How to Get the Most Bang for Your Buck with ERM

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What I Plan to Cover

- Features to look for in ERM
- Gold Rush-CO Alliance ERM
- Some tips on using and saving money through your ERM
Confronted with the Problem

- Libraries are spending an increasing amount on electronic resources
- Difficult to search and manage electronic resources
- Need a way to integrate local journal holdings with online databases
Solution: Develop ERM

- In house programmers developed Gold Rush ERM for member libraries
- Linux platform, Cold Fusion, Perl scripts
- Available over the Internet
- ASP platform
Evolution of Gold Rush

- Alliance begins to sell at cost to libraries outside of consortium
- 33 libraries now use Gold Rush
- Partner with TLC/CARL and HW Wilson, and BCR to sell to libraries
Common Features of Gold Rush and ERM in General

- Open URL Link Resolver—article linking
- Public Search Interface: Article Finder, A to Z list
- Subscriptions: contracts, pricing,
- Holdings: add databases, journals
- Reports: database comparisons
Examples

Article or Journal Finder

Customizable Results screens
Article Finder - link directly to article
Results with Direct Links to Articles
Remote Authentication

The resource you requested requires you to log in with your PLU ePass.

Username: @plu.edu
Password: 

This sign-in gives you 8-hour access without repeat login to PLU ePass-protected Web resources.

WARNING: Protect your privacy! Prevent unauthorized use!
EXIT/QUIT ALL of your Web browser sessions and windows when you are finished.

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Meeting a Challenge with Ideas and Optimism

James Kallay, Time. New York, Nov 13, 2005 Vol 166, Iss. 20, pg 5, 2 pgs

Abstract (Document Summary)

For three days last week, 360 experts and policymakers gathered in New York City to discuss the challenges for public health around the world and why it is in the interest of Americans to care.

Full Text (351 words)

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For three days last week, 360 experts and policymakers gathered in New York City to discuss the challenges for public health around the world and why it is in the interest of Americans to care. The TIME Global Health Summit, whose participants included Bill Clinton, Bill Gates, Kofi Annan, Madeleine Albright, Nick Wagner, Ted Turner, Paul Wolfowitz of the World Bank and UNICEF's Ann Veneman, reflected what we try to do in the magazine, which is to cover stories that are shaping our future but don't always attract big, breaking headlines. Some of the disease fighters we profiled in last week's issue, "How to Save a Life," attended the meeting, and one person even made two appearances by satellite. Bono, the rock star of global health, addressed the gathering from Los Angeles, where he is touring with U2. "I feel like I'm missing Woodstock," he said. That evening, he performed a transcendential duet with Alicia Keys, who headlined a benefit concert for Keep a Child Alive.

To read and see more about our conference, including a webcast of my joint interview with Bill Clinton and Bill Gates, please visit TIME.com.

At the benefit concert, Alicia Keys and Usher perform an intimate duet.

Members of the Agape Children's Choir sing James Naichway's photo gallery.
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### Print Journals at Colorado College

- Colorado College Local Library Journals  (COLORADO COLLEGE)

### Request Article via Interlibrary Loan

- ILLIAD - Interlibrary Loan

### Other Resources

- CC TIGER library catalog (search for item)
- Google (search for author)
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Journal Finder

Search for Journals

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Searching made easy with A-Z List
Cost Saving Tips on ERM

- Reports-content comparison
- Subscriptions-central place to enter all information about vendor/database
- Holdings-update and manage holdings in real time
Reports

- Ability to compare full text and indexing coverage between databases
- Analyze holdings-how many are full text versus indexing
- Download spreadsheet for database and provider
- Statistics
# Holdings Analysis for Auraria Library

## Databases, and Journals

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- 44% of your journals are available in full text.
- 66% of your databases include full text.

## Inclusion Analysis

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- 40% of your journals are included in only one database.
- 17% of your journals are included in two or more databases.
- 10% of your journals are included in three databases.
- 33% of your journals are included in four or more databases.

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Compare Database Content

The Database Comparison Report produces a multi-part report, listing titles that are unique and common between the two databases.

The next group of reports only appears if you retain the "Include Full Text Comparison" option. These reports list the unique Full Text titles in each database as well as the Full Text titles they have in common.

To view a report, click on the linked number under the column Unique or Same.

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Holdings

- Ability to add all of your databases, primary publishers, and journals
- Ability to export your local holdings from your LIS and integrate into Holdings module
- Ability to update or create new holdings records
The Open Access Digital Library

"Access Anywhere Anytime"

The Open Access Digital Library, an integral part of the Gold Rush resource management system, provides free access to 76 databases and almost 4,000 full text, scholarly, peer-reviewed journals in a variety of subjects from medicine to engineering.

