

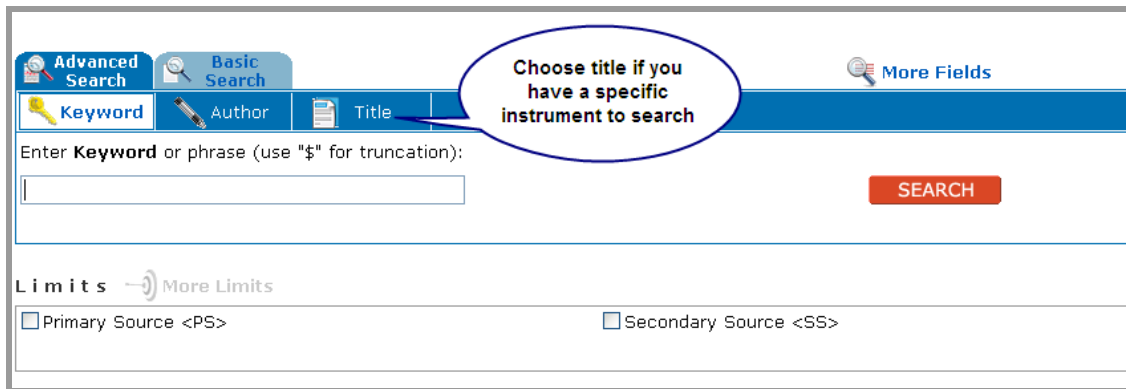
# Library Information Guide

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### A Guide to Health and Psychosocial Instruments (HAPI)

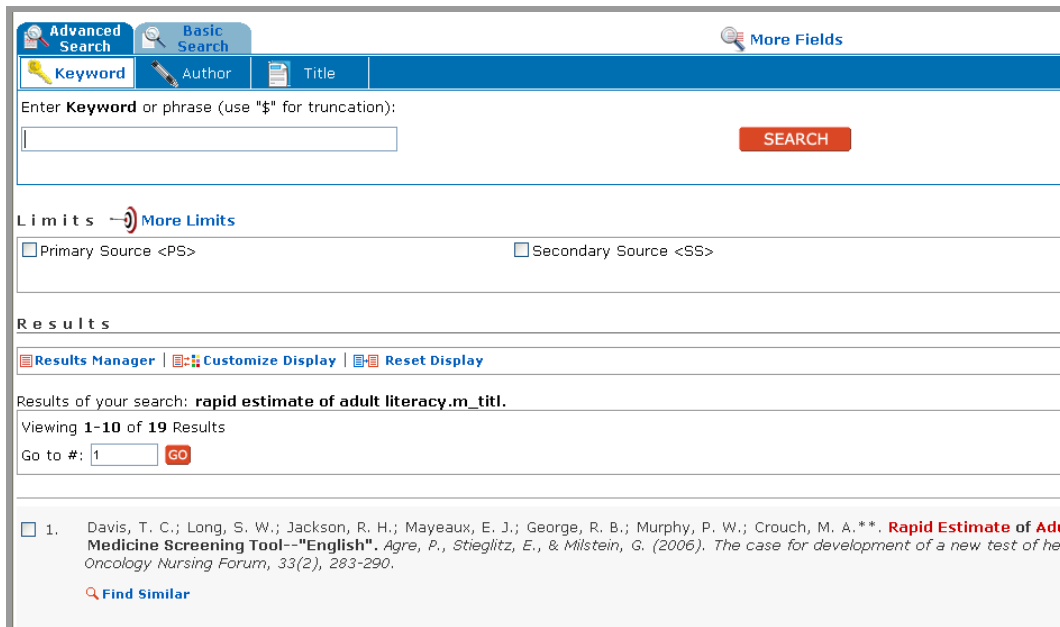
HAPI indexes measurement instruments in the health fields, the behavioral sciences and library science. Coverage begins in 1985, though some earlier instruments are included.

1. The advanced search screen will give you the option to search by keyword, author or title. Keyword searches include words from the title, acronym, abstract, and subject headings (or descriptors) fields. A primary source contains the original instrument, while a secondary source does not include the entire instrument.



The screenshot shows the search interface with tabs for 'Advanced Search' and 'Basic Search'. Below the tabs are three search options: 'Keyword', 'Author', and 'Title'. A callout box with a blue border and a pointer highlights the 'Title' option, containing the text: 'Choose title if you have a specific instrument to search'. Below the search options is a text input field with the placeholder 'Enter Keyword or phrase (use "\$" for truncation):' and a red 'SEARCH' button. At the bottom, there are 'Limits' and 'More Limits' links, and two checkboxes: 'Primary Source <PS>' and 'Secondary Source <SS>'.

2. After you have performed a search, the search box will remain at the top of the page. Scroll down the page to see your Results.



The screenshot shows the search results page. At the top, the search interface is visible, including the search options and the 'SEARCH' button. Below the search interface, there are 'Limits' and 'More Limits' links, and two checkboxes: 'Primary Source <PS>' and 'Secondary Source <SS>'. The 'Results' section is displayed, with links for 'Results Manager', 'Customize Display', and 'Reset Display'. The search results are listed as 'Results of your search: rapid estimate of adult literacy.m\_titl.' and 'Viewing 1-10 of 19 Results'. There is a 'Go to #' field with the number '1' and a 'GO' button. The first result is listed as '1. Davis, T. C.; Long, S. W.; Jackson, R. H.; Mayeaux, E. J.; George, R. B.; Murphy, P. W.; Crouch, M. A.\*\*. **Rapid Estimate of Adult Medicine Screening Tool--"English"**. *Agre, P., Stieglitz, E., & Milstein, G. (2006). The case for development of a new test of health Oncology Nursing Forum, 33(2), 283-290.* Below the result is a 'Find Similar' link.

