

CCML's history

Founded in 1957, the Colorado Council of Medical Librarians is a forum for cooperation among medical librarians. Since its establishment by 14 metropolitan Denver librarians, CCML has grown to more than 100 members from 40 institutions statewide.

What is CCML about?

The Colorado Council of Medical Librarians is an association of individuals involved in health sciences information management.

Through networking, education, and collaboration, CCML provides members with opportunities for professional growth and increases public awareness of, and support for, the profession. CCML also monitors developments in health care and information science, assessing their impact on the profession and its future.



Why should I join CCML?

- If you're a student, CCML will be a great introduction to medical librarianship and medical librarians.
- If you're a new librarian or an institution's sole librarian, your CCML colleagues will be your support network, answering questions and working with you to find the information you need.
- If you're a CCML member of any stripe, you'll enjoy CCML's opportunities for education, service, and collegiality.

Who belongs to CCML?

CCML members include librarians, library students, and others interested in health services information management. Most work in the following areas:

Academic libraries
Consulting firms
Corporations
Government libraries
Hospital libraries
Professional associations
Public libraries
Publishers/distributors

How can I take advantage of my CCML membership?

- Come to CCML's four annual membership meetings.
- Participate in continuing education courses and workshops.
- Share experiences, ideas, and suggestions with CCML members and others interested in medical librarianship.
- Advocate for medical libraries and librarians and serve on CCML committees.

Meetings

Meetings include a program on a health care topic, networking opportunities, and a discussion of council business. Past topics include evidence-based medicine, medical information systems, and trends in health care marketing.

Professional development

CCML offers continuing education courses, workshops, and webinars throughout the year, often in cooperation with other library associations. Recent topics include e-books, electronic health records, and library advocacy.

Networking

CCML provides frequent opportunities for meeting and working with other librarians.

Volunteer opportunities

Council members increase awareness of, and support for, medical librarianship and serve on CCML committees in areas such as education, library cooperation, and membership.

Communication Collaboration Cooperation

Membership benefits

- Professional development and networking opportunities.
- FREE library classes and other benefits at the University of Colorado Denver Health Sciences Library.
- CCML website resources, available at: <http://www.ccmlnet.org/>
- CCMLNET, the CCML discussion list.
- Committee opportunities.
- Council Quotes blog, available at: <http://councilquotes.wordpress.com/>

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Join CCML Today!

Make check payable to CCML:

___ Regular \$35.00

___ Student \$25.00

Name: _____

Organization: _____

Street: _____

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Telephone: _____

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My home address and phone number may be published in the electronic CCML membership directory:

YES NO

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