

Protocols on Library & Information Services during COVID-19

As a result of the developing pandemic of the COVID-19 disease it is important to communicate the following procedures to students (especially our postgraduate students) and staff in relation to the use and services of NWU Libraries.

1. Libraries on all three of our campuses are closed during the lock-down period.
2. Our Virtual / Online library will be available for as long as the university website is up and running.
3. Our Front-line staff comprising mostly Faculty Librarians will be providing online support to their respective faculties during working hours. They are reachable through their emails or office phones, which have been redirected to their cell phones.
4. In sympathy with Coronavirus epidemic effects, some of our suppliers of Information Resources such as EBSCO, have removed access limits on some e-Journals and eBooks until end of June 2020.
5. We encourage faculty members to work with their librarians to identify online resources relevant for their modules.
6. We are convinced that we have adequate online resources to support the offering of online programmes and the continuation of the academic project.
7. Our user WhatsApp contact number is: 066 028 7119.
8. The virtual library is available at: <http://library.nwu.ac.za>
9. Find here a list of contact details for our Faculty Librarians:

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