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Library Hours

Monday – Thursday	7:00 a.m. – Midnight
Friday	7:00 a.m. – 9:00 p.m.
Saturday	9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
Sunday	1:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.

Circulation Policies

Audiovisual materials:	7 days, 2 renewals
Books:	2 weeks, 2 renewals
Bound journals:	Same day, non-renewable
Nursing journals:	In-house use only
Unbound journals:	2 hours
Renewals:	Call 713.799.7147

Overdues

Overdue charges are \$1.25 per item per day. Unpaid fines result in the suspension of borrowing privileges.

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Location and Hours	713.795.4200
Dr. Elizabeth K. Eaton's office	799.7108
Circulation Desk (renewals, fines)	799.7147
Computer Lab	799.7106
Giving/Development	799.7153
Information Services	799.7161
Education and Training	799.7170
McGovern Historical Center	799.7139
Photocopy/Interlibrary Loan	799.7179
Regional Medical Library	799.7880

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Tulane University Students Orientation

On Saturday October 1st, 2005, three hundred medical students from Tulane University School of Medicine attended orientation at McMillian Auditorium in the DeBakey Building at Baylor College of Medicine.

Dr. Elizabeth K. Eaton, PhD, Executive Director of the Houston Academy of Medicine-Texas Medical Center (HAM-TMC) Library, provided helpful information to the incoming students regarding access to electronic resources and highlighted key services provided by the Library.

A highlight of the orientation was the presence of Michael E. DeBakey, MD, Baylor College of Medicine Chancellor Emeritus and a graduate of Tulane University School of Medicine Class of 1932.

"We welcome Tulane students, faculty and researchers; and send our heartfelt sympathies to them. We will all do whatever is needed to help them with their academic mission." said Elizabeth K. Eaton, PhD.

New Blue Buttons in PubMed

When the article you have located in PubMed is available from the HAM-TMC Library, electronically or in print, you will see the appropriate button(s) displayed over the abstract:

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Michael E. DeBakey, MD

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News in Health



The October issue of *News in Health*, that includes practical health news and tips based

on the latest NIH research, is now available at: <http://newsinhealth.nih.gov/>

As the primary federal agency for conducting and supporting medical research, the content NIH produces is not copyrighted. Copies can be downloaded and displayed free of charge.

Featured Stories:

- Computers Help Plan for a Deadly New Flu
- Cold, Flu or Allergy? Figuring Out What's Ailing You

Health Capsules:

- Bacteria in Dust Linked to Asthma
- Why Are You Coughing?

Featured Website:

LifeWorks, an interactive web site for middle and high school students with information on health and medical science careers from NIH's Office of Science Education.

Library Class Schedule

Attend one or more free classes offered by the Library in November:

Basic HTML: November 22, 11:00 am – 1:00 pm

Evidence-based Medicine Databases: November 16, 2:00 pm – 4:00 pm

Navigating Full-Text Journals: November 17, 11:00 am – 12:30 pm

For class schedule and registration visit:

<http://resource.library.tmc.edu/class/schedule.php>



Molecular Biology Classes Offered at HAM-TMC Library

The National Library of Medicine National Training Center and Clearinghouse will offer the class Introduction to Molecular Biology Information Resources on November 2-4, 2005 from 9:00 am – 5:00 pm in the Street Level classroom.

The training schedule and more information are available at:

<http://nnlm.gov/mar/online/schedule.html>

Register for the classes at:

<http://nnlm.gov/mar/online/request.html>

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