

## FAMILY STUDIES PATHFINDER

*The purpose of this pathfinder is to provide you with a means to begin your search for information in **Family Studies**, under Sociology. It offers you an introduction to both print and electronic resources that can be found in the library. For assistance in locating materials or searching databases for journal articles, please see the library staff at the desk. Remember, we're here to help!*

**Family Studies Resources** by Subject – [www.lib.uwo.ca](http://www.lib.uwo.ca)

Follow these links: Browse by Program → Social Science → [Family Studies](#)

Below are some possible subject headings to use in your *subject* or *keyword* search. This is by no means a complete list of search subjects, but we hope it will help.

- Aging and the family
- Brothers and sisters
- Children
- Communication in the family
- Courtship
- Divorce
- Domestic relations
- Dual career families
- Family
- Family and politics
- Family and state
- Family and work
- Family history
- Family in Canada
- Family life
- Family matters
- Family policy
- Family research
- Family size
- Family social aspects
- Family structure
- Family studies
- Family unit
- Family violence
- Gay couples
- Grandparents
- Kinship
- Marriage
- Marriage case studies
- Married people
- Married women
- Matriarchy
- Older people – family
- Parent and child
- Parents
- Patriarchy
- Problem families
- Same-sex marriage
- Sex roles
- Single parent families
- Sociology authorship
- Sociology research
- Spouses
- Stepfamilies
- Work and family

## Sites on the Internet

*Always check with your professor before using online resources!*

Canadian Policy Research Networks	<a href="http://www.cprn.com/">http://www.cprn.com/</a>
Canadian Psychological Association	<a href="http://www.cpa.ca/">http://www.cpa.ca/</a>
Canadian Home Economics Foundation	<a href="http://www.homeeconomicsfoundation.ca/">http://www.homeeconomicsfoundation.ca/</a>
Canadian Education Association	<a href="http://www.cea-ace.ca/">http://www.cea-ace.ca/</a>
Canadian Association of Social Work	<a href="http://www.casw-acts.ca/">http://www.casw-acts.ca/</a>
Canadian Council on Social Development	<a href="http://www.ccsd.ca/">http://www.ccsd.ca/</a>
Child and Family Canada	<a href="http://www.cfc-efc.ca">http://www.cfc-efc.ca</a>
Childcare Research and Resource Unit	<a href="http://www.childcarecanada.org/">http://www.childcarecanada.org/</a>
National Clearinghouse on Family Violence	<a href="http://www.hc-sc.gc.ca/hppb/familyviolence/">http://www.hc-sc.gc.ca/hppb/familyviolence/</a>
National Council on Family Relations	<a href="http://www.ncfr.org/">http://www.ncfr.org/</a>
Registry of Marriage and Family Therapy in Canada	<a href="http://www.marriageandfamily.ca/">http://www.marriageandfamily.ca/</a>
Sociology in Canada	<a href="http://sociology.ca/">http://sociology.ca/</a>
Vanier Institute of the Family	<a href="http://www.vifamily.ca">http://www.vifamily.ca</a>

**Dictionaries, Glossaries and Handbooks @ Brescia**

*Please see our online reference shelf for general reference materials:*

[www.brescia.uwo.ca/academics/library/online\\_reference\\_shelf/index.html](http://www.brescia.uwo.ca/academics/library/online_reference_shelf/index.html)

H41.G12 A Dictionary of the Social Sciences	HM17.T38 A Modern Dictionary of Sociology
HQ728.S96 1999 Handbook of Marriage and the Family	HM585.J68 2001 The Sociology Student Writer's Manual
HQ809.3.U5V25 Handbook of Family Violence	HQ536.H23 2004 Handbook of Contemporary Families
HQ515.H23 2005 Handbook of World Families	HQ759.M73 2006 Mommy Mystique (Video Recording)
HQ767.9.H23 2003 Handbook of Applied Developmental Science	HQ1075.C43 Handbook of the Sociology of Gender
HM17.M68 A Dictionary of Sociology	HQ1115.E56 2001 Family Law and Politics

**Journals and Periodicals @ Brescia**

Many of the journals listed here are also available online. You may also consult the library's list of serials for a complete list of our serials holdings. Some may have ceased publication, and may be found in storage. Please see library staff at the circulation desk.

- American Sociological Review
- Canadian Journal of Sociology
- Canadian Journal on Aging
- Canadian Review of Sociology and Anthropology
- Canadian Social Trends
- Canadian Woman Studies
- Family and Consumer Sciences Research Journal
- Family Relations
- Gender and Society
- International Journal of Family and Marriage
- International Journal of Sociology of the Family
- Journal of the Association for Research on Mothering
- Journal of Comparative Family Studies
- Journal of Family and Consumer Sciences
- Journal of Family and Economic Issues
- Journal of Family History
- Journal of Marriage and the Family
- Marriage and Family Living
- Psychology of Women Quarterly
- Social Forces
- Transaction
- Transition

**Style Guides and Writing Aids**

*Please see our online citation guides for further assistance with referencing.*

BF76.7.S94 2002 Writing with Style: APA Style Made Easy	HM427.A51 1997 ASA Style Guide
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## Databases, Indexes and Bibliographies

Use these to search for journal articles, at [www.lib.uwo.ca](http://www.lib.uwo.ca): click "Databases by Title"

- AgeLine (1966 - current)
- Family & Society Studies Worldwide (1970-present)
- Gender Watch
- International Bibliography of the Social Sciences
- JSTOR (Journal Storage)
- Sage Family Studies Abstracts
- Sage Full Text Collection Sociology
- Social Sciences Abstracts
- Social Sciences Citation Index
- SocIndex
- Sociological Abstracts

## Encyclopedias @ Brescia Reference

H41.I61  
International Encyclopedia of the Social Sciences

HM17.E56  
The Encyclopedia of Sociology

HM756.E56 2003  
Encyclopedia of Community

H41.I61 2001  
International Encyclopedia of the Social & Behavioral Sciences

HQ9.I61 2003  
International Encyclopedia of Marriage and Family

HQ16.E52 2007  
Encyclopedia of Sex and Gender

HQ755.8.E5  
Encyclopedia of Parenting Theory and Research

HQ767.84.E56 2008  
Encyclopedia of Infant and Early Childhood Development

HQ1115.E56 2001  
Encyclopedia of Women and Gender

RA564.8.E56 2007  
Encyclopedia of Health and Aging