

## **Beyond PubMed: Free Web Indexes to Journal and Report Literature Part II: Health Promotion & Population Health**

### **CHID (Combined Health Information Database)**

U.S. Federal Agencies

<http://chid.nih.gov/>

While the topics covered are limited, the content includes many materials produced by agencies of the U.S. Federal government not indexed elsewhere. See the MoH website for further details:

<http://www.hlth.gov.bc.ca/library/databases.html>

### **ETOH (Alcohol and Alcohol Problems Science Database)**

U.S. National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism

<http://etoh.niaaa.nih.gov/>

Comprehensive. See the MoH website for further details: <http://www.hlth.gov.bc.ca/library/databases.html>

### **HealthPromis**

Health Promotion Information Centre, Health Education Authority, UK

<http://healthpromis.hda-online.org.uk/>

The national health promotion database for England. Has a strong health policy, evidence-based health and health promotion focus. Contains references and links to a range of sources. Database includes a thesaurus.

### **IBIDS (International Bibliographic Information on Dietary Supplements)**

U.S. Office of Dietary Supplements

<http://ods.od.nih.gov/databases/ibids.html>

International, scientific literature on dietary supplements (vitamins, botanicals, etc) for researchers and consumers. See the MoH website for further details: <http://www.hlth.gov.bc.ca/library/databases.html>

### **Native Health History Database (NHHD)**

Partnership of Indian Health Service (U.S.), National Library of Medicine, and University of New Mexico

<http://hsc.unm.edu/nhhd/>

Historical health information focused on the American Indian and Alaska Native population. Includes citations to approximately 3,300 books and articles from 1672 to 1965. The database includes early descriptions of diseases and healing practices and is a rich repository for research.

### **Native Health Research Database (NHRD)**

University of New Mexico Health Sciences Library & Informatics Center

With funding from the Indian Health Service (U.S.)

<http://hsc.unm.edu/nhrd/>

Contemporary (1970 to present) bibliographic information and abstracts of over 3,500 health-related articles, studies and reports developed primarily by IHS staff, tribal health professionals, and health care practitioners working in American Indian and Alaska Native communities. Includes material on Canadian First Nations populations.

### **Population Index**

Office of Population Research, Princeton University

<http://popindex.princeton.edu/>

Emphasis on the social and economic aspects of health, including statistics. World-wide coverage.

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**Smoking and Health Database**

U.S. Office on Smoking and Health

<http://www.cdc.gov/tobacco/search/index.htm>

Large database so may be slow! Abstracts of journal articles, books, reports, etc.

See the MoH website for further details: <http://www.hlth.gov.bc.ca/library/databases.html>

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