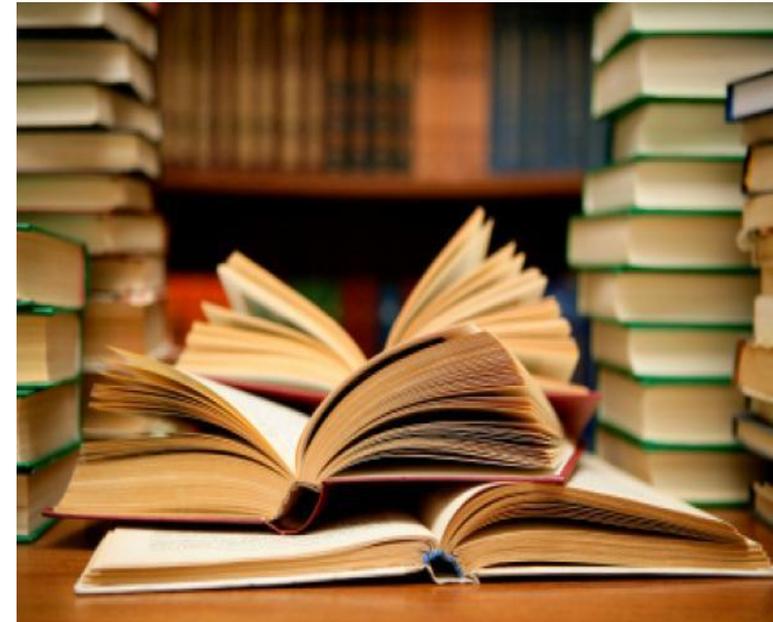


Types of Literature Reviews

- Argumentative Review
- Integrative Review
- Historical Review
- Methodological Review
- Systematic Review
- Theoretical Review

Literature review should:

- compare and contrast different authors' views
- criticize some aspects
- highlight gaps if they are
- show how your review relates to previous studies
- conclude by summarising what the literature says



Ask yourself these questions:

- What is the **specific problem** that my literature review helps to define?
- What is the **type** of my literature review? (e.g., journals, books, government documents, popular media)?
- What discipline am I working in (e.g., nursing psychology, sociology, medicine)?
- Have I found all the relevant material? Is the number of sources appropriate?
- Have I **critically analyzed** the literature I use?
- Will the reader find my literature review **relevant, appropriate, and useful**?



How to write a literature review

- **Step 1: Decide on a topic**

- **Step 2: Identify the literature that you will review**

- **Step 3: Analyze the literature:**

- A. Overview the articles/ books/sites

- B. Group the articles/ books/ sites into categories

- C. Take notes

- **Step 5: Summarize the literature in table* (Reading Record)**

- **Step 6: Write the review***

***NECESSARY**

Helpful links/ Task 2

- <https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pmc/articles/PMC3715443/>
- Reading Record of 5 sources for the period of presentation preparation. Analysis, recommendations, usefulness, etc.