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3. Your search result will include the title of the article as well as the journal where the article can be found. The title of the instrument itself is listed first, right after the author(s).

10. Murphy, P. W.; Davis, T. C.; Long, S. W.; Jackson, R. H.; Decker, B. C. **Rapid Estimate of Adult Literacy in Medicine.** Bliven, B. D., Kaufman, S. E., & Spertus, J. A. (2001). *Electronic collection of health-related quality of life data: Validity, time benefits, and patient preference.* *Quality of Life Research, 10*, 15-22. [Complete Reference](#)

[Find Similar](#)

Annotations: "Article title" points to the bolded title; "Journal title" points to the journal name and volume/issue information.

4. Some of the items indexed are chapters in books, and are formatted a little differently than journal articles.

1. Dupuy, H. J. **Psychological General Well-Being Schedule.** Dupuy, H. J. (1984). *The Psychological General Well-Being (PGWB) Schedule.* In N. K. Wenger, M. E. Mattson, C. D. Furberg, & J. Elinson (Eds.), *Assessment of quality of life in clinical trials of cardiovascular therapies* (pp. 170-183). New York: Le Jacq. [Abstract](#) [Complete Reference](#)

[Find Similar](#)

Annotations: "This is the chapter title" points to the bolded title; "This indicates a book chapter" points to the book title and page numbers.

5. When you click on the Complete Reference, you will see the Title, Authors, and Source, which were included on the Results page. Additional helpful information can be found in the Acronym, Abstract and References fields. References generally point to the authors' source for the instrument. Sometimes the Abstract will tell you if the Reference listed is where the instrument was first published.

Result 10. [Find Similar](#)

Accession Number: 238474.

Title: **Rapid Estimate of Adult Literacy in Medicine.**

Acronym: REALM.

Source Code: Secondary Source [SS]

Authors: [Murphy, P. W.](#); [Davis, T. C.](#); [Long, S. W.](#); [Jackson, R. H.](#); [Decker, B. C.](#)

Source: Bliven, B. D., Kaufman, S. E., & Spertus, J. A. (2001). Electronic collection of health-related quality of life data: Validity, time benefits, and patient preference. *Quality of Life Research, 10*, 15-22.

Descriptors: [Adult](#), [Angina Pectoris](#), [Blacks](#), [Literacy](#), [Outpatients](#), [Quality of Life](#), [Reading Comprehension](#), [Reading Skills](#), [Whites](#)

References: Murphy, P. W., Davis, T. C., Long, S. W., Jackson, R. H., & Decker, B. C. (1993). **Rapid Estimate of Adult Literacy in Medicine (REALM):** A quick reading test for patients. *Journal of Reading, 37*, 124-130.

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6. Both the bottom of the Results and the Complete Reference pages will provide you with the option to print or email results. Checking the Complete Reference box is a good idea, since the References field contains information you will need to find the instrument if the original instrument is not indexed in HAPI.

| Results   | Fields  | Result Format                                   | Actions  |
|---|---|---|--|
| <input type="radio"/> Selected Results            | <input type="radio"/> Citation (Title, Author, Source)                            | <input checked="" type="radio"/> Ovid           | <a href="#">DISPLAY</a>                                |
| <input checked="" type="radio"/> All on this page | <input type="radio"/> Citation + Abstract   | <input type="radio"/> BRS/Tagged                | <a href="#">PRINT PREVIEW</a>                          |
| <input type="radio"/> All in this set (1-19)      | <input type="radio"/> Citation + Abstract + Subject Headings                      | <input type="radio"/> Reprint/Medlars           | <input checked="" type="radio"/> <a href="#">EMAIL</a> |
| and/or Range: <input type="text"/>                | <input checked="" type="radio"/> Complete Reference <a href="#">SELECT FIELDS</a> | <input type="radio"/> Brief (Titles) Display    | <a href="#">SAVE</a>                                   |
|   |   | <input type="radio"/> Direct Export             |  |
|   |   | <input type="checkbox"/> Include Search History |  |

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7. Since many instruments are commonly referred to by an acronym, it is helpful to know how to search for them. Typing in the acronym name and then clicking on the More Fields option will allow you to search for that acronym precisely.

The screenshot shows a search interface with two tabs: 'Advanced Search' and 'Basic Search'. Below the tabs are three search criteria: 'Keyword', 'Author', and 'Title'. The 'Keyword' field contains the text 'PGWB'. To the right of the search criteria is a 'More Fields' button, which is circled in red. Below the search criteria is a text input field with the placeholder 'Enter **Keyword** or phrase (use "\$" for truncation):' and a 'SEARCH' button.

The screenshot shows the 'All Fields (af)' selection screen. It lists various search fields with checkboxes. A callout box points to the 'ac: Acronym' field, stating: 'Another way to search this field is to type PGWB.ac in the keyword search'. The fields listed are:   
-  *ab*: Abstract   
-  *an*: Accession Number   
-  *ac*: Acronym   
-  *at*: Analyst   
-  *au*: Author   
-  *de*: Descriptors   
-  *nq*: Number of Questions   
-  *rf*: References   
-  *ry*: Reliability   
-  *so*: Source   
-  *sc*: Source Code   
-  *st*: Subscale Titles   
-  *ti*: Title   
-  *up*: Update Code   
-  *va*: Validity   
-  *yr*: Year   
At the bottom are two buttons: 'PERFORM SEARCH >>' and 'DISPLAY INDEX(ES) >>'.

More information about advanced searching can be found in the HAPI Database Field Guide at <http://www.ovid.com/site/products/ovidguide/hapidb.htm>