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Fall 2017 Schedule (September-December)

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Systematic Review Workshops

The workshops are available freely to students, faculty and staff of the Rutgers School of Nursing who are working on a systematic review project for any purpose (DNP project, grant, etc). No signups required: just come on the designated date based on the aspect of conducting a systematic review that is being covered that day. Workshops are hands-on, so please come prepared to work on your project (i.e. bring sample articles for appraisal, your laptop for download of and practice with meta-analysis software, etc).

Time: 10AM-4PM

Location: [Stanley Bergen Building \(Rutgers Health Sciences Campus\), Room 630](#)

Dates: Saturdays only

- **October 7: Finding the Evidence (PICO, Searching)**
- **November 11: Assessing the Evidence (Screening/Selecting Studies, Critical Appraisal/Risk of Bias Assessment)**
- **December 9: Synthesizing the Evidence (Data Extraction, Meta-Analysis, Meta-Synthesis)**

Office Hours/Consultations

The office hours are available freely to students, faculty and staff of the Rutgers School of Nursing. They are designed to facilitate one-on-one assistance with any aspect of conducting a systematic review. Appointments are required: please send an email at least 1 week ahead to schedule.

Time: 9AM-7PM

Location: [Ackerson Hall \(Rutgers University-Newark Campus\), Room 364](#)

Dates: Saturdays only

- **October 14, 21 and 28**
- **November 18 and 25**
- **December 2, 16 and 23**