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Himmelfarb Library is adjusting our services to meet your needs during the pandemic.

The Washington Research Libraries Consortium Loan Service (CLS) is back up and running! GW is one of nine local academic libraries that operate in partnership to allow expanded access to the collections at these institutions. Himmelfarb users can use CLS to borrow books and other physical materials at no cost; items can be requested online and will be delivered to Himmelfarb Library or the Virginia Science and Technology Campus Library. For more information and details, please visit the Consortium Loan Service guide.

Himmelfarb Library is pleased to offer shipping service to students who are enrolled in online classes in SMHS, GWSPH, or SON; books from our circulating collection that are located in Himmelfarb Library can be shipped. We’ll also ship books ordered through Documents2Go Interlibrary Loan service; if we do not have a book that a student needs, we’ll borrow it from another university. Once we receive the book, we will ship it to the student at any location in the United States. Students should fill out the delivery request form to use this service.

Ross Hall Courtyard Service is now available to pick up and return library materials. Patrons who have borrowing and/or interlibrary loan privileges, but do not currently have on-site access are eligible to use this service. For details, see our Request Courtyard Service guide.

Interested in what your GW colleagues have published related to COVID-19? See the list in the Himmelfarb Library’s Health Sciences Research Commons.

Have COVID-19 related research but unsure where to publish? The Medical Education Research Scholarship and Evaluation (MESRE) Section of the AAMC’s Group of Educational Affairs has put together an annotated bibliography of journals targeting COVID-19 related research to help.

Reminders:
• Reference questions? Call 202-994-2850 or email us at himmelfarb@gwu.edu

• Seeking assistance on a systematic review? Need a librarian to orient your students to library resources and services? Contact Elaine Sullo at 202-994-2853 or elainej@gwu.edu

Remember, Himmelfarb Library is Here for You!