About the Joanna Briggs Institute (JBI)

What is JBI?
The Joanna Briggs Institute (JBI), recognized as the global leader in evidence-based healthcare, was established in Adelaide, South Australia in 1996. JBI is an international not-for-profit research and development organization based within the Faculty of Health Sciences at the University of Adelaide, South Australia.

The Institute collaborates internationally with over 70 entities across the world. The Institute and its collaborating entities promote and support the synthesis, transfer and utilization of evidence through identifying feasible, appropriate, meaningful and effective healthcare practices to assist in the improvement of healthcare outcomes globally.

What are the JBI Collaborating entities?
As the major international program of JBI, the Joanna Briggs Collaboration (JBC) contributes to improvements in the quality and outcomes of health care through promoting and supporting evidence based practice.

JBI collaborates internationally with entities (including centers and other groups) located across the world, including Australia, Belgium, Botswana, Brazil, Cameroon, Canada, China, Denmark, Ethiopia, England, Finland, Ghana, Hong Kong, Italy, Japan, Kenya, Korea, Malawi, Myanmar, New Zealand, Nigeria, Philippines, Portugal, Qatar, Romania, Rwanda, Saudi Arabia, Scotland, Singapore, South Africa, Spain, Swaziland, Switzerland, Taiwan, Tanzania, Thailand, Uganda, USA and Wales.

These groups and centers include:
- Collaborating and Affiliate Centers
- The Evidence Synthesis Network
- The Evidence Appraisal Network
- The Evidence Utilization Network

What is the nature of the Wolters Kluwer Health – JBI relationship?
Wolters Kluwer Health, a leading provider of information and business intelligence for students, professionals and institutions in medicine, nursing, allied health and pharmacy, has an exclusive partnership with the Joanna Briggs Institute (JBI), a recognized global leader in evidence-based healthcare resources based at the University of Adelaide, Australia, as part of an expansion of the nursing, allied health, and medical content delivered to customers of products in the Lippincott Williams & Wilkins (LWW) journals and Ovid brands.
JBI Product Offerings

Content

What is included in the Joanna Briggs Institute EBP Database
The Joanna Briggs Institute EBP database is a comprehensive range of resources including over 3,000 records across seven publication types:

- **Evidence Summaries** — Literature reviews that summarize existing international literature on common healthcare interventions and activities
- **Evidence-Based Recommended Practices** — Database of procedures that describe and/or recommend practice on various clinical topics
- **Best Practice Information Sheets** — Series of information guideline sheets produced specifically for practicing health professionals
- **Systematic Reviews** — Comprehensive systematic reviews of international research literature completed by trained JBI reviewers
- **Consumer Information Sheets** — Standardized summaries designed just for consumers of healthcare (patients, clients, and care providers)
- **Systematic Review Protocols** — Developed by the Collaborating Centers of JBI, which are made up of international experts from over 40 countries from a range of health disciplines
- **Technical Reports** — Documentation of all aspects of the development of Best Practice Information Sheets

What is a subject area node?
The Joanna Briggs Institute EBP Database is also available by subject area. The slices of the database include only those records related to the subject area across all relevant segments.

What is the coverage for the database?
Database records were created as far back as 1998 but may have undergone revisions to provide the highest level of evidence.

How often will the JBI database be updated?
The database will be updated weekly.

Is the JBI database offered in other languages?
Yes. JBI’s content database is fully translated in Spanish and Simplified Chinese and with limited Japanese translation.

If I have Nursing@Ovid and a subscription to JBI, what will change for me on October 4th?
On October 4th your default resource selection for quick searches will include the JBI database.

Tools – Coming Soon

What are JBI EBP Tools?
JBI EBP tools assist healthcare professionals on implementing evidence-based practice in various points of the system from research, appraisal, and quality improvement to point of care.
What JBI tools will be available on Ovid?

Ovid will offer all 10 JBI tools via OvidSP and Nursing@Ovid:

- **Research Tools**
  - JBI TAP (Thematic Analysis Program) - Support researchers in small-scale qualitative studies execution
  - JBI CAN-IMPLEMENT – Practical guide to assist in adaptation of existing guidelines for local use

- **Appraisal & Implementation Tools**
  - JBI Journal Club – Create your own journal club and keep up-to-date with the latest research in a social and relaxed environment
  - JBI RAPID (Rapid Appraisal Protocol Internet Database) – Learn to critically appraise research papers using a standardized checklist

- **Quality Improvement Tools**
  - JBI PACES (Practical Application of Clinical Evidence System) – Easily conduct efficient, time-saving, evidence-based clinical audits and change practice
  - JBI POOL (Patient Outcomes Online) – Easy to use tools for the collection and storage of patient related prevalence data
  - JBI COOL (Client Outcomes Online) - Easy to use tools for the collection and storage of client related prevalence data

- **Point of Care Tools**
  - JBI Manual Builder – Build an evidence-based clinical manual tailored to the information needs of your organization
  - JBI Pamphlet Builder – Assemble evidence-based information pamphlets for your patients/clients on a range of health topics

When will JBI Tools be available on OvidSP and Nursing@Ovid?

