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# OpenAthens

**Your guide to using OpenAthens at St. Francis Hospice**

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## What is OpenAthens?

OpenAthens is a single sign-on (SSO) solution that provides online access to resources such as databases, journals and e-books. OpenAthens is the parent company, and MyAthens is the curated online space for individual organisations.

OpenAthens/MyAthens at St. Francis Hospice is managed by the librarian.



# OpenAthens



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# OpenAthens Account

All staff, volunteers, and students based at the Hospice, or those undertaking the Cert./Dip./MSc. in Palliative Care at TCD are eligible for an OpenAthens account.

An online application form can be completed via the Hospice website or by scanning the QR code.

<https://www.sfh.ie/for-healthcare-professionals/education/library/openathens/>



# OpenAthens Account

After your account has been set up, you will receive an email from St. Francis Hospice Library with your login details. Your username will always begin with **sfh**, usually followed by a variation of your name e.g. **sfhaname**.

You will also receive a separate email from OpenAthens to complete your registration and set your password. You may need to check your Junk Folder for this.

If you do not complete your registration, you will not be able to use OpenAthens.



# Using OpenAthens



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# OpenAthens Sign In

Go to: **my.openathens.net**

You will arrive at the *Sign In* page.

Click *Sign in with an OpenAthens account*.

## Sign in

With just one simple single sign-on, MyAthens enables you to access all the knowledge you need to achieve great things.

### Find your institution

Your university, company, or library.

Examples: Institute of Technology, sue@uni.edu, ASU.

