Recommended Resources for Learning Systematic Review Methods

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Courses

Dalla Lana School of Public Health *CHL5418: Scientific Overviews in Epidemiology
Full-semester course.
http://www.dlsph.utoronto.ca/course-details/scientific-overviews-epidemiology

McMaster University HRM *743: Systematic Review Methods
McMaster University HRM *773: Systematic Review Methods (Online)
Full semester courses. Tuition can be covered through the Ontario Visiting Graduate Student Program
http://hrm.mcmaster.ca/course_list.html

McGill University EPIB-619: Systematic Review and Meta-analyses
Offered over two weeks in the summer. Tuition can be covered through an interuniversity agreement.
http://www.mcgill.ca/epi-biostat-occh/summer/coursetimetables

Institute for Work and Health Systematic Review Workshops
Offered once or twice a year, lasts 2-3 days and costs ~$500 for students.
http://www.iwh.on.ca/systematic-review-workshops

Online Resources

Cochrane Collaboration
http://www.cochrane.org/

Cochrane Handbook:
http://handbook.cochrane.org/

Centre for Reviews and Dissemination, Guidelines for Systematic Reviews:
http://www.york.ac.uk/inst/crd/index_guidance.htm

Papers


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Moher D, Jadad AR, Klassen TP. Guides for reading and interpreting systematic reviews: III. How did the authors synthesize the data and make their conclusions? Arch Pediatr Adolesc Med. 1998 Sep;152(9):915-20.


**Textbooks**

