This brief tutorial will give you five ideas to locate the Full Text of an article if it is not showing in the CINAHL database. Here are the five ways: First you can use the find it button, then we’re going to see if the article is in another database, the third way is to see if the library owns it in hard copy where you would have to come in and photo copy it, the fourth way is to Google it you might get lucky, and if all else fails you can fill out an inner library loan where we will get if for you. So first thing I did was I searched in the CINAHL database under Kidney-Failure and Treatment and the first one to come up was Treatment Options for patients with kidney failure. This is in the American Journal of Nursing. As I look down here there is no link to the full text. So we do subscribe to this title in hard copy but I’m at home and I want to see if it’s available in another database. So I’m going to select this find it button, it’s going to search other databases that the library subscribes to to see if the article is available in another database. So I don’t have to enter the terms again, the find it button found it for me, this is the American Journal of Nursing, Treatment Options for Patients with Kidney Failure and here is the entire article that was not available in the CINAHL database. So that’s the first option using the Find It button. Okay the second one uh I’m going to use Diabetes Mellitus in the Subject Heading, Non-insulin dependent and diabetes in African Americans and when I search I get several results. I’m going to scroll down to diabetes in African Americans and this is in Geriatric Nursing. Again you can see there is no link to the Full Text, the database is called CINAHL with Full Text but the full text is not there. We subscribe to this in hard copy but I’m going to see if I can get in database so I’m going to select the FIND IT button again and this time it’s going to say this Diabetes in African Americans is not available online. So for this one I’m going to have to come into the library, find the hard copy, and photocopy it. Okay the third one, is I selected radiotherapy in the Subject Heading and Evidence Based and the first one that comes up is Putting Evidence into Practice and this is from the Clinical Journal of Oncology Nursing and as you can see there is no link to the Full Text. If I click the find it button, it’s not going to find it. However, sometimes you get lucky in the Full Text is available in Google. So I’m just going to go up here and I’m going to put the title of the journal in quotes, followed by the title of the article “Putting Evidence into Practice” in quotes and I’m just going to search for it in Google and the first one that comes up, it looks like the one I need so I’m going to select it and here is the entire article from the Clinical Journal of Oncology Nursing and it was available for free in Google. So I just want to review for you the four ways that we have shown already. The FIND IT button, which will lead you to another database, if it’s available in hard copy in the library, we can Google it or the third way is the Inner Library Loan. So under the Libguides for Nursing, if you select Find Articles (Databases), you will see all four ways are here. This is the list of journals we get in hard copy, scroll down a little bit, this is where you can enter the title of the Journal and it will tell you if it’s in another database. Here is the Google search box, you can enter the title of the journal and the title of the article or you can put it up here in the top Google thing and the last one is to request an Inner Library Loan, this takes you to a form that you complete and we find the article for you. So again to review, here are the ways you can look for the Full Text of the Article if it’s not available.