or



Sign in with an OpenAthens account



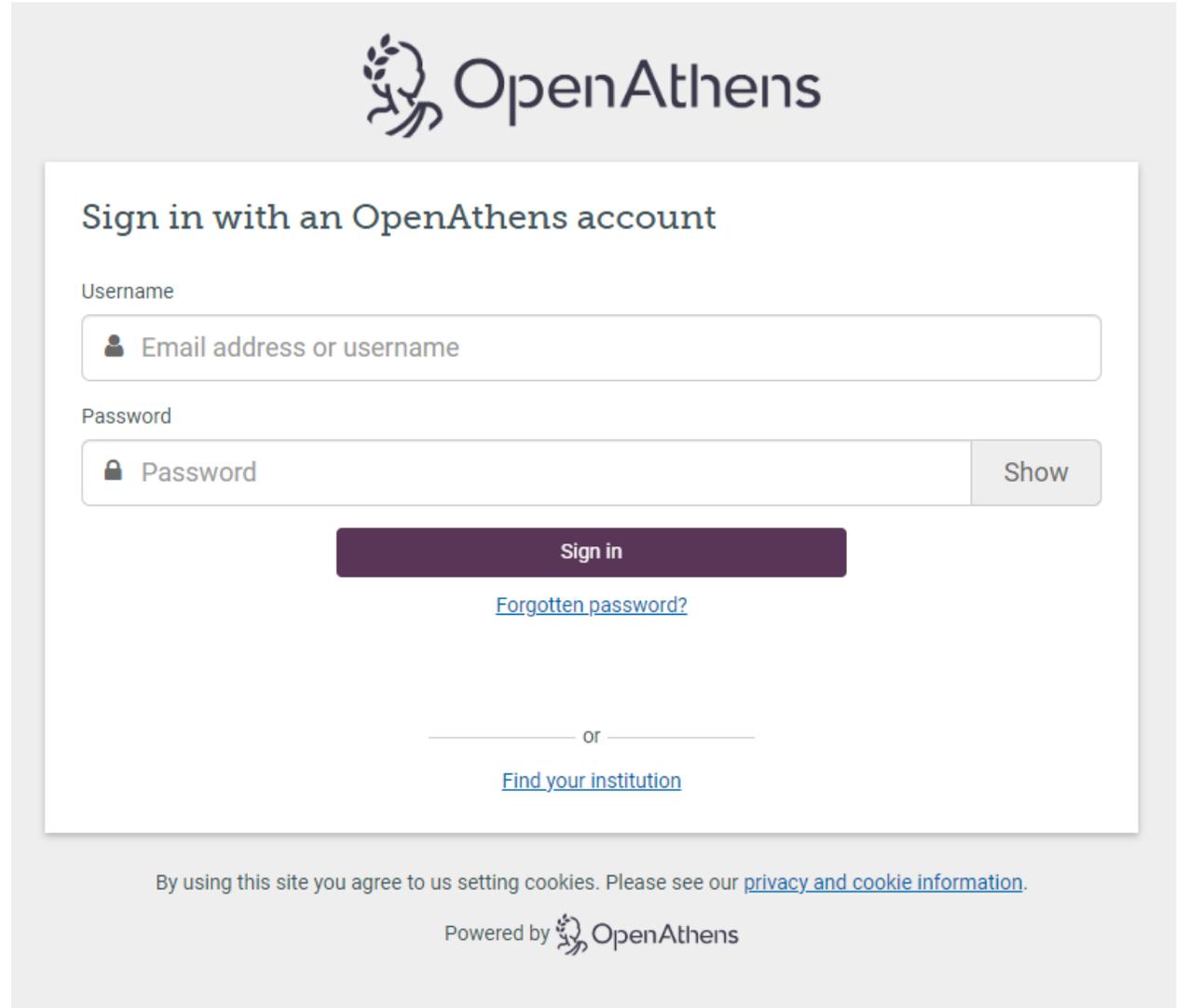
# OpenAthens Sign In

Enter your username.

Your username will always begin with **sfh**, usually followed by a variation of your name e.g. **sfhaname**.

This was sent to you by email from the librarian.

The password is the one you created when you activated your account.



The screenshot shows the OpenAthens sign-in interface. At the top right is the OpenAthens logo. The main heading is "Sign in with an OpenAthens account". Below this are two input fields: "Username" with a placeholder "Email address or username" and a user icon, and "Password" with a placeholder "Password", a lock icon, and a "Show" button. A dark purple "Sign in" button is centered below the fields. Below the button is a blue link "Forgotten password?". A horizontal line with "or" in the center is below the link, followed by another blue link "Find your institution". At the bottom of the form area, there is a line of text: "By using this site you agree to us setting cookies. Please see our [privacy and cookie information](#)." Below that is the text "Powered by" followed by the OpenAthens logo and the text "OpenAthens".



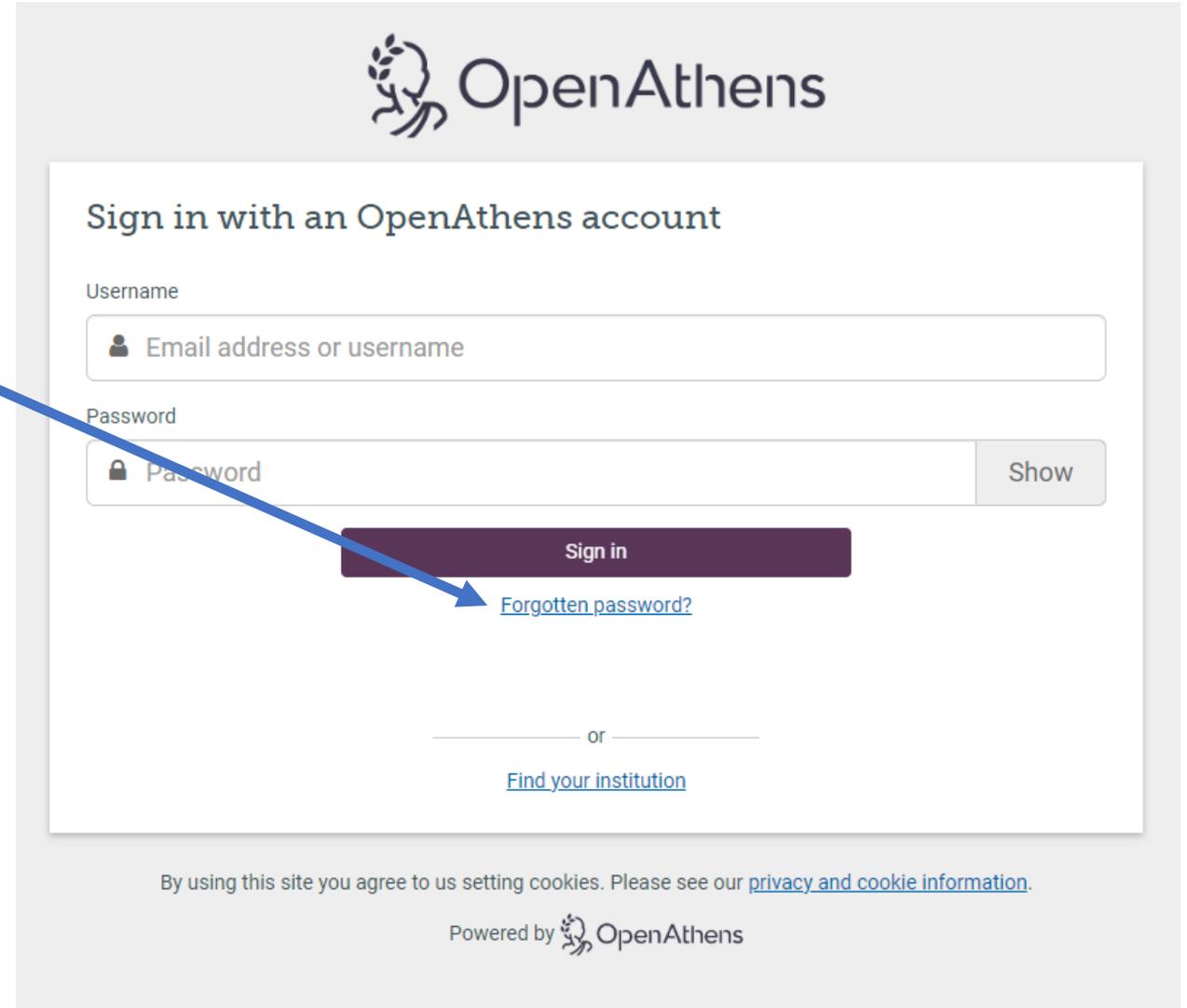
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# Forgotten Password

