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Library & Knowledge Service

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Library News

The library will be unstaffed from 25th December to 1st January, but will continue to be open to staff 24/7 via swipe access. We'll be back and staffed as usual from 2nd January.

Accessing The Royal Marsden Manual Online

We've recently updated The Royal Marsden Manual Online to allow instant access when on-site at Macclesfield. When using a Trust computer, click the link in the start menu or visit the link below and you'll be given complete access without having to sign in.

www.rmmonline.co.uk/

When accessing The Royal Marsden Manual off-site, you'd continue to sign in using your NHS Athens account. We also have physical copies in the library, if you prefer paper and ink!



Are you registered with the library?

From early 2026, you'll need to be registered with the library to request journal articles on inter-library loan. Register for a library card here: now.koha-ptfs.co.uk/. Or, call into the LE&D Hub during staffed hours to fill out a paper form.

Digital Skills Support

The library can help you to learn the basics or improve your confidence in using a computer. Drop in to the LE&D Hub during staffed hours, or contact us to arrange a session or to find out more!



Evidence Search Service

Embarking on a new project in the new year? We can conduct evidence searches for you, saving you time and making sure you're getting the information you need! Visit the library website to find out more or to request a search.

eastcheshirenhslibrary.net/evidencerequest



NHS Athens

Most of our online resources are accessed using an NHS Athens account (sometimes called OpenAthens).

Register for an Athens account at the link below or scan the QR code - make sure to choose East Cheshire NHS Trust as your organisation.

openathens.nice.org.uk/



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Staffed hours:
Monday - Friday 8:30am - 4:30pm
24/7 swipe access with ECT staff ID badge