

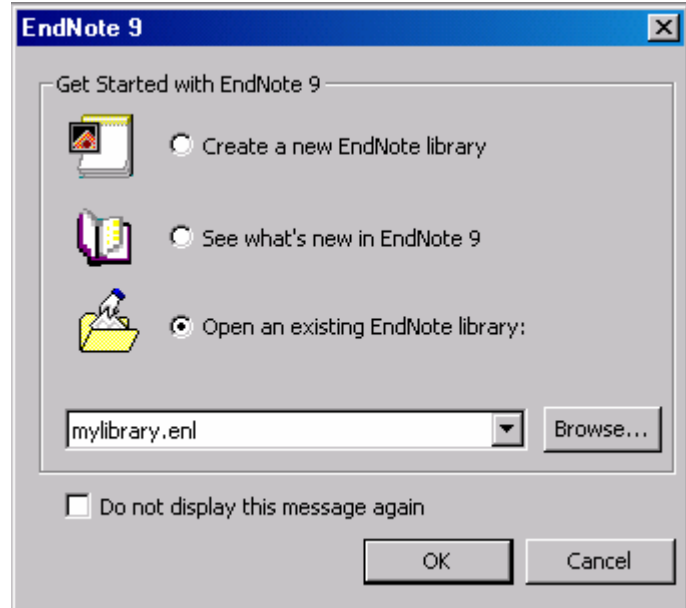
EndNote 9: The Basics for PubMed Users

You can search PubMed either directly or through EndNote. The connection file for PubMed offers several options that take advantage of many of PubMed's features. One major advantage of searching via EndNote is that the system will capture the URLs of PubMed citations; and you can return later from your EndNote library to a reference in PubMed.