If you have forgotten your password you can reset it by clicking on the *Forgotten password?* link.

An email will be sent to the email address that you used to register your account.

If this does not work and you need further support, contact [library@sfh.ie](mailto:library@sfh.ie)



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# OpenAthens Resources



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# OpenAthens Resources

After you sign in, you will be brought to the Resources page.

Here you can view all of the resources available online through St. Francis Hospice Library.

The screenshot displays the OpenAthens interface for St. Francis Hospice Dublin. On the left is a dark navigation sidebar with the following elements: the MyAthens logo, the St. Francis Hospice Dublin logo, the text 'St. Francis Hospice Dublin', a 'Research zone' button with a home icon, and an 'Account' button with a user icon. The main content area is titled 'Discover 50 resources' and features a search bar with the placeholder text 'Search the list of resources'. Below the search bar is a grid of alphabetical filters: 'All' (highlighted in green), A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H, I, J, K, L, M, N, O, P, Q, R, S, T, U, V, W, XYZ, and #. A 'Favourites' button with a heart icon is located to the right of the filters. The resource list includes: 1. 'An Leabharlann, the St Francis Hospice Library Newsletter' with a description 'Archive of the Library Newsletter from St Francis Hospice Dublin.' and a heart icon. 2. 'APPM Master Formulary' with a description 'Association for Paediatric Palliative Medicine Master Formulary. Download as a PDF or view online.' and a heart icon. 3. 'Archives of Disease in Childhood' with a description 'For access to articles that are not Open Access, please contact library@sfh.ie...' and a heart icon. 4. 'Bereavement: journal of grief and responses to death' with a description 'Bereavement is an open access peer reviewed journal. Accessible and interdisciplinary, it reaches a range of relevant audiences, including...' and a heart icon. A 'SHOW MORE' link is visible below the first three items. On the right side of the page, there is a section titled 'Journals online' which lists: 'Archives of Disease in Childhood' with a note 'For access to articles that are not Open Access, please contact library@sfh.ie. Archives of Disease in Childhood (ADC)...'; 'Bereavement: journal of grief and responses to death' with a note 'Bereavement is an open access peer reviewed journal. Accessible and interdisciplinary, it reaches a range of relevant...'; 'BMJ Paediatrics Open' with a note 'BMJ Paediatrics Open is an open access journal dedicated to publishing original research, study protocols and clinical...'; 'BMJ Supportive & Palliative Care' with a note 'Click the link, go to "Log In", then "Log In via OpenAthens" and input your details. BMJ Supportive & Palliative Care...'; 'British Journal of Healthcare Assistants' with a note 'British Journal of Healthcare Assistants (BJHCA) is the only monthly, peer-reviewed journal to recognise the importance...'; 'Complementary Therapies in Clinical Practice' with a note 'For access to articles that are not Open Access, please contact library@sfh.ie. Complementary Therapies in Clinical...'; and 'International Journal of Palliative Nursing' with a note 'The aim of IJPN is to provide nurses with essential information to help them deliver the best possible care and support...'. At the bottom left of the sidebar, there is a double-left arrow icon.

# OpenAthens Resources

There are a range of resources available via OpenAthens.

You can view them *All* or *Alphabetically*.

