into comfy chairs, wrap yourself in a soft blanket, and let the peaceful atmosphere melt away stress. It's the perfect sanctuary for relaxation and recharging.



Upcoming Training

To book a place call us on 020 7288 3580 or email whl@nhs.net

AN INTRO. TO LIBRARY SERVICES

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FINDING THE EVIDENCE

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CRITICAL APPRAISAL OF QUANTITATIVE RESEARCH

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CRITICAL APPRAISAL OF QUALITATIVE RESEARCH

8 Oct 10:30-11:30	25 Nov 9:30-10:30	12 Dec 11-12
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HEALTH LITERACY

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BMJ BEST PRACTICE/UPTODATE

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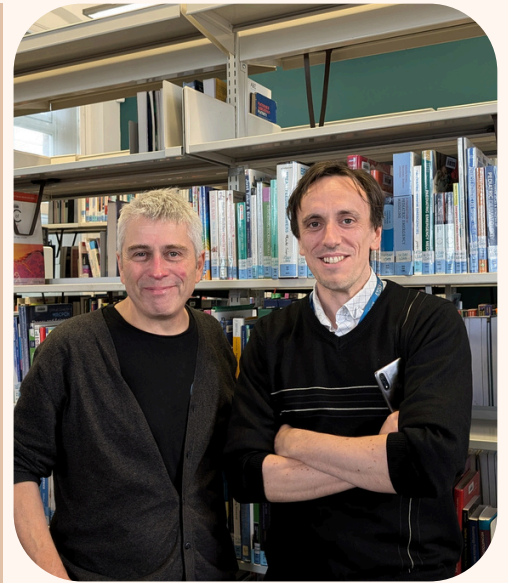
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New Librarian, Same Great Service

Whittington Health Library has a new manager: Adam Toccock who has rejoined Whittington Health from Hillingdon Hospitals. He's taking over from Richard Peacock (no relation!), who received the "Commitment to Excellence in a Non-Clinical Role" honour at July's staff awards.

Richard's now retired after nearly 30 years of distinguished service to the NHS, to focus on his new printing workshop venture, but his influence will still be felt at Whittington Health Library: "He made me want to work in health libraries way back when I started in my first graduate trainee role in 2009, when the library was in the old infirmary building on the Archway Campus over the road", says Adam. "Richard taught our Assistant Librarian Catherine Wardle and I everything we know, so with our fab colleagues Anita Wong and Graeme Tierney, we're going to carry on his good work.

This will actually be Adam's 4th spell at the library, having also worked here previously as a Library Assistant and Assistant Librarian before working as a Librarian at Barts Health, but Whittington Health Library's mission has remained the same throughout: the library will continue to be a cornerstone of learning, collaboration, and innovation, helping shape the future of patient care at Whittington Health for years to come.



Library Opening Hours
Mon - Thur 9am to 7pm
Fri 9am to 5pm

**Closed on Weekends and
Bank Holidays**

Visit our website

<https://www.whittington.nhs.uk/whl>

Our Location

**Whittington Hospital
Highgate Wing - Level 1
Dartmouth Park Hill
London N19 5JG**

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Whittington Health Library: spreading the word about research

We have produced a document listing all the papers published by Whittington Health affiliated authors in the previous financial year for the Trust's award-winning research department. Get in touch if you'd like a copy: there's a wide range of research covering all specialties and conditions, from an amazing breadth of colleagues of all roles and seniorities.

If you've authored anything then please get in touch with the library, who'll be keen to help promote your hard work. You can also add your research to the UCL Discovery Plus repository to increase its impact and make its findings more widely accessible. This repository allows all UCL partners like the Whittington Health and Camden and Islington NHS Foundation Trust to collect their research outputs in a free to access online source. We can help you with this too: just get in touch with us at whl@nhs.net or 020 2788 3580, or drop-in to see us in the Highgate Wing of Whittington Hospital.