Access to the JBI Tools will be made available shortly on both OvidSP and Nursing@Ovid.

How does one access the JBI tools? Is it via Links@Ovid?

When the tools become available, there will be a new tab “EBP Tools” in OvidSP similar to Nursing@Ovid, OvidMD, and External Links. You will be able to select the tools from the drop down or on the EBP Tools page. The new tab will also be available on Nursing@Ovid.

How will the JBI tools be managed when they are available on Ovid?

Most of the JBI tools will be accessible to users simply by setting up a personal Ovid account. For tools that require administration there will be an easy to use self-management site accessible to admin users. The existing management functions on each tool will remain available as well.

Will there be usage statistics available for the tools?

We are currently developing the ability to capture tool usage statistics and it will become available in the future.

Are the JBI tools offered in other languages?

Only two - RAPid and PACES - are translated in Spanish.
Platforms

On which Ovid platforms will JBI EBP Resources be available?
JBI resources will be available on both OvidSP and Nursing@Ovid.

What is JBI COnNECT+?
COnNECT+ stands for Clinical Online Network of Evidence for Care and Therapeutics. This is JBI’s platform that provides their users access to the database and tool resources JBI has produced.

Will JBI COnNECT+ continue to exist?
Yes. JBI COnNECT+ will be available for transitioning JBI users as well as for users with local language content needs.

How can customers get access to JBI content in their local language?
Links to JBI COnNECT+ can be enabled through OvidEspañol and OvidChinese. Customers will need to access the translated content on JBI COnNECT+. Alternatively, customers can go directly to the JBI COnNECT+ site.

Can customers get access to both platforms?
Existing JBI customers can continue to access their content and tools directly via JBI COnNECT+. However, new customers (with the exception of local language customers) will only be able to access JBI resources via Ovid.

Books

Do you offer books from JBI?
Yes. They are available a-la-carte or via a convenient, cost-effective access collection. The current collection consists of the following 7 titles. Additional books are coming soon.

- Synthesizing Evidence from Narrative, Text and Opinion
- Synthesizing Quantitative Evidence
- Synthesizing Evidence of Risk
- Synthesizing Evidence of Diagnostic Accuracy
- Synthesizing Evidence of Economic Evidence
- Translation Science and the JBI Model of Evidence-Based Healthcare
- Synthesizing Qualitative Evidence

Additional FAQs for Transitioning JBI Customers

Content

How will I access JBI content after the move to Ovid?
You will be able to access your JBI content via OvidSP. Ovid customer support will provide detailed instructions during the weeks following October 4th. You will be provided with access to Ovid through a username and a password or directly through your institutions network and you will have the ability to search and view your subscribed JBI content.
**Tools**

**Will I be able to use the same JBI Tools account on Ovid so I can keep my saved work?**
Yes, there will be an easy way for you to link an Ovid account to your existing JBI Tools account. Once you create an Ovid account and select a JBI Tool you will be provided with an opportunity to enter your existing JBI Tools username and password. After you have linked your JBI account with your Ovid account the system will allow you to access all of your saved work without the need to enter your JBI account credentials again.

**Once the tools are available on Ovid, will I have to switch?**
You will not be required to move to use Ovid. However, once the tools are available on Ovid, administrators will need to use the newly developed JBI Tools Administration site on Ovid to perform some functions, like creating new users. Additionally, we will soon be able to track usage of the tools if they are accessed through Ovid.

**What are the changes I should expect with JBI Tools on Ovid?**
In general the tools will have limited changes beyond appearance and improved performance, with some exceptions.

- The tools will be easier to gain access to and manage
- The tools will be accessible with one Ovid username and password* (some exceptions apply – RAPID documents and POOL/COOL)
- RAPID will include an added ability to view existing documents and make it easier to create new ones

**How will the JBI tools be managed when they are available on Ovid?**
Most of the JBI tools will be accessible to users simply by setting up a personal Ovid account. For tools that require administration there will be an easy to use self-management site accessible to admin users. The existing management functions on each tool will remain available as well. Until the tools are available on Ovid, the tools and management of these tools will not change.

**Platforms**

**How will my access to JBI Tools and content change on October 4th?**
You will be given access to the JBI content on OvidSP. Additionally, you will maintain dual access to your tools and content on JBI COnNECT+ - accessing the tools and JBI COnNECT+ in the same way that you have in the past.

**Will I have access to both Ovid and JBI COnNECT+?**
Yes, you will have access to both platforms by default. An institution may choose to remove access to users directly on JBI COnNECT+.

**What is OvidSP?**
OvidSP is your complete online research solution, offering a single online destination where you can search, discover, and manage the critical information you need to streamline your research productivity and your work.
Maximize Your OvidSP Access:

- **Single Search:** Search all Ovid resources simultaneously including JBI EBP content database, OvidOpenAccess, and subscribed books, journals, databases—with just one query.
- **OvidOpenAccess:** Immediate, unrestricted access to thousands of full-text resources from peer-reviewed and scholarly international journals—at no additional cost to you!
- **My Projects:** Save, organize and manage critical research findings and documents in a dedicated work space.
- **Ovid Toolbar:** Extend your Ovid research experience beyond OvidSP by grabbing content you find on other online resources and putting them into OvidSP via the toolbar.

