

Stay Current via Web of Science Email Updates

Web of Science provides email update service, i.e. you save your search history and then system automatically sends you email updates based on your search query saved. For example, if your search topic is on colon cancer or on a particular journal (e.g. JAMA), the system will send you updates on the colon cancer or JAMA whenever there are new citations added to Web of Science.

Setup Email Updates through Web of Science

Step 1: Sign in an Account

1. Start at www.lib.wayne.edu/shiffman and select **Web of Science** from the health and medicine database A-Z list.
2. On the upper right side, click “**Sign In**” link.
3. If you have an account, log in using your email and password.
4. New users need to register for free by clicking on “**Sign in**” Button.

The screenshot displays the ISI Web of Knowledge interface. At the top right, the 'Sign In' link is circled in red. The main search area includes a search bar with the text 'oil spill' mediterranean and dropdown menus for 'Topic', 'Author', and 'Publication Name'. Below the search bar are 'Search' and 'Clear' buttons. The 'Current Limits' section shows a 'Timespan' of 'All Years' (updated 2009-02-14) and 'Citation Databases' with checkboxes for 'Science Citation Index Expanded (SCI-EXPANDED)–1980-present', 'Social Sciences Citation Index (SSCI)–1980-present', and 'Arts & Humanities Citation Index (A&HCI)–1980-present'. On the right side, there are sections for 'Looking for ISI Proceedings?', 'Discover Web of Science', and 'Customize Your Experience' with a 'Sign In | Register' link.

Step 2: Conduct a Search (e.g. journal title(s) or research topic)

1. Enter **journal title** or a **topic** in the search field.
2. Select **search field** from the drop down list (e.g. publication name, topic, author, etc).
3. Select **logic operator** (AND, OR, NOT) if needed.
4. Click the **Search** button.

The screenshot shows the ISI Web of Knowledge search interface. The search fields are populated with the following text:

- Search for: new england journal of medicine in Publication Name
- AND colon cancer in Topic
- AND in Topic

The 'Search' button is highlighted with a red circle. The interface also includes a 'Clear' button, 'Current Limits' section, and a 'Timespan' dropdown menu set to 'All Years'.

Current Limits: [Hide Limits and Settings] Save As My Defaults

Timespan: All Years (updated May 04, 2008)

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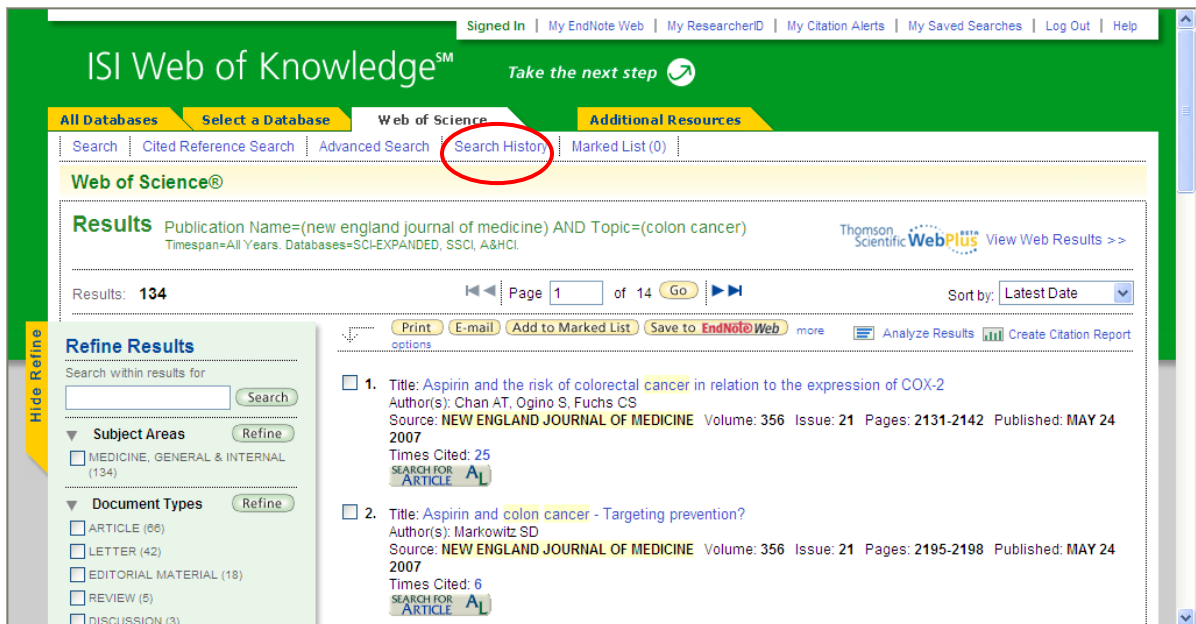
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Step 3: Setup Email Updates

1. From the results screen, click on **“Search History”** on the tool bar
2. A new window will pop up. Click the button **“Save History / Create Alerts”**
3. **Enter a name** for your search in the History Name field. You can also provide a description (optional) about your search in the Description field.
4. Check the **Send Me E-mail Alerts**
5. Enter an **e-mail address**
6. Select **Alert type** (with/out abstract), **E-mail format** and **Email frequency** Weekly or Monthly
7. Click the **Save** button. You will receive a confirmation “Your search has been successfully saved”. Click the **Done** button.



You should start receiving automatic email alerts from your favorite journals shortly!

If you need further assistance, please contact the Shiffman Medical Library Reference Desk by phone at (313) 577-1094 or via email askmed@wayne.edu