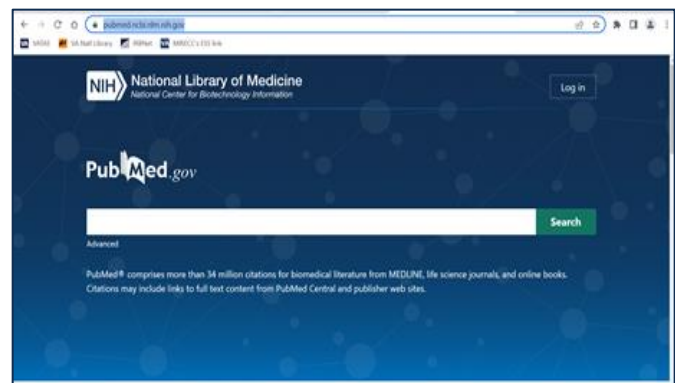
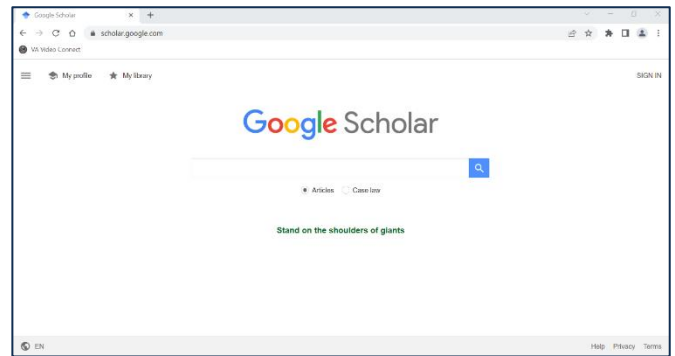


VJP Specialists and other staff may find it useful to be able to read, share, and refer to published research and other sources related to the stigmatization of justice-involved Veterans and policies, tools, and strategies to address it. This Resource offers (1) Tips on quickly locating the most recent published literature on these topics, and (2) ten suggested reference articles.

1. Quick Tips for Finding Journal Articles

- Google Scholar is one easy way to look up journal articles. Type “scholar.google.com” into your internet browser to pull up the search engine (see image below).
- PubMed from the National Library of Medicine is another, focused more on health: “pubmed.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov” (see image below).
- At either, type in the key words you are looking for to get a list of articles. Click on each entry to read the abstract; for some you can access full text.
- Consider using “boolean operators” to refine what your search will return; see details below.
- To access advanced search options, such as specifying date range, click on the stack of three lines ☰ in the upper left of the Google Scholar search screen, or the word “Advanced” under the search line on the PubMed search screen.



Boolean Operators

- These are words or symbols used to combine or exclude keywords in a search. Below are a few common and helpful boolean operators.

Boolean Operators	Example
AND (limits results to both)	Veterans AND Justice Involvement (search will return only results containing <i>both</i> veterans and justice involvement)
OR (one term OR another)	Veterans OR Justice (search will return results that contain anything veteran related <i>or</i> justice related)
“ ” (exact phrase)	“Justice Involved Veterans” (search will return only results containing this <i>exact</i> phrase)



Ten Helpful Articles on Justice-Involved Veterans

Below are 10 key articles from the past 10 years that the MIRECC team thought VJP Specialists might find useful

Authors	Year	Title
Desai, Holliday, Borges, Blue-Howells, Clark, Stimmel, & Wortzel	2021	Facilitating Successful Reentry Among Justice Involved Vets: The Role of Veteran and Offender Identity Full Text Here
Coté, Heintzman, Glancy, Dufour, Hardy, & Ward	2020	Veterans Behind Bars: Examining Criminogenic Risk Factors of Veteran Incarceration Full Text Here
Tomar, Brinkley-Rubinstein, Ghezzi, Van Deirse, Burgin, & Cuddeback,	2020	Internalized Stigma and its Correlates Among Justice-Involved Individuals with Mental Illness Full Text Here
Finlay, Owens, Taylor, Nash, Capdarest-Arest, Rosenthal, Blue-Howells, Clark, & Timko	2019	A Scoping Review of Military Veterans Involved in the Criminal Justice System and their Health and Healthcare Full Text Here
Moore & Tangney	2017	Managing the Concealable Stigma of Criminal Justice System Involvement: A Longitudinal Examination of Anticipated Stigma, Social Withdrawal, and Post-Release Adjustment Full Text Here
Tyler & Brockmann	2017	Returning Home: Incarceration, Reentry, Stigma and the Perpetuation of Racial and Socioeconomic Health Inequity Full Text Here
Finlay, Brinswanger, Smelson, Sawh, McGuire, Rosenthal, Blue-Howells, Timko, Blodgett, Harris, Asch, & Frayne	2015	Sex Differences in Mental Health and Substance Use Disorders and Treatment Entry Among Justice-involved Veterans in the Veterans Health Administration Full Text Here
Johnson, Graham, Sikes, Nelson, & Stolar	2015	An Analysis of Sanctions and Respective Psychiatric Diagnoses in Veteran's Court Full Text Here
Finlay, Smelson, Sawh, McGuire, Rosenthal, Blue-Howells, Timko, Brinswanger, Frayne, Blodgett, Bowe, Clark, & Harris	2014	U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs Veterans Justice Outreach Program: Connecting Justice-Involved Veterans with Mental Health and Substance Use Disorder Treatment Full Text Here
Glynn, Kendra, Timko, Finlay, Blodgett, Maisel, Midboe, McGuire, & Blonigen	2014	Facilitating Treatment Access and Engagement for Justice-Involved Veterans with Substance Use Disorders Full Text Here