

PubMed: Use Outside Tool to check for full text of papers

You can set up PubMed search results to contain a link allowing you to check to see if the University of Edinburgh Library has full text subscriptions available.

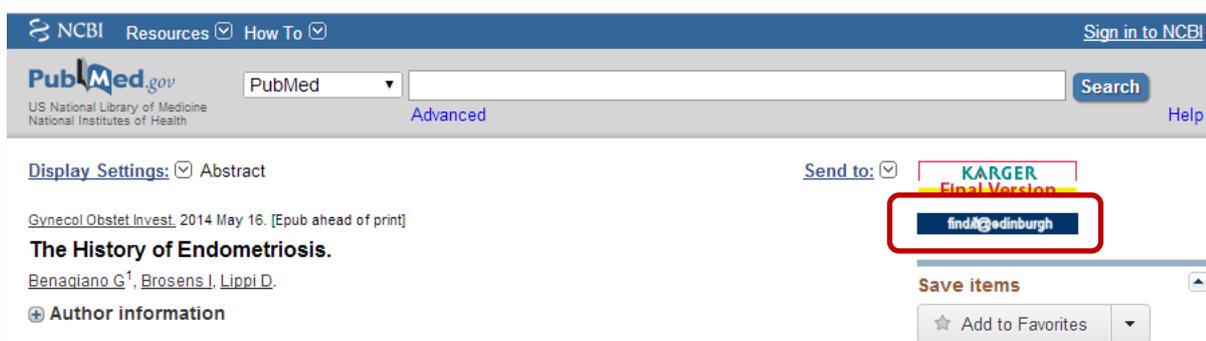
The appearance of the *findit@edinburgh* button does not guarantee that the full text is available – rather, it's a convenient link to DiscoverEd that allows you to check availability. There are two ways to see these links detailed below.

Please note that if you have a legacy MyNCBI account you should link it with your University Login to retain access to your profile, since PubMed have changed their system for authentication. See below for guidance on linking an existing MyNCBI account or creating a new one.

1. PubMed url including institution Outside Tool ID

<https://pubmed.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/?otool=igbedulib>

When you follow this link to PubMed, which is also used in the Library's A-Z of Library's A-Z of databases (www.ed.ac.uk/is/databases-a-z), a 'findit@edinburgh' link appears for individual article records without the need for you to log into PubMed.



2. If you already have a PubMed account: setting up University of Edinburgh links using Outside Tool within your account settings

1. Log in to PubMed
2. Go to Account Settings
3. Go to NCBI Site Preferences
4. Under PubMed Preferences, select Outside Tool
5. Select University of Edinburgh from the list of available Outside Tools

Linking your existing NCBI account, with your University Username

If you have a legacy myNCBI account and need to associate it with University of Edinburgh, please follow the guidance and step at <https://ncbiinsights.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/2021/01/05/important-changes-ncbi-accounts-2021/>

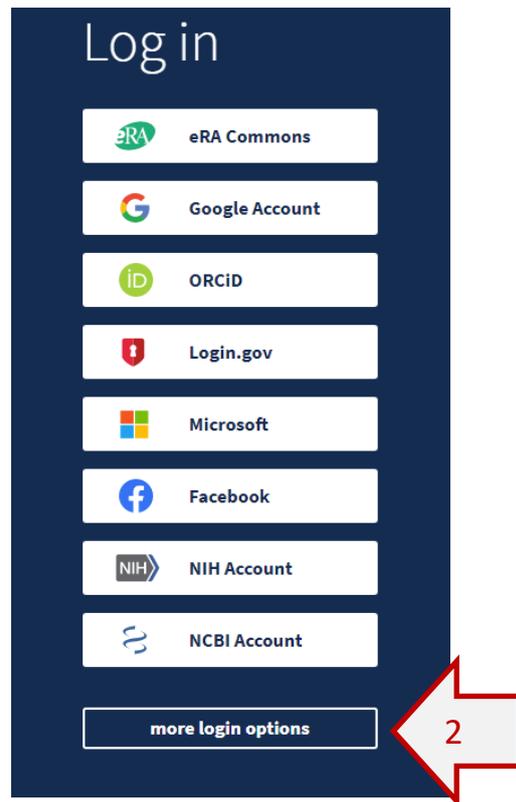
Creating a new PubMed login linked to your University Username

If you do not already have a PubMed login, create a new one:

1. Click on the [Log in] button in the upper right area



2. Click on [more login options]



3. Find University of Edinburgh in the list of institutions and click on the name
4. This will prompt you to log in with your UoE University Username
5. When you return to PubMed using that same browser, and log in, you may see quick login link

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