

CURRENT EVENTS & CONTROVERSIAL ISSUES SUBJECT TERMS

When searching the electronic databases for articles, it is useful to know what subject terms are used. Topics are listed below with some subject terms that are used in the databases *Opposing Viewpoints* and *Academic Search Premier*. Ask a Librarian to help you with headings for topics not listed. When searching the databases, use the **Advanced Search** option and change the index by which you search to **Subject**. When a term listed below includes the operator **AND**, type each subject term on a separate line (separated by the operator **AND**). You may limit your search to date published for more current articles on a topic. If you need to narrow your results when searching *Academic Search Premier*, click a subject term in the yellow box to the left of your results.

OPPOSING VIEWPOINTS

Topic: Abortion

Abortion
Abortion Laws Regulations and Rules
Teenage Abortion

Therapeutic Abortion
Pro-Choice
Pro-Life

Topic: Adoption

Adoption
Adopted Children
Adoptive Parents
Interracial Adoption
Intercountry Adoption
Gay Adoption
Gay Parents

Topic: Alcoholism

Alcoholism
Alcoholism Treatment
Alcoholism Prevention
Juvenile Drinking
Alcohol **AND**
College Students
Employee Alcoholism
Women **AND**
Alcohol
Children of Alcoholics
Adult Children of Alcoholics

ACADEMIC SEARCH PREMIER

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Abortion
Abortion Law and Legislation
Abortion **AND**
Teenagers
Abortion, Therapeutic
Pro-Choice
Pro-Life

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Intercountry Adoption
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Gay Parents

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Alcoholism Prevention
Youth Alcohol Use
Alcohol **AND**
College Students
Alcoholism & Employment
Women Alcoholics

Children of Alcoholics
Adult Children of Alcoholics

OPPOSING VIEWPOINTS

Topic: Alternative Energy

Renewable Energy
Solar Energy
Wind Power
Hydroelectric Power

Topic: Anabolic Steroids

Anabolic Steroids

Topic: Animal Experimentation & Rights

Animal Experimentation
Animal Rights
Animal Welfare

Topic: Biological Warfare & Weapons

Biological Warfare
Biological Weapons
Bioterrorism

Topic: Biomedical Ethics

Bioethics
Medical Ethics

Topic: Capital Punishment

Capital Punishment
Death Row

Topic: Child Abuse

Child Abuse
Battered Child Syndrome
Child Sexual Abuse
Shaken Baby Syndrome
Abused Children
Psychologically Abused Children
Psychological Child Abuse

Topic: Child Labor

Child Labor
Sweatshops

Topic: Cloning

(see also Genetic Engineering/Stem Cells)

Cloning
Human Cloning
Human Reproductive Technology

Topic: Creationism & Evolution

Creationism
Intelligent Design
Evolution
Human Evolution
Natural Selection

ACADEMIC SEARCH PREMIER

Topic: Alternative Energy

Renewable Energy Sources
Solar Energy
Wind Power
Water Power

Topic: Anabolic Steroids

Anabolic Steroids
Anabolic Steroids in Sports
Doping in Sports

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Animal Experimentation
Animal Rights
Animal Welfare

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OPPOSING VIEWPOINTS

Topic: Culture Wars

Cultural Conflict
Social Conflict
Political Culture
Generation Gap

Death Penalty (See Capital Punishment)

Topic: Discrimination

Discrimination
Age Discrimination
Homophobia
Employment Discrimination
Race Discrimination
Sex Discrimination
Sex Discrimination Against Women
Sex Discrimination Against Men
Reverse Discrimination
Housing Discrimination
Handicapped Discrimination
Overweight Persons Discrimination
Sports Discrimination

Topic: Domestic (Family) Violence

Domestic Violence
Abused Parents
Abusive Parents
Battered Person Syndrome
Abused Men
Abused Husbands
Conjugal Violence

Abused Women
Abusive Men
Abusive Women

Battered Child Syndrome
Child Abuse
Abused Elderly
Elder Abuse
Marital Rape

Victims **AND**
Domestic Violence

Topic: Eating Disorders

Eating Disorders
Anorexia Nervosa
Bulimia
Binge Eating Disorder

Childhood Eating Disorders
Hyperphagia
Body Image

ACADEMIC SEARCH PREMIER

Topic: Culture Wars

Culture Conflict
Social Conflict
Political Culture
Conflict of Generations

Topic: Discrimination

Discrimination
Age Discrimination
Homophobia
Discrimination in Employment
Race Discrimination
Sex Discrimination
Sex Discrimination Against Women
Sex Discrimination Against Men
Reverse Discrimination
Discrimination in Housing
Discrimination Against People With Disabilities
Discrimination Against Overweight Persons
Discrimination in Sports

Topic: Domestic (Family) Violence

Family Violence
Abused Parents
Abusive Parents
Battered Woman Syndrome
Abused Men
Abused Husbands
Husband Abuse
Wife Abuse
Abused Wives
Abused Women
Abusive Men
Abusive Women
Spousal Abuse
Battered Child Syndrome
Child Abuse
Abused Elderly
Older People Abuse of
Rape in Marriage
Marital Violence
Victims of Family Violence
Sibling Abuse

