



# BIBLIO NEWS

Your resource for consumer health and patient education information

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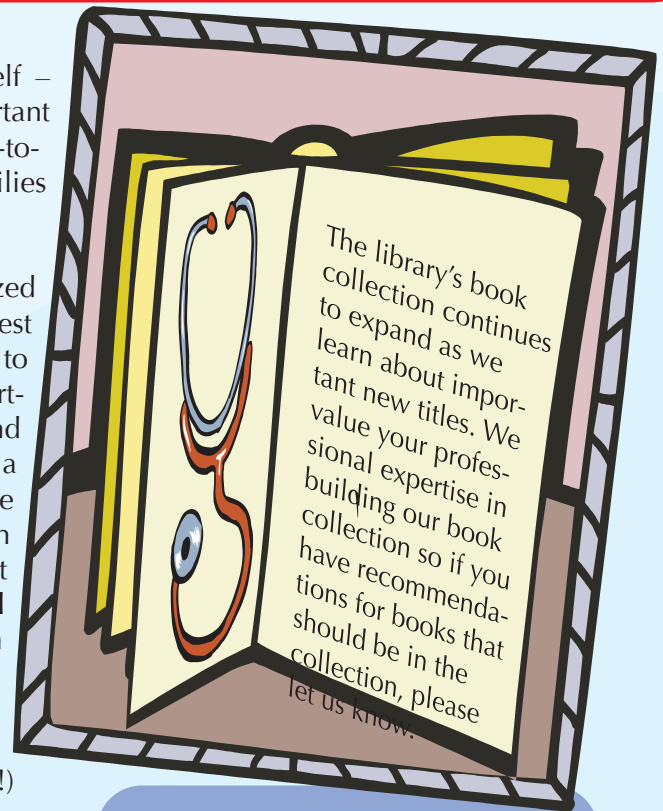
**W**elcome to the second issue of the MCH Family Resource Library's *BiblioNews*. It has already been two months since we launched *BiblioNews* and your response has been great. **Many of you have contacted me to find out more about our resources and to book orientation tours of the Library.**

*BiblioNews* is for all health professionals at the Children's and its aim is to better acquaint you with the vast number of resources and materials available within steps of your clinics and offices. I welcome your input on content and format for future issues of *BiblioNews*, and I'd be happy to hear your suggestions of topics that you'd like to see covered in the newsletter. We hope that *BiblioNews* – and the

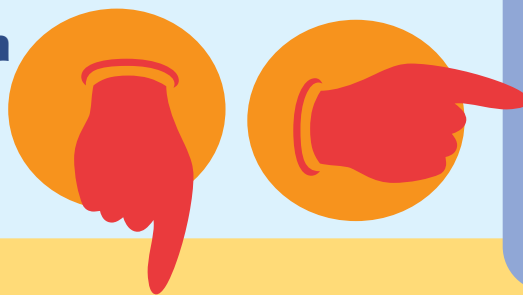
Family Resource Library itself – will soon become important resources for you in your day-to-day interaction with families here at the Children's.

If you feel that a personalized "in-service" session would best help your team, I'd be happy to organize one. Many departments and services have found it useful to visit the Library as a group, and learn about the particular resources that can best suit their specific patient populations. **Please call 514-412-4400 ext. 22383 in order to book an information session.** Lunch hour sessions are proving very popular (refreshments served!)

*Lynn Kiraly-Batist*  
Librarian



## What else can the library do for you?



### Here are just some of the ways to use the Family Resource Library:

- refer patients and families for pediatric health information
- get help with your professional patient education queries
- learn about the latest print and online resources

#### Periodical collection

The library subscribes to several health-related periodicals which are written for the lay reader. These include *Exceptional Family*, *Zero to Three*, *Abilities*, *Exceptional Parent* and *Québec Enfants*. We can provide photocopies of any articles related to you or your families' interests.

#### Health information pamphlets

The library has a large collection of pamphlets on display for parents to use as reference points for contacting local organizations, self-help, and support groups. Our aim is to provide families with practical/useful contact information within Montreal and Quebec communities.

#### Health-related books for the young reader

The library houses a large collection of books written specifically for children and teens. These materials address various medical conditions from a child's perspective and aim to explain medical terminology and procedures in simple and non-threatening ways. These are excellent teaching resources for both hospital staff and families.