Some resources have been grouped together for convenience, such as *Journals*, *Databases*, and *Prescribing advice and guidance*.

Each title will link you to that resource.

Next, we will look at two examples.



# Example: Journal of Palliative Care

To access any resource, for example the *Journal of Palliative Care*, just click on the title of the resource and it should open in a new window of your internet browser.

## [Complementary Therapies in Clinical Practice](#)

For access to articles that are not Open Access, please contact library@sfh.ie.  
Complementary Therapies in Clinical...

## [International Journal of Palliative Nursing](#)

The aim of IJPN is to provide nurses with essential information to help them deliver the best possible care and support...

## [Journal of Lymphoedema](#)

The Journal of Lymphoedema is an annual online practice-based journal for healthcare professionals who wish to keep up...

## [Journal of Palliative Care](#)

The Journal of Palliative Care is a quarterly, peer-reviewed, international and interdisciplinary forum for practical,...

## [Journal of Palliative Medicine](#)

Founded by Mary Ann Liebert in 1980, Mary Ann Liebert, Inc. is a leading independent publisher of scientific,...

## [Journal of Pediatrics](#)

For access to articles that are not Open Access, please contact library@sfh.ie. The Journal of Pediatrics is an...

## [Palliative Medicine](#)

Palliative Medicine is a highly ranked, peer reviewed scholarly journal dedicated to improving knowledge and clinical...



# Example: Journal of Palliative Care

The screenshot shows the Sage Journals website for the Journal of Palliative Care. At the top, there is a search bar with the text "I have access via: Saint Francis Hospice" circled in green. A blue arrow points from this text to a search box labeled "Search this journal". Another blue arrow points from the same text to a box containing the text "I have access via Saint Francis Hospice". Below the search bar, there are navigation options: "Browse by discipline" and "Information for". The main header features the journal title "Journal of Palliative Care" and a blue "Submit Paper" button. Below the header, there is a section for "Impact Factor: 1.3 / 5-Year Impact Factor: 1.6" and a "Journal Homepage" button. The main content area is divided into two columns. The left column contains a description of the journal and a "View full journal description" link. The right column contains a "Browse journal" section with options: "Current issue", "OnlineFirst", "All issues", and "Free sample". Below this is a "Journal information" section with links for "Journal overview and metrics", "Editorial board", "Submission guidelines", "Reprints", "Journal permissions", "Subscribe", "Recommend to library", and "Advertising and promotion". At the bottom, there is a "Browse by" section with tabs for "Most recent", "Most read", "Most cited", and "Trending". A blue arrow points from the "Most recent" tab to a box containing the text "Browse articles by most recent, most read, or most cited." Below the "Browse by" section, there is a list of articles, with the first article titled "The Lived Experiences of Hospice Healthcare Workers Caring for Adolescents and Young Adults With Advanced Cancer: An Interpretative Phenomenological Analysis" by Nadine Persaud PhD, MSW, BSW, RSW, Sarah Brearley PhD, Catherine Walshe PhD, MSc, BNurs(Hons), RGN.

Sage Journals

Search this journal Enter search terms... Advanced search

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Browse by discipline Information for

Journal of Palliative Care

Impact Factor: 1.3 / 5-Year Impact Factor: 1.6 Journal Homepage Submit Paper

The *Journal of Palliative Care* is a quarterly, peer-reviewed, international and interdisciplinary forum for practical, critical thought on palliative care and palliative medicine. *JPC* publishes high-quality original research, opinion papers/commentaries, narrative and humanities works, case reports/case series, and reports on international activities and ... | [View full journal description](#)  
This journal is a member of the [Committee on Publication Ethics \(COPE\)](#).

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[The Lived Experiences of Hospice Healthcare Workers Caring for Adolescents and Young Adults With Advanced Cancer: An Interpretative Phenomenological Analysis](#)

Nadine Persaud PhD, MSW, BSW, RSW, Sarah Brearley PhD, Catherine Walshe PhD, MSc, BNurs(Hons), RGN

"I have access via Saint Francis Hospice".

Search this journal.

Browse the current issue or explore previous issues.

Browse articles by most recent, most read, or most cited.

# Example: Journal of Palliative Care

Sage Journals

Search this journal ▾

Enter search terms...



