

## Reference Management Software

Reference management software allows you to create or upload references for journals, books, websites or any other information source. You can:

- import references from healthcare databases, Google Scholar and other sources
- organise your references into folders on different subjects or for different purposes
- share references with others
- insert citations within the text of a document
- create a reference list or bibliography

### How do I access reference management software?

If you are doing a course of study, you may have access to reference management software and support through your university.

If not, there are several reference management software packages which are freely available online, such as:

Mendeley - [www.mendeley.com](http://www.mendeley.com)

Endnote Online - [https://clarivate.libguides.com/endnote\\_training/endnote\\_online](https://clarivate.libguides.com/endnote_training/endnote_online)

Zotero – [www.zotero.org](http://www.zotero.org)

Please note, these packages may not be supported by your organisation's IT department.

If you are a HHFT/SHFT staff member, a frequent user of healthcare databases and need reference management software for your work, you may be eligible for a RefWorks account. Please email [hantshealthcarelibrary@nhs.net](mailto:hantshealthcarelibrary@nhs.net) with details of what you need to use RefWorks for.