



## GMR Health Sciences Librarians Focus Group Reporting

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### GMR Funding Awards

GMR received more applications this quarter than last year: 4 Professional Development, 13 for health information outreach, and 1 Research Data.

### Have your Library Become a Sponsored Site for MLA Webinars

GMR will pay to sponsor MLA webinars (up to 10 libraries) each quarter. Upcoming MLA webinars available for sponsorship include:

April: Developing & Managing a Systematic Review Source (3 sponsorships available)

May: No offering/MLA Conference

June: Plan to Succeed: The Basics of Library Project Management

July: Aligning the Three Pillars of Effective Instruction: Outcomes, Teaching, and Assessment for Health Science Librarians

*Note:* If your library has unused codes for MLA webinars, please consider sharing those codes with other OHSLA librarian members or institutions. Please contact Marilia for assistance.

### **Partner Outreach Libraries Program – Consider becoming an outreach librarian!**

This program requires traveling throughout the state and conducting outreach on behalf of GMR (e.g., teach PubMed to high schoolers), regarded as contractors with GMR. To qualify, outreach must be (1) part of your work responsibilities and (2) work with the general public. **It is not necessary for your library to be a Resource Library.** Currently, Ohio has 2 librarians: Judith Wiener (Ohio State) and Sharon Purtee (Univ of Cincinnati)

### **GMR at 2018 Midwest Chapter & Other Highlights**

- Two newly developed CE courses will be offered at 2018 Midwest Chapter: [Precision Medicine and Open Science](#), each course will offer 4 MLA contact hours
- GMR is attending the [Targeting Autism Forum](#) in Illinois, participating in symposium at MLA 2018, PLA and NNLM: Working Together to Promote Healthy Communities (free), and hosting the [NNLM Quarterly Journal Club](#)

### **Upcoming Education Opportunities**

- [Grab and Go: Expanding and Strengthening Senior Programming](#)
- [Evaluation Basics Series – Planning Outcomes Based Programs \(online class, 4/30th\)](#)
- [EMPOWER: A Community-Based Approach to Improve Care for Women with Newborns Affected by Perinatal Substance Use Disorder](#) (check out other related courses!)