



Finding the Evidence for Evidence-Based Practice: Using the Child Abuse Library Online (CALiO™)

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A large selection of full text and freely accessible resources is available to professionals and the public without membership in the Child Abuse Library Online (CALiO™). Enter your keyword or subject into the *CALiO™Collections* search box.

If your CAC is not registered for the restricted access portions of CALiO™, complete and submit the registration form: <https://calio.org/wp-content/uploads/2014/03/calio-registration-form.pdf>

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How to Find Research in Support of Evidence-Based Practice and other resources in CALiO™

1. Go to www.calio.org
2. The section titled “**Resources**” contains materials for research and evidence-based practice.
 - Bibliographies to the research
 - Research-to-Practice Summaries
 - Best Practice Guidelines
3. Beyond CALiO™
 - Public databases: over 30 unrestricted databases
 - Open access journals-over 30 unrestricted journals

Restricted access section

1. *CALiO™SuperSearch* contains millions of full text articles, book chapters, conference proceedings, newspaper articles, and more
2. Access to the *Journal* collection of over 1,500 scholarly journals and books. *CALiO™SuperSearch* and the *Special Collections* is limited to Children’s Advocacy Center staffs and Multidisciplinary Teams.

Short and simple CALiO™ tutorials: <https://calio.org/get-help/tutorials-podcasts-tip-sheets/>

Search strategy tips

1. Think synonyms - Example: perpetrator OR offender
2. Truncation- Add* after root word to search all forms –Example: interview*
3. Use “ ” for phrases- Example: “child sexual abuse”
4. Narrow searches by dates, publication types, or authors

Not sure where to look? Enter your subject in the *CALiO™Collections* search box.