Browse by Journal Title

ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ

Browse by Database Name

ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ

Start your search in Gold Rush

What is Gold Rush?

Featured Resources

- DLESE-Digital Library of Earth System Education. This full text repository includes lesson plans, experiments, and much more.

Special Collections

- Applied Science and Engineering
- Making of America Journal
- BioMed Central
- Directory of Open Access Journals

- February is Black History Month. For a historical perspective on African American religion check out the
  African
Open Access Digital Library

http://grweb.coalliance.org/oadl/oadl.html
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Research

Medicines informal market in Congo, Burundi and Angola: counterfeit and sub-standard antimalarials
Maria Cristina Gaudiano, Anna El Maggio, Emililia Cocchiola, Elena Antoniella, Paola Bartocchi, Stefano Alimonti, Luca Valvo
Malaria Journal 2007, 6:32 (22 February 2009)
[Abstract] [Provisional PDF]

One of the effects of poverty is that the medicines market in many developing countries consists essentially of informal street vendors. Economic restrictions, a weak drug-regulatory system and insufficient controls on production, distribution and importation promote a rise of this illegal medicines market.

Research

A cost-effectiveness analysis of artesunate-lumefantrine for treatment of uncomplicated malaria in Zambia
Pascaline Chanda, Felix Masiey, Donna N Chitwa, Naawa Sipilanyambe, Moonga Havelwa, Patrick Benda, Tuoyo Okorosobo
Malaria Journal 2007, 6:25 (21 February 2007)
[Abstract] [Full Text] [PDF]

Despite greater costs, the study suggests that the decision to move to ACTs is clearly justifiable on both economic and public health grounds.

Research

Promoter regions of Plasmodium vivaxare poorly or not recognized by Plasmodium falciparum
Mauro F. Azevedo, Hernando A. del Portillo
[Abstract] [Provisional PDF]

Promoter structure and function in Plasmodium are poorly understood. The paper utilizes recent releases of P. vivax sequence to generate promoter sequences from a range of genes (housekeeping and potential vivax asexual genes) to generate constructs for transient transfection into a heterologous parasite, P. falciparum.

Methodology

A new ELISA kit which uses a combination of Plasmodium falciparum extract and recombinant Plasmodium
A cost-effectiveness analysis of artemether-lumefantrine for treatment of uncomplicated malaria in Zambia

Pascalina Chanda, Felix Matile, Boaa M Chilika, Neowa Sipilanyambe, Mwongo Hwale, Patrick Bandi and Taoyo Okorosobel


The electronic version of this article is the complete one and can be found online at: http://www.malariajournal.com/content/6/1/21

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Abstract

Background

Malariaremains aleadingcauseofmorbidity, mortality and non-fatal disability in Zambia, especially among children, pregnant women and the poor. Data gathered by the National Malaria Control Centre has shown that recently observed widespread treatment failure of SP and chloroquine precipitated a surge in malaria-related morbidity and mortality. As a result, the Government has recently replaced chloroquine and SP with combination therapy as first-line treatment for malaria. Despite the acclaimed therapeutic advantages of ACTs over monotherapies with SP and CQ, the cost of ACTs is much greater, raising concerns about affordability in many poor countries such as Zambia. This study evaluates the cost-effectiveness analysis of artemether-lumefantrine, a version of ACTs adopted in Zambia in mid-2004.

Methods

Using data gathered from patients presenting at public health facilities with suspected malaria, the costs and effects of using ACTs versus SP as first-line treatment for malaria were estimated. The study was conducted in six district sites. Treatment success and reduction in demand for second-line treatment constituted the main effectiveness outcomes. The study gathered data on the efficacy of, and compliance to, AL and SP treatment from a random sample of patients. Costs are based on estimated drug, labour, operational and capital inputs. Drug costs were based on dosages and unit prices provided by the Ministry of Health and the manufacturer (Novartis).

Findings

The results suggest that AL produces successful treatment at a lower cost than SP, implying that AL is more cost-effective. While it is acknowledged that implementing national ACT program will require considerable resources, the study demonstrates that the health gains (treatment success) from using AL cost are significantly greater than those using SP.
Future Developments

- Incorporate Web 2.0 by creating an XML gateway-fully customizable interface
- Incident Tracker-subscriptions
- Add your own field and reorder sections in subscriptions
Conclusion

Gold Rush is successful because of member libraries and ongoing customers.

We have continued to develop the software as ERM’s have evolved.

Gold Rush has been a partnership between libraries and the CO Alliance.