

Wilson OmniFile Full Text Mega

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Sample Search

Your topic is: "the effects of the media on violence," but you are not quite sure what type of media you want to focus on or who may be violent because of the media.

1. Open the database *Wilson OmniFile Full Text Mega* from the database selection from the library homepage.
2. From the **browse titles selection**, choose W. Click on *Wilson OmniFile Full Text Mega*.
3. Click on the **Basic Search Tab** and enter your search terms in the find box.

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Interface Language: Library Default | Quick Links: Journal Directory

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Open Database Selection Area | Database Descriptions | Journal Directory
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FIND

media effects and violence

Also search within the full text of the articles, for extra results

For additional search criteria, go to [Advanced Search](#)

Clear Start

The search terms that you entered are listed under **Search Results** at the top left hand portion of the screen. The information about each article is called a **citation**. Citations are displayed in relevance order, the most relevant articles appearing first. Some articles appear in full text and others appear with an **Article Linker** link. Clicking on this link will lead you to the full text article, if available. The link will let you search the Main Library catalog, the Hospital Library catalog and if the article is still not found online, the link will let you order the article from Interlibrary Loan – just fill out the form, send it out and you will be notified when the article comes in – usually within a few days. If the article is available full text immediately, a full text html and/or a full text PDF link will appear. Upon clicking either of these links the full text of the article will appear.

Search Results: 295 records found from search of: media effects and violence

The screenshot shows a search results page with 295 records. At the top, there is a navigation bar with tabs: BASIC SEARCH, ADVANCED SEARCH, BROWSE, **THE SAURUS** (circled in red), SEARCH HISTORY, PRINT EMAIL SAVE, and EXPORTING / CITING. Below the navigation bar, the search results are displayed. On the left, there is a 'CONTENT DISCOVERY KEYS' sidebar with a 'New Search By Subject' section. This section lists various subjects such as 'Violence in mass media', 'Violence in television', 'Violence / Psychological aspects', 'Aggressiveness (Psychology)', 'Violence in computer games', 'Mass media / Social aspects', 'Conditioned response / Emotional response', and 'Television and children'. Below this list are options to 'Narrow These Results' by 'Author', 'Subject', and 'Publication Year'. The main content area shows a list of search results, each with a checkbox, a percentage (e.g., 80%, 70%), and a title. The first result is 'DeLuca, K. M., et. al., From public sphere to public screen: democracy, activism, and the "violence" of Seattle. Critical Studies in Media Communication v. 19 no. 2 (June 2002) p. 125-51'. Each result has a 'Link to fulltext' button. At the top right, there is a 'Find:' search box and a 'Search Within Results' button.

Side Bar – Lists other subjects which are hyperlinks to more articles and lets you narrow your topic by author, subject or publication year. **Thesaurus tab at top** - If you are not sure of a topic you can click on the thesaurus tab at the top of the screen, put in your search term(s) and you will be given other search terms that may be more effective in obtaining relevant articles to your specific topic. Putting in “media” in the Thesaurus brings up “video games.”

Limiting Search - Enter a term in the find box: eg: “video games.” The search has now been narrowed to 32 results.

The screenshot shows a search results page with 32 records. At the top, there is a navigation bar with tabs: ALL RESULTS, FULL TEXT, FULL TEXT PDF, PEER REVIEWED, and NON-PEER REVIEWED. Below the navigation bar, the search results are displayed. On the left, there is a 'CONTENT DISCOVERY KEYS' sidebar with a 'New Search By Subject' section. This section lists various subjects such as 'Violence in computer games', 'Violence in television', 'Violence in mass media', 'Aggressiveness (Psychology)', 'Video games / Psychological aspects', 'Mass media and children', 'Violence in electronic games', and 'Mobon pictures / Rating'. Below this list are options to 'Narrow These Results' by 'Author', 'Subject', and 'Publication Year'. The main content area shows a list of search results, each with a checkbox, a percentage (e.g., 70%), and a title. The first result is 'Dill, K. E., et. al., Effects of exposure to sex-stereotyped video game characters on tolerance of sexual harassment. Journal of Experimental Social Psychology v. 44 no. 5 (September 2008) p. 1402-8'. Each result has a 'Link to fulltext' button. At the top right, there is a 'Find:' search box (circled in red) and a 'Search Within Results' button.

Advanced Search

By clicking on the Advanced Search tab, you may further limit your searches – for example, by year, full text, peer reviewed, language, journal and many more.