



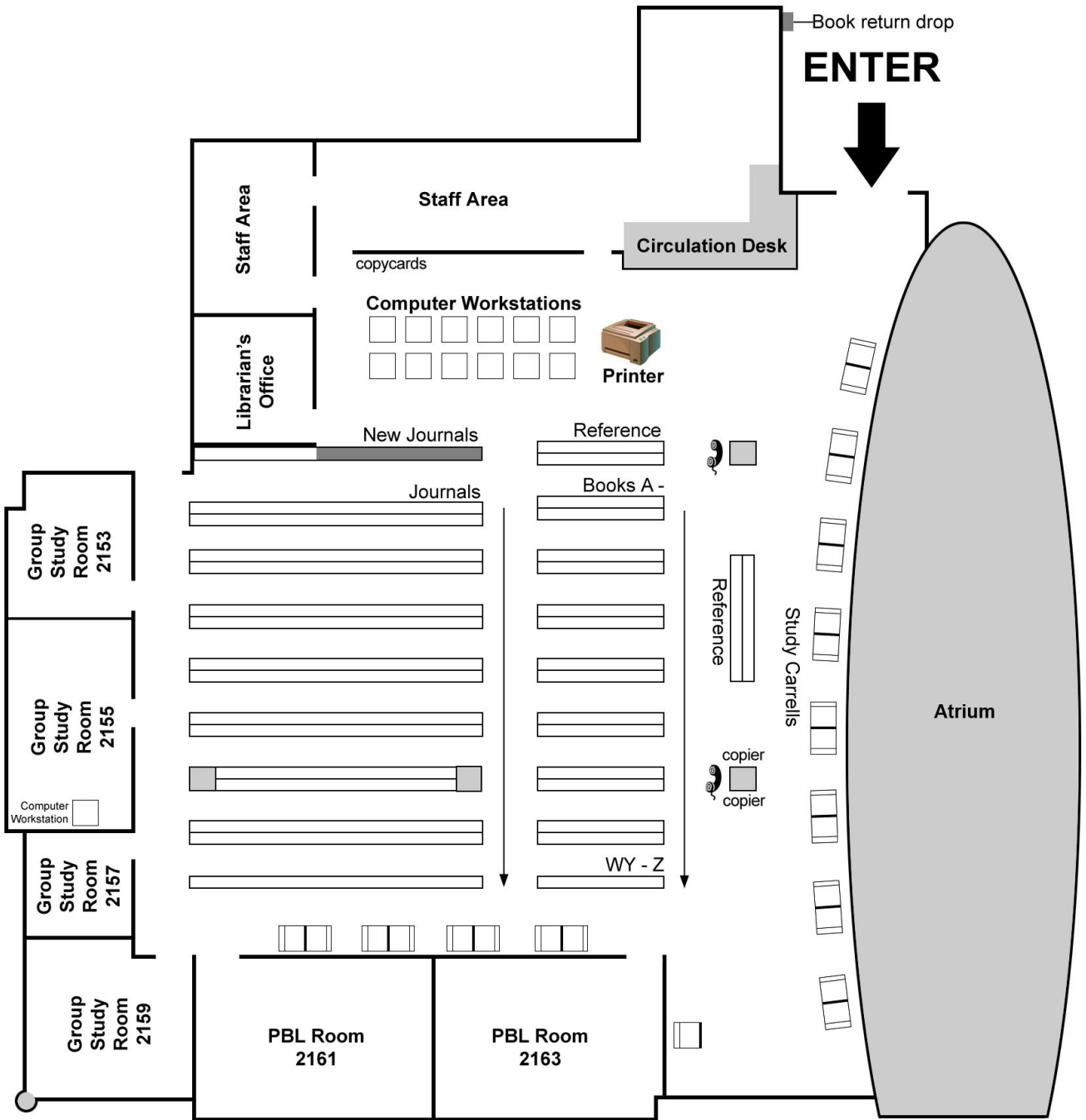
The Library

# Guide to UBC Biomedical Branch Library

*Gordon & Leslie Diamond Health Care Centre*

Please call for assistance: 604.875.4505

<http://www.library.ubc.ca/bmb/>



**PBL Room** PBL Rooms must be booked in advance. Sign up through the Faculty of Medicine.

**Group Study Room** Group Study Rooms are first come first served. Housephone

**ADDRESS** UBC Biomedical Branch (BMB) Library Gordon and Leslie Diamond Health Care Centre  
 2775 Laurel Street, Floor 2, Vancouver, BC V5Z 1M9  
 Phone: 604-875-4505 Fax: (604) 875-4689 Ariel: ariel.bmb.library.ubc.ca