Topic: Eating Disorders

Eating Disorders
Anorexia Nervosa
Bulimia

Compulsive Eating

Hyperphagia
Body Image

OPPOSING VIEWPOINTS

Topic: Euthanasia and Assisted Suicide

Euthanasia
Assisted Suicide
Right to Die

Topic: Environmentalism & Conservation

Environmentalism
Environmental Protection
Green Products
Green Technology
Recycling

Sustainable Development
Natural Resource Conservation
Nature Conservation
Energy Conservation
Energy Policy

Topic: Gambling

Gambling
Compulsive Gambling
Illegal Gambling
Online Gambling

Topic: Gang Violence

Gangs
Gang Violence

Gangs **AND**
Girls

Topic: Genetic Engineering (see also Cloning/Stem Cells)

Genetic Engineering
Human Genetic Engineering

Animal Genetic Engineering
Plant Genetic Engineering
Genetically Engineered Foods

Topic: Global Warming

Global Warming
Global Temperature Changes
Greenhouse Effect
Greenhouse Gases
Environmental Change

Topic: Gun Control

Gun Control
Firearms Laws, Regulation and Rules
Gun Laws
School Shootings

ACADEMIC SEARCH PREMIER

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Euthanasia
Assisted Suicide
Right to Die

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Environmentalism
Environmental Protection
Green Products
Green Technology
Recycling
Recycled Products
Sustainable Development
Conservation of Natural Resources
Nature Conservation
Energy Conservation
Energy Policy

Topic: Gambling

Gambling
Compulsive Gambling
Illegal Gambling
Internet Gambling
Video Gambling

Topic: Gang Violence

Gangs
Gangs **AND**
Violence
Gang Prevention
Female Gangs

Topic: Genetic Engineering (see also Cloning/Stem Cells)

Genetic Engineering
Human Cloning **AND**
Genetic Engineering
Animal Genetic Engineering
Plant Genetic Engineering
Genetically Modified Foods

Topic: Global Warming

Global Warming
Global Temperature Changes
Greenhouse Effect
Greenhouse Gases
Global Environmental Change

Topic: Gun Control

Gun Control
Firearms Law & Legislation
School Shootings

OPPOSING VIEWPOINTS

Topic: Hate Crimes

Hate Crimes
Hate Groups

African Americans Crimes Against
Minorities Crimes Against
Gays **AND**
Hate Crimes
Lesbians **AND**
Hate Crimes

Topic: Health Care Reform & Insurance

Health Care Reform
Health Insurance
National Health Insurance
Managed Care Plans
Health Insurance **AND**
Employee Benefits
Medically Uninsured Persons
State Children's Health Insurance Program

Topic: Homelessness

Homelessness
Homeless Persons
Homeless Shelters
Homeless Children
Homeless Youth

Homeless Women
Women's Shelters
Homesless **AND**
Mentally Ill

Topic: Homosexuality & Transgenderism

Homosexuality
Bisexuality
Lesbianism
Male Homosexuality
Gender Identity
Sexual Orientation

Transsexuals

Sex Change

Topic: Human Rights

Human Rights
Human Rights Activists
Human Rights Campaign

Children's Rights
Civil Rights
Women's Rights

ACADEMIC SEARCH PREMIER

Topic: Hate Crimes

Hate Crimes
Hate Groups
Victims of Hate Crimes
African Americans Crimes Against
Minorities Crimes Against
Violence Against GLBT People
Violence Against Gay Men
Violence Against Lesbians

Topic: Health Care Reform & Insurance

Health Care Reform
Insurance, Health
National Health Insurance
Managed Care Plans
Employer Sponsored Health Insurance

Medically Uninsured Persons
State Children's Health Insurance Program

Topic: Homelessness

Homelessness
Homeless Persons
Shelters for the Homeless
Homeless Children
Homeless Youth
Homeless Teenagers
Homeless Families
Homeless Women
Women's Shelters
Mentally Ill Homeless Persons

Topic: Homosexuality & Transgenderism

Homosexuality
Bisexuality
Lesbianism
Male Homosexuality
Gender Identity
Transgenderism
Sexual Orientation
Transgender People
Transsexuals
Transsexualism
Sex Change

Topic: Human Rights

Human Rights
Human Rights Workers
Human Rights Movement
Human Rights Advocacy
Human Rights Violations
Children's Rights
Civil Rights
Women's Rights

OPPOSING VIEWPOINTS

Topic: Illegal Immigrants

Illegal Aliens
Illegal Immigrants
Illegal Immigrant Children

Border Patrols
Border Security
Alien Labor
Immigration Law
Emigration and Immigration Laws Regulations and Rules

Topic: Juvenile Delinquency

Juvenile Delinquency
Juvenile Delinquency Prevention
Juvenile Delinquency Services
Juvenile Offenders Services
Juvenile Offenders