Searching PubMed with EndNote

Open EndNote and select

- **Create a new EndNote library**
- or
- **Open an existing EndNote Library.**

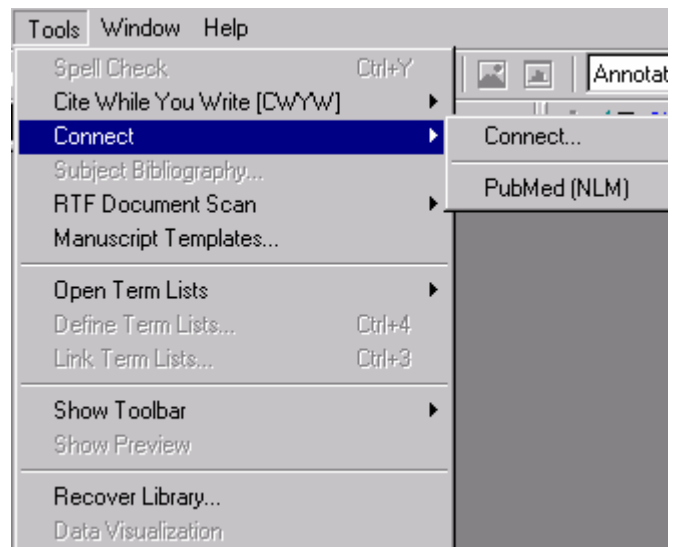


Select **Tools >> Connect >> PubMed(NLM)**

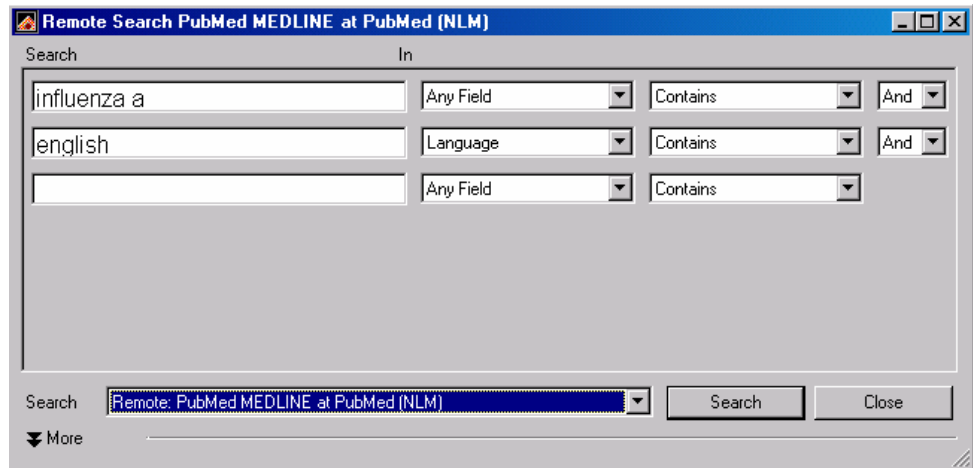
or, if PubMed is not yet listed,

Select **Tools >> Connect >> Connect >> PubMed(NLM)**

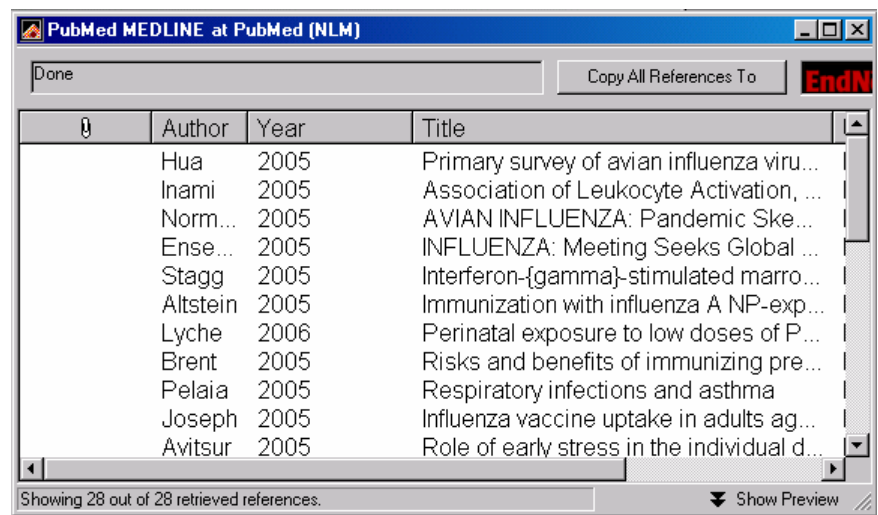
to connect to PubMed.



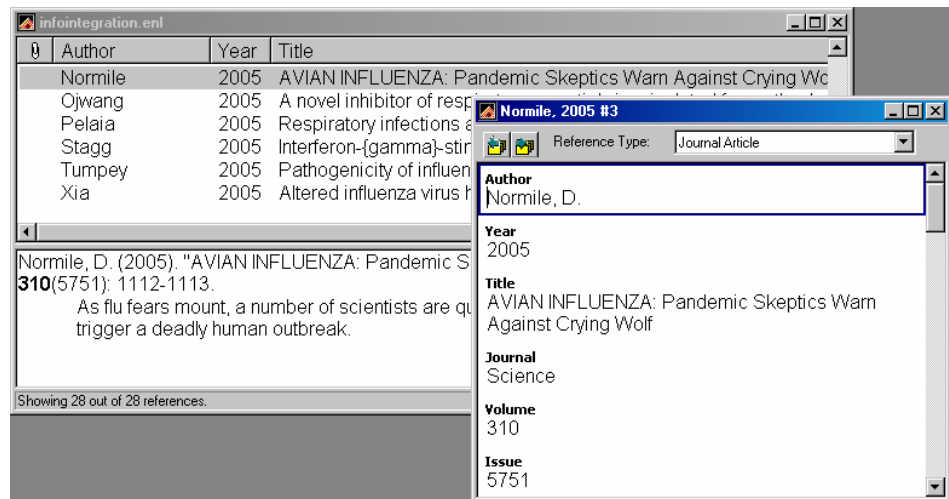
Type in your search term(s) and press **Search**. It's a good idea to include English as the language.



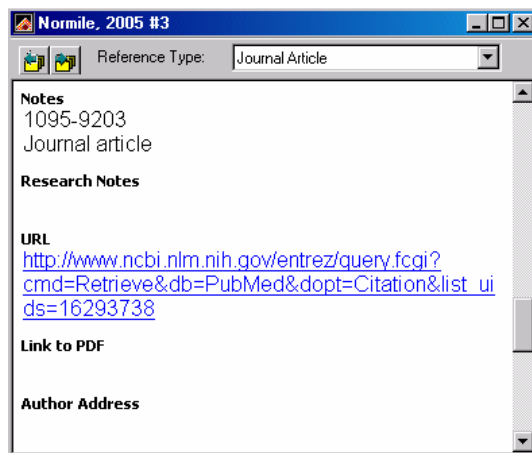
Once your references have been received, you need to copy some or all of them into your EndNote Library.