**Will I be able to do everything on Ovid that I currently do now on JBI COnNECT+?**
Yes! All of the JBI resources that you know and trust will work in the same familiar way; they will simply be accessible via the OvidSP platform as well as directly via JBI COnNECT+.

**Will all JBI customers have access to OvidSP and COnNECT+?**
Existing JBI institutional customers will be granted dual access to both JBI COnNECT+ and OvidSP platforms to use all of their JBI resources (database and tools).

New JBI customers will only have access to the OvidSP implementation of the JBI resources. Additionally, access will be granted to the JBI COnNECT+ platform for new customers requesting access to translated content (Spanish, Simplified Chinese and Japanese).

Individuals will continue to access their JBI resources via JBI COnNECT+ and new individuals will do the same, via a link on the Evidence Based Practice Network on NursingCenter.

**Why would I want to transition to OvidSP if I can still have access to JBI COnNECT+?**
You will be able to have a single research solution—where you can conduct a single search across JBI content and other content types (books, journals, databases) and manage your research projects. Plus, get access to hundreds of unrestricted open access journals via OvidOpenAccess—at no additional charge.

Additionally, JBI on Ovid will be allow easier access and management of tools.

As a leading content aggregator, Ovid offers access to content from over 50 leading, global publishers including Lippincott Williams & Wilkins, Wiley-Blackwell, Oxford University Press and many more. Ovid offers cost-effective collections and packages to make it easy to choose from thousands of resources to add to current evidence-based practice resources including:

- JBI Synthesis Science in Healthcare Book Series
- LWW EBP Journal Collection
- Ovid Nursing Full-Text Plus
- American Nurses Association Book Collection
- Doody’s Reviewed Book Collection
- And many more

**Account Management & JBI Subscription**
Who will contact me regarding my subscription renewal?
When your subscription is due for renewal in 2012 you will be contacted by JBI with a renewal confirmation. If your subscriptions falls due after October 4th and you decide to renew, an invoice will be sent to you from Ovid Technologies.

Will the cost of subscription change with Ovid?
The cost of JBI subscription will not change in 2012. You can expect incremental increases in the years to follow.

As a JBI member, will my benefits change with Ovid?
No. You will continue to receive access to all of the usual JBI resources as well as JBI membership discounts and special offers to undertake education or attend events run by the Institute.

Will I now get access to Ovid tools and resources as part of my subscription?
You will not automatically get access to Ovid resources as part of your JBI subscription. However, you will have opportunity to purchase access to additional resources and be able to access them all via one platform. If you are looking to purchase additional resources available on Ovid, you can contact Ovid at sales@ovid.com to reach an Ovid representative.

I currently access JBI content through an external provider. How will this access change?
As of October 4th 2012 the full suite of JBI resources will be available exclusively via Ovid and not via any other vendor. If you currently access some JBI resources via another provider, this access will cease at the expiry of your current subscription. To renew your subscription post October 4, 2012, you will need to contact Ovid at support@ovid.com.

Support and Training

Who do I contact after October 4th 2012 about my subscription?
You can easily reach Ovid’s global customer service representatives. They are available 24x7 via email support@ovid.com or via phone. The list of offices is available on www.ovid.com. This highly skilled group will has had extensive training in the entire JBI suite of resources and will be happy to assist you.

What training options do you have so I can become familiar with Ovid platforms?
Various training and help options are available to help your transition smooth and efficient. Ovid offers live and pre-recorded workshops designed for novice, intermediate, and advanced users to help you get the most out of your Ovid experience. Visit the training section of www.ovid.com or email support@ovid.com for more information.

Do you have any online resources that I can access to learn more about Ovid?
The Ovid Resource Center (resourcecenter.ovid.com) is your first stop for fast answers to a wide variety of marketing, training, and customer support questions. You can find the latest platform news, marketing material, FAQ's, reference guides, and more. Many of them have been translated into other languages for our international customers.
Other

Will I lose any organizational historical data after October 4th 2012?
No, you will not lose any organization historical data. You will still be able to access the same accounts you created and keep the data within them through JBI or Ovid.

Will I still receive communication from JBI after October 4th 2012?
You can opt in to continue to receive the JBI membership newsletter, which includes special offers and discounts as well as other useful tips and information about activities across the Institute and its Collaborating Centers.

I see products that I am interested in on your website. How can I get more information?
Simply go to www.ovid.com to register an account. You can add products to your cart and press submit for inquiry. An Ovid Sales Representative managing your account will contact you shortly to discuss your needs and interests.

How will Ovid communicate product updates, events and new products?
For customer/product news, you will receive emails to provide you notification of any changes or updates based on what products you subscribe to.

For product promotions, simply go to www.ovid.com to register an account and manage your email preferences. You can select what types of emails you would like to be opted into.