Juvenile Offenders Rehabilitation

Administration of Juvenile Justice
School Violence
School Vandalism

Topic: Media Violence

Media Violence
Television Violence
Movie Violence

Topic: Political Corruption

Political Corruption
Misconduct in Office
Political Ethics

Topic: Poverty

Poverty
Poverty Psychological Aspects
Legal Assistance to the Poor
Poor Women
Poverty Social Policy
Poverty Social Aspects

Poverty Political Aspects

Topic: Right of Privacy

Right of Privacy
Right of Privacy Laws, Regulations and Rules
Right of Privacy Political Aspects
Right of Privacy Ethical Aspects

ACADEMIC SEARCH PREMIER

Topic: Illegal Immigrants

Illegal Aliens

Immigrant Children **AND**
Illegal Aliens
Immigration Opponents
Border Patrols
Border Security
Alien Labor
Emigration & Immigration Law

Topic: Juvenile Delinquency

Juvenile Delinquency
Juvenile Delinquency Prevention
Juvenile Delinquents Services For

Male Juvenile Delinquents
Delinquent Girls
Juvenile Delinquents Rehabilitation
Victims of Juvenile Crime
Juvenile Justice, Administration of
School Violence
School Vandalism

Topic: Media Violence

Violence in Mass Media
Violence on Television

Topic: Political Corruption

Political Corruption
Misconduct in Office
Political Ethics
Politicians **AND**
Scandals

Topic: Poverty

Poverty
Poverty Psychological Aspects
Legal Assistance to the Poor
Poor Women
Poverty **AND**
Social Policy
Poverty **AND**
Social Problems
Poverty **AND**
Government Policy

Topic: Right of Privacy

Privacy, Right of
Privacy, Right **AND**
Government Policy
Privacy, Right of **AND**
Government Policy

OPPOSING VIEWPOINTS

Topic: Same Sex Marriage

Same Sex Marriage

Same Sex Marriage Laws, Regulations and Rules
Same Sex Marriage Religious Aspects

Topic: School Violence

School Violence
School Shootings
School Vandalism
Bullying **AND**
Schools

Topic: Smoking

Smoking
Passive Smoking
Smoking Laws, Regulations and Rules

Nonsmoking Areas
Antismoking Movement
Youth Smoking
Women Smokers
Smoking Bans
Workplace Smoking
Smoking Cessation
Smoking Health Aspects

Topic: Stem Cells

Stem Cells
Embryonic Stem Cells
Stem Cells Research
Stem Cells Political Aspects
Stem Cells Ethical Aspects

Stem Cells **AND**
Gene Therapy
Stem Cells **AND**
Cloning

Topic: Substance Abuse

Substance Abuse
Alcoholism
Drug Abuse
Inhalant Abuse
Solvent Abuse
Nicotine Addiction
Tobacco Use
Passive Smoking
Prescription Drug Abuse

Topic: Suicide

Suicide
Suicidal Behavior
Suicide Prevention
Suicide **AND**
Youth

ACADEMIC SEARCH PREMIER

Topic: Same Sex Marriage

Same Sex Marriage
GLBT Marriage
Same Sex Marriage Law & Legislation
Same Sex Marriage Religious Aspects

Topic: School Violence

School Violence
School Shootings
School Vandalism
Bullying in Schools

Topic: Smoking

Smoking
Passive Smoking
Smoking Law & Legislation
Smoking Policy
Nonsmoking Areas
Antismoking Movement

Smoking Cessation
Smoking **AND**
Health

Topic: Stem Cells

Stem Cells
Embryonic Stem Cells
Stem Cells **AND**
Research
Stem Cells **AND**
Moral & Ethical Aspects
Stem Cells **AND**
Genetic Engineering
Stem Cells **AND**
Gene Therapy
Stem Cells **AND**
Cloning

Topic: Substance Abuse

Substance Abuse
Alcoholism
Drug Abuse
Inhalant Abuse
Solvent Abuse
Nicotine Addiction
Tobacco Use
Passive Smoking
Medication Abuse

Topic: Suicide

Suicide
Suicidal Behavior
Suicide Prevention
Suicide Victims
Teenagers Suicidal Behavior
Children Suicidal Behavior

OPPOSING VIEWPOINTS

Topic: Teenage Pregnancy & Sexual Behavior

Teenage Pregnancy
Teenage Mothers
African American Teenage Mothers

Teenage Sexual Behavior

Topic: Welfare Reform

Welfare Reform
Public Assistance

Welfare Reform Social Aspects

Welfare Reform Political Aspects
Welfare Reform Laws, Regulations and Rules

Public Welfare Recipients
Public Welfare Fraud
Child Welfare
Welfare Economics

Topic: Working Women

Working Women
Working Mothers

ACADEMIC SEARCH PREMIER

Topic: Teenage Pregnancy & Sexual Behavior

Teenage Pregnancy
Teenage Mothers
African American Teenage Mothers
African American Teenage Girls **AND**
Sexual Behavior
Teenagers Sexual Behavior

Topic: Welfare Reform

Public Welfare

Public Welfare Policy
Public Welfare **AND**
Social Policy
Public Welfare **AND**
Government Policy
Public Welfare Administration

Welfare Fraud
Child Welfare
Welfare Economics

Topic: Working Women

Women Employees
Working Mothers