

Sample Grey Literature Resources for Public Health Professionals

Listed Alphabetically – Updated August 2021

TYPE OF GREY LITERATURE	CANADIAN	USA	INTERNATIONAL
KNOWLEDGE PRODUCING ORGANIZATIONS	BC Centre for Disease Control (BCCDC) Institut national de santé publique du Québec (INSPQ) National Collaborating Centres for Public Health Public Health Agency of Canada Public Health Ontario Best Practices in IPAC	Centers for Disease Control and Prevention MMWR Recommendations and Reports	Euro. Center for Disease Prevention and Control Public Health England World Health Organization
PUBLIC HEALTH GUIDELINES	Canadian Task Force on Preventive Health Care Cancer Guidelines Database RNAO Database of Nursing Best Practice Guidelines	ECRI Institute (free access with login) US Preventive Services Task Force	NICE Public Health Guidance TRIP Database (<i>limit to Guidelines</i>)
SYNTHESIZED EVIDENCE	Health Evidence (<i>Advanced Search>Text Options>Evidence Summary</i>) Public Health + Synopsis of Key COVID-19 Articles	The Community Guide	Campbell Collaboration EPPI Centre Knowledge Library
PREPRINTS		NIH Preprint Pilot NIH Covid-19 Portfolio (<i>filter Pub Type> Preprint</i>)	bioRxiv medRxiv SSRN Open Science Framework Review Commons
RESEARCH IN-PROGRESS	NCCMT COVID-19 CADTH COVID-19 Pandemic SHA COVID-19		PROSPERO Cochrane Review Bank PhenX Toolkit
THESES	Theses Canada Individual University Websites: QSpace (Queen's University) TSpace (University of Toronto) eScholarship (McGill University)	Open Dissertations	Center for Research Libraries Foreign Dissertation DART-Europe E-theses Portal Networked Digital Library of Theses and Dissertations Open Access Theses and Dissertations
CONFERENCES	Canadian Public Health Association Conference Canadian Society for Epidemiology and Biostatistics Canadian Institute of Public Health Inspectors Canadian Immunization Conference NCCPH In-Person Events TOPHC		

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<p>GOVERNMENT REPOSITORIES</p>	<p>Alberta Legislature Library Catalogue Legislative Library of British Columbia Catalogue Library and Archives Canada Legislative Assembly of Ontario Ontario Government Documents Collection</p>	<p>Congress.gov</p>	<p>Australia Government Publications UK National Government Publications</p>
<p>HEALTH REPOSITORIES</p>	<p>National Collaborating Centre for Methods and Tools Registry</p>	<p>ASPR Tracie NACCHHO Toolbox NACCHO Publications Grey Literature Report (updated to 2016)</p>	<p>NICE Evidence Search Social Science Research Network</p>
<p>GENERAL REPOSITORIES</p>			<p>GreySource OAsterOpen (Archives Initiative) OpenDOAR (Directory of Open Access Repositories) OpenGrey: System for Information on Grey Literature in Europe</p>
<p>DATA & STATISTICS</p>	<p>ONT APHEO Core Indicators Table ONT BORN Ontario - Data Dictionary ONT ICES ONT Injury Surveillance On-Line ONT Ontario Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care ONT Ontario Open Data ONT Ontario Tobacco Research Unit ONT PHO Snapshots</p> <p>CAN Canadian Cancer Society Statistics CAN CFLRI Physical Activity & Sport Participation CAN Chronic Disease InfoBase CAN CIHI CAN Conference Board of Canada CAN Health Canada CAN IHE Database of Online Health Statistics CAN Public Health Surveillance CAN Statistics Canada</p>	<p>CDC WONDER International Open Data Sites</p>	<p>WHO Country Statistics</p>
<p>PROGRAMMABLE SEARCHES</p>	<p>Search Ontario Public Health Unit Websites Search Canadian Health Agency Websites Search US State Government Websites Search Select International Public Health Websites</p>		

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	<p><i>Note: Programmable Search engines may return fewer results than regular Google searches. Each search includes refinements (tabs) which display results from less than 20 sites to help mitigate this issue. Please conduct a general Google search and site-specific searches in addition to the Programmable Searches below to maximize retrieval.</i></p>		
GREY APPRAISAL TOOLS	PHO Guide to Critically Appraising Grey Literature		AACODS

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