Streaming video resources

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Looking for a video or video clip to enhance your lecture or presentation?

UIC library users have access to one of the most comprehensive streaming video resources on the web. Academic Video Online (http://proxy.cc.uic.edu/login?url=http://video.alexanderstreet.com) allows users to cross-search all of the video published by Alexander Street Press. This resource was acquired with funding from the Library/IT Assessment.

Once you’ve found a video that you would like to use you are able to insert a link to the video with your course materials on Blackboard or E-reserves. There are also tools within the database that let you make custom clips from a video or playlists of multiple videos relating to your lecture or presentation. The clips and playlists have static URLs that allow them to be shared for classroom use. Authorized users can link to your clips and playlists. You can choose to make a clip or playlist visible to you alone, or just to members of a group or class that you create, or you can limit to members of your institution.

Below are the collections in the Academic Video Online resource that relate to the health sciences field. The descriptions are taken directly from the Alexander Street Press site.

**Alexander Street Counseling** (http://ctiv.alexanderstreet.com/) provides the largest and richest online collection of video available for the study of counseling, social work, psychotherapy, psychology, and psychiatric counseling. The wealth of video and multiplicity of perspectives in these collections allow students and scholars to see, experience, and study counseling in ways never before possible.

**Dental Education in Video** (http://dntl.alexanderstreet.com/) is a video encyclopedia of dentistry and dental technique, delivering instant online access to hundreds of high-definition videos featuring world-renowned clinicians and educators. It provides hundreds of hours of demonstrations from American Dental Association-approved content partners, together with interviews and lectures, for students and faculty in dental surgery, medicine, oral hygiene, assisting, and nursing.

**Nursing Education in Video** ([http://mcom.alexanderstreet.com/](http://mcom.alexanderstreet.com/)) is a unique online collection of videos created specifically for the education and training of nurses, nursing assistants, and other healthcare workers. All of the videos in the collection have been created with the guidance of the Medcom-Trainex advisory board, and are regularly reviewed for accuracy, currency, and compliance with US Federal regulations from agencies such as OSHA and CMS.

**Sports Medicine and Exercise Science in Video** ([http://spex.alexanderstreet.com/](http://spex.alexanderstreet.com/)) is the most extensive video collection ever assembled in the areas of fitness and health assessment, disease management, injury treatment, nutrition, medical fitness, sport science, work-site wellness, exercise adherence, and much more. Developed through an exclusive partnership with Healthy Learning, the world’s leading producer of sports medicine videos, the collection features an array of internationally renowned physicians, exercise scientists, certified athletic trainers, physical therapists, registered dieticians, sport psychologists, personal trainers, and health/wellness experts who share information, ideas, and insights on the principles, techniques, and modalities of modern exercise science and sports medicine.

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