

HERDIN: A Gateway to Philippine and International Health Research Information

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Using HERDIN

- CD ROM format and On line format
- Source of local demographics/researches
- 7 out of 10 neurologists have not heard/used HERDIN
- 2 of the 3 users have access thru CD ROM; one has accessed HERDIN thru the University's Medical Library
- 1990s Medline feel

Using HERDIN

- Search difficulties
 - For names, specific topics
- Review articles and editorials
- PDF access to articles
- Linkages

Suggestions

- Information regarding the availability of HERDIN as a local database resource
 - Residency Training programs
 - Non researcher medical practitioners
- Linkage to related articles within HERDIN; classification as to research topic and methodologies
- Linkage to journal websites, institution websites or authors' email address for correspondence
- Access to bibliography and linkage to cited articles
- Linkage with more popular database like PubMed

Thank you