

JOURNAL NEWS

Coronary Health Care commenced publication in February. It is published by Churchill Livingstone. Library subscription is £135 per annum.

The journal is aimed at nurses in cardiovascular medicine and cardiac rehabilitation staff. The first issue included research papers on support of patients between angiography and bypass surgery, assessing the quality of patient education leaflets, and a review on the effectiveness of cardiac rehabilitation. At the end of the journal, there is a section with discussion of case studies and news of research from other journals.

This is a top quality journal and should be considered by any library supporting work in this area.

Health: an Interdisciplinary Journal for the Social Study of Health, Illness and Medicine

It is published half yearly by Sage, and commenced publication in July. Library subscription is £50 per annum. Papers in the first issue looked at relations between health care professionals and clients. Some papers seemed long and philosophical.

Managing Clinical Nursing is published quarterly by Churchill Livingstone and was launched in March. Library subscription is £65 per annum.

It aims to support nurses in clinical management positions and offers practical advice.

The articles in the first issue included advice and accounts of personal experience rather than research.