[Advanced search](#)

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Available access

Research article

First published Sep 19, 2024

[EMPOWERING END-OF-LIFE CONVERSATIONS: The Role of Specialized Nursing Teams in Facilitating Code Status Changes at Discharge](#)

Diane Wintz MD, FACS , Kathryn B. Schaffer MPH, CCRP, Kelly Wright RN, MSN MBA, Stacy L. Nilsen RN, CNS, PhD



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A lock icon is often used to denote access. Here the lock icon is green and open, because we are signed in via OpenAthens

This is an orange *Open Access* lock. Open Access means that an article is freely available to anyone online.

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Sage Journals

Search this journal ▾

Enter search terms...



[Advanced search](#)

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Impact Factor: **1.3** / 5-Year Impact Factor: **1.6**

[Journal Homepage](#)

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## Family Peace and Affecting Factors in Family Caregivers of Patients With Cancer: A Cross-Sectional Study

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### Abstract

**Objective:** During the care process, family members who provide care for a patient with cancer are confronted with changes in their family dynamics. The purpose of this study was to evaluate the family peace of caregivers of patient with cancer and the associated factors. **Methods:** A cross-sectional study was conducted in a single center. The sample of the study included caregivers who were family members of patients with cancer. Data were collected with Caregiver and Patient Information Forms, General Self-Efficacy Scale, Family Peace Scale, Self-Care Behaviors Scale, and MD Anderson Symptom Inventory. **Results:** It was found that the mean age of the caregivers was  $50.20 \pm 0.71$  years, 64.1% were female, 78.7% were married. The mean score of the caregivers on the total family peace scale was above the average value with

## Example: Journal of Palliative Care

Most journals and other resources on OpenAthens have a similar, but not identical, design.

If you don't appear to have access, refresh your page and make sure that you're still signed in to OpenAthens. If you sign out of OpenAthens or close the page, you will lose access to the resources.

If you still have an issue accessing a resource, please contact [library@sfh.ie](mailto:library@sfh.ie)

# Example: CINAHL Database

Click on the title of the resource you want to access.

In this example, we look at CINAHL (Cumulative Index to Nursing and Allied Health Literature) Database, which is hosted on EBSCOhost.

## Databases (Literature Searching) & Evidence Based Reviews

### CINAHL via EBSCO Information Services

EBSCO is the leading provider of electronic research materials and a major provider of library technology, e-books and...

### PubMed (all health subjects)

PubMed comprises more than 27 million citations for biomedical literature from MEDLINE, life science journals, and...

### Cochrane Library (evidence based reviews covering all health subjects)

The Cochrane Library is a collection of six databases that contain different types of high-quality, independent...



# Example: CINAHL Database

EBSCOhost Searching: **CINAHL Plus with Full Text** [Change Databases](#)  
 Suggest Subject Terms

Select a Field (optional) Search

AND  Select a Field (optional) Create Alert

AND  Select a Field (optional) Clear ?

+ -

[Basic Search](#) [Advanced Search](#) [Search History](#)

The database you have access to will be highlighted in **green**.

Use the search function to find articles on specific topics.

**Note:** full training on use of CINAHL is available from the library.

### Search Options

#### Search Modes and Expanders

Search modes ?

- Proximity
- Find all my search terms
- Find any of my search terms
- SmartText Searching [Hint](#)

Apply related words

Also search within the full text of the articles

Apply equivalent subjects

#### Limit your results

Full Text

Abstract Available

References Available

Publication Date

Start month:  Month  Start year:  — End month:  Month  End year:

# OpenAthens – Prescribing Resources

Other resources on OpenAthens include:

**Drugs in Palliative Care.** eBook

**Maudsley Prescribing Guidelines in Psychiatry.** eBook

**Medicines Complete** (includes BNF, PCF, and Stockley's Drug Interactions). On-site access in SFH Blanchardstown or Raheny. Off-site access is available for clinical staff who need it.

**Medusa - The Injectable Medicines Guide.**

The Injectable Medicines Guide (IMG), also known as Medusa, aims to provide guidance on the preparation and administration of injectable medicines in adult and paediatric clinical areas.

**NEWT Guidelines.**

Medicines management guidelines for patients with enteral feeding tubes or swallowing difficulties.

# OpenAthens

The resources on OpenAthens change from time to time.

The best way to familiarise yourself with OpenAthens is to sign in and browse through the resources. You won't break it by browsing.

If you notice any inactive links, please report them to [library@sfh.ie](mailto:library@sfh.ie).

If you or your team have any questions about OpenAthens, or would like more information about St. Francis Hospice Library in general, please email [library@sfh.ie](mailto:library@sfh.ie) or telephone ext. 3333.



If you need further assistance please  
email or call the library.

Thank you.

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