

Guidelines for Electronic Resource Use at the Taipei Medical University and Affiliated Hospital Libraries

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- Article 1 The Taipei Medical University has specifically enacted the Guidelines for Electronic Resource Use (hereinafter “the guidelines”) to ensure the effective management of the university’s electronic resources and provide reasonable services.
- Article 2 The guidelines apply to electronic databases, electronic journals, e-books, and other relevant electronic media purchased by the university.
- Article 3 The electronic resources can be used by employees of the university and affiliated hospitals within the legally authorized IP range.
- Article 4 Authorized accounts and passwords for off-campus users to access electronic resources should be subjected to legal use and safekeeping.
- Article 5 The use of electronic resources is limited to personal academic or teaching purposes and should not be used for commercial benefit.
- Article 6 The use of electronic resources shall comply with the Copyright Act and relevant electronic resource use regulations. Furthermore, the following behaviors are prohibited:
1. Illegally downloading, copying, and publicly uploading works protected by the Copyright Act.
 2. Illegally leaking or lending accounts to others or hacking other users’ accounts.
 3. Establishing illegal websites for the public to download protected works.
 4. Performing other actions that involve the infringement of intellectual property rights.
- Article 7 Offenders shall be held accountable for relevant legal liabilities and be dealt with in accordance with the Taipei Medical University Measures for Handling Reader Violations of Library Regulations.
- Article 8 The guidelines are implemented following their approval in a library committee meeting, and the same shall apply to any amendments.