Doing Research: Nursing Research & Subject Guide

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This issue of E-ppendix features the Nursing guide. You can access the Nursing guide from the Research & Subject Guide home page by selecting it from the “most popular” list (it is always in the top 5), from the list of Health Sciences guides, or simply add the word “nursing” to the Research and Subject Guides URL, researchguides.uic.edu/nursing.

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