

Resource Summary Report

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Bioethics Literature Database

RRID:SCR_008169

Type: Tool

Proper Citation

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Resource Information

URL: <http://www.drze.de/BELIT>

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Description: BELIT provides access to about 350.000 records from the integrated German, American and French databases. It is an extensive bibliographic directory of literature in the area of bioethics unique world wide, containing references to monographs, grey literature, legal documents, journal articles, newspaper articles and book contributions. It is an integrated online database developed by the German Reference Centre for Ethics in the Life Sciences. BELIT Search enables the retrieval of bibliographical data filtered by categories. Choose a category from the drop down lists in the top section of the main screen. Enter the query term(s) in the text field next to the search category chosen. Help texts are available by clicking on Help. Users can combine different search categories with and or or respectively as well as restrict their search by selecting further categories from the drop down lists in the lower section of the main screen. The default display of the search results is an abbreviated title list. Click on Full details to see the complete bibliographical record, including the short code of the source database in the top right hand corner of each record. Refer to the BELIT intro screen for an explanation of the short codes. Using the arrow keys users can navigate through the lists. Users may also carry out searches using the various indexes. An index is an alphabetically ordered register containing all query terms assigned to a search category. There is an index for each category.

Synonyms: BELIT

Resource Type: data or information resource, database

Keywords: ethics, article, bioethics, document, life science, literature, monograph, newspaper, book, journal

Resource Name: Bioethics Literature Database

Resource ID: SCR_008169

Alternate IDs: nif-0000-21045

Record Creation Time: 20220129T080245+0000

Record Last Update: 20260829T182959+0000

Ratings and Alerts

No rating or validation information has been found for Bioethics Literature Database.

No alerts have been found for Bioethics Literature Database.

Data and Source Information

Source: [SciCrunch Registry](#)

Usage and Citation Metrics

We found 5 mentions in open access literature.

Listed below are recent publications. The full list is available at [NIF](#) .

Leineweber M, et al. (2026) Ethical aspects of the use of social robots in caring for older people - a systematic qualitative review. *Medicine, health care, and philosophy*, 29(1), 209.

Schulz S, et al. (2023) Patient-centered empirical research on ethically relevant psychosocial and cultural aspects of cochlear, glaucoma and cardiovascular implants - a scoping review. *BMC medical ethics*, 24(1), 68.

Martin A, et al. (2016) A four-part working bibliography of neuroethics: part 3 - "second tradition neuroethics" - ethical issues in neuroscience. *Philosophy, ethics, and humanities in medicine : PEHM*, 11(1), 7.

Darragh M, et al. (2015) A four-part working bibliography of neuroethics: part 2-- Neuroscientific studies of morality and ethics. *Philosophy, ethics, and humanities in medicine : PEHM*, 10, 2.

Baussano I, et al. (2008) Does language matter? A case study of epidemiological and public health journals, databases and professional education in French, German and Italian. *Emerging themes in epidemiology*, 5, 16.