You can preview a reference in a lower frame and/or open the complete record.



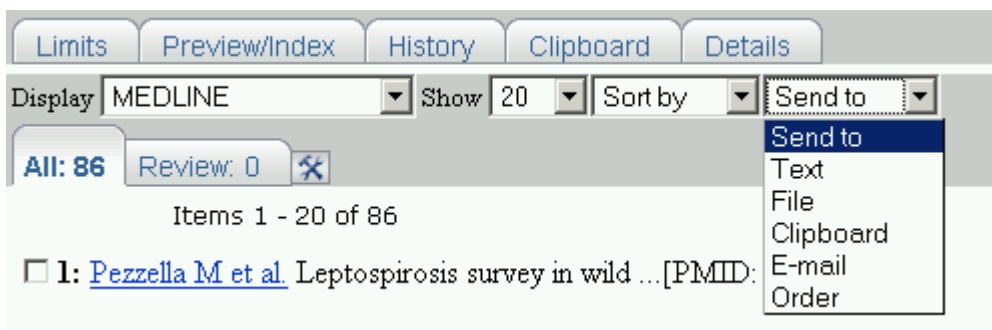
From the complete record, you can click on the URL to return to PubMed, where you can retrieve the full text, if available.



Exporting from PubMed for use in EndNote

1. Export ALL references from your search results:

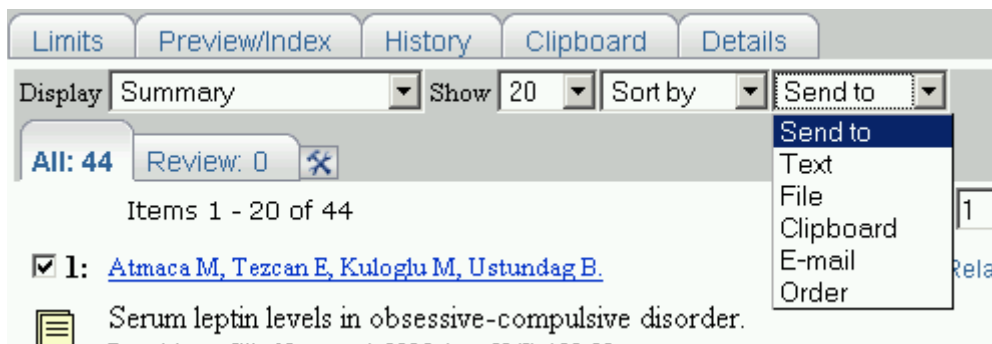
- Select **MEDLINE** as the display from the **Display** drop-down menu.
- Select **File** from the **Send to** drop-down menu.



- Choose **Save it to disk** from the pop-up box and click on **OK**.
- In the window labeled **Enter name of file to save to...**
 - Choose a folder (the desktop is a good choice).
 - Type in a **File name**.
 - **Save as type** should be ***.txt**.
 - Click on **Save**.

2. Export selected references from your search results:

- Check the box next to the references you want to save.
- At the end of each page of references, select **Clipboard** from the **Send to** drop-down menu. This will save the checked references into the PubMed clipboard.



- Repeat this for each page of references until you have put all your selections into the clipboard.
- Click on the **Clipboard** tab.
- Select **MEDLINE** as the display from the **Display** drop-down menu.
- Select **File** from the **Send to** drop-down menu.
- Choose **Save it to disk** from the pop-up box and click on **OK**.
- In the window labeled **Enter name of file to save to...**
 - Choose a folder (the desktop is a good choice).
 - Type in a **File name**.
 - **Save as type** should be ***.txt**.
 - Click on **Save**.

Importing Your PubMed Results into EndNote

Open or create an EndNote library.

Select **File >> Import**

- The **Import Option** should be set at **PubMed (NLM)**. If this is not listed, in the drop-down menu, select **Other filters...** and then select **PubMed (NLM)**.
- Duplicates defaults to **Import All**. You have the option of changing that to **Discard Duplicates** if you like.
- Leave **Text Translation** as **No Translation**.
- Click on **Choose File**, locate and select the .txt file you downloaded, and click on **Open**.
- Press **Import**.

