

## Searching for Bioethics

**To find articles in Medline that deal with Bioethics & related topics, you can:**

1. Limit to Subject Subsets (a specialized search strategy to aid in the retrieval of citations in bioethics), found under “more Limits”

#	Search History	Results
1	*Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis/	1902
2	limit 1 to bioethics	49

2. For specific issues, search using Medical Subject Headings

Explode Ethics Ethics, Institutional Ethics, Professional Ethics, Dental Ethics, Medical Ethics, Nursing Ethics, Pharmacy Animal Testing Alternatives Animal Welfare Conflict of Interest Humanism Morals Conscience Social Responsibility	Other subject heading terms to consider are:  Confidentiality Genetic Enhancement Health Care Rationing Jurisprudence Advance Directives Living Wills Confidentiality Duty to Warn	Genetic Privacy Duty to Warn Resuscitation Orders Wills Right to Die Euthanasia Living Wills Wrongful Life Suicide, Assisted Refusal to Treat
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#	Search History	Results
1	*Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis/	1902
2	exp ethics/	30080
3	1 and 2	8
4	right to die/	670
5	1 and 4	4

*(over for more searching information)*

**For additional information, search Bioethics in National Reference Center for Bioethics Literature (NRCBL) Databases (Kennedy Institute of Ethics).** Note: these databases contain some items not available in Medline.

1. Go to <http://www.georgetown.edu/research/nrcbl/databases/>.
2. Click on Basic, Advanced, or Boolean search.

- **ETHX on the Web**

Journal articles, book chapters, bills, laws, court decisions, reports, books, audio-visuals, and news articles relating to bioethics and professional ethics.

- [Basic Search](#)
- [Advanced Search](#)
- [Boolean Search](#)

- **Genetics and Ethics**

Books, journal articles, book chapters, bills, laws, court decisions, reports, news articles and audiovisuals relating to ethics and public policy issues in genetics.

- [Basic Search](#)
- [Advanced Search](#)
- [Boolean Search](#)

## Look at NRCBL Bibliographies

1. Go to <http://www.georgetown.edu/research/nrcbl/nrc/bibliographies.htm>
2. Select from one of the following:

## Bibliographies

- [Current Topics in Bioethics](#)
- [Basic Resources in Bioethics](#)
- [Bioethics QuickBibs](#)
- [Genetics QuickBibs](#)
- [Scope Note Series](#)