**THE UBC BIOMEDICAL BRANCH (BMB) LIBRARY** is located on the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor of the Gordon and Leslie Diamond Health Care Centre at Oak & 12<sup>th</sup> Avenue. We provide library services to UBC faculty, staff and students, and onsite staff of the Vancouver General Hospital (VGH). As part of the UBC Life Sciences Libraries, BMB provides access to a range of e-resources and services.

**UBC LIBRARY WEBSITES** <http://www.library.ubc.ca/> & **BIOMEDICAL BRANCH (BMB) LIBRARY** <http://www.library.ubc.ca/bmb/>  
Access to the UBC library catalogue, indexes & databases, fulltext ejournals & ebooks is available. The Library provides access to thousands of ebooks and new digital information online. To locate content, use 'Books & More' at the UBC Library home page *search box*. Enter some keywords and refine by selecting 'Online Resources' (or call 604-875-4505 for assistance).

### **LIBRARY CARDS**

- A [UBCcard](https://www.ubccard.ubc.ca/) can be obtained in person at the UBC Bookstore – Carding Office (Point Grey campus) or online: <https://www.ubccard.ubc.ca/> (please call 604-875-4505 for information on *temporary library cards*.)
- All VGH staff can get a hospital library card and should get it validated annually. The hospital library card, however, does *not* provide access to online resources from home. Hospital employees can access some e-resources and databases through the [eHLBC agreement](#) and for free using tools such as [PubMed](#) and [Google scholar](#).

### **ONLINE ACCESS & IN-PERSON**

- **FROM HOME:** to access the UBC Library from home and to set your 'myVPN': <http://www.library.ubc.ca/home/proxyinfo/>
- **WITHIN VGH:** use the *EZproxy* if you are a hospital-based UBC student, staff or faculty: [http://www.library.ubc.ca/life/hospital\\_resources/hospitals\\_ezproxy.html](http://www.library.ubc.ca/life/hospital_resources/hospitals_ezproxy.html)

UBC Internet Wireless (ubcsecure) is accessible in the BMB library and nearby: [www.it.ubc.ca/internet/wireless.html](http://www.it.ubc.ca/internet/wireless.html).

Access to the BMB library after 7pm weekdays and weekends *is restricted* to pass-holders and those with a valid *swipe card*. See this announcement for more information: <http://www.library.ubc.ca/bmb/about/access.html>

### **LOAN POLICIES**

Books:	2 weeks
Print journals:	Library Use Only
Reference & reserve collections:	Library Use Only

### **BOOK RENEWALS**

- 604-822-2883 & 604-822-3115 (or *in-person* at any UBC Library location)
- Renew online from Library homepage under "My Account" <http://www.library.ubc.ca/>

### **PHOTOCOPIERS**

Purchase copycards at the circulation desk or at the copycard vending machine [see *map*].

### **INTERLIBRARY LOAN SERVICE**

Need something we don't have at UBC Library? Request it using the Interlibrary Loan (ILL) service: <http://www.library.ubc.ca/life/ill/>

### **LIBRARY SERVICES & WORKSHOPS**

- Information and reference services are provided 9am – 5pm Monday to Friday. Assistance is available for searching the Library catalogue, ejournals, indexes and databases such as MEDLINE, CINAHL, [PubMed](#) and [Google scholar](#).
- Instruction, advanced search techniques and systematic review consultations can be arranged with the reference librarian at BMB Library *call* 604-875-4505. Register online for workshops here: <http://www.library.ubc.ca/life/> or through the Vancouver Coastal Health (VCH) website: <http://www.vchri.ca/s/Workshops.asp>

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