Appendix A: Health Science Information Consortium of Toronto (HSICT)

	Levels of Library Service		
	Bronze	Silver	Gold
Research			
Literature searching			
Complex searches: systematic reviews			
Reference & citation support			
Consult on staff research strategies & grant applications (e.g. CIHR)			
Analysis of institutional or individual research impact metrics			
Embedded-Librarian support (e.g. clinical, labs, research)			
Inter-Library Collaboration			
Facilitate interlibrary loans/resource sharing			
Maximize efficiency via collaborative planning & purchasin	g		
Instruction and Teaching Support			
Custom training on bibliographic tools (e.g. RefWorks, End	note)		
Develop & teach: Finding evidence-based practice resources	5		
Develop e-learning videos			
Library orientation virtually/in-person			
Information literacy support & training			
Custom resource training (databases, point of care			
resources etc.)			
Customized Content Delivery / Push Services			
Custom alerts, trackers & current awareness tools (RSS, TO	C alerts)		
Social media presence (Twitter, Facebook, etc.)			
Locate & deliver resources not available in collection			
Review & market resources, incl. reports, websites,			
mobile apps, etc. Create health information apps			
Collection Development			
Identify, assess & negotiate contracts for new resources			
Resource analysis to ensure access to 'best possible'			
evidence			
Collaborate with consortia to maximize resource license			
discounts			
Development and maintenance of search/discovery tools			
Maintain intuitively searchable catalogue of library			
resources			
Provide a searchable interface for all library resources			
Develop & maintain library website			

Enhance resources findability (link resolvers, discovery layers, etc.)					
Develop resource guides (LibGuides) & curated web-portals					
Space/equipment management *					
Provide independent study space with Wi-Fi					
Provide group study space with Wi-Fi					
Provide computer workstations & internet access					
Ensure 24/7 access to computers					
Archives					
Maintenance & collection of hospital archives					
Consumer Health Information					
Provide consumer health information for patients & families					
Interprofessional Collaboration with Information Technology Services					
Collaborate with IT to integrate resources into EMR					
Collaborate with IT to maximize mobile device access to resources					
Manage/curate large datasets ("big data")					
In-house Expertise					
Support corporate information & knowledge management activities					
Provide institutional support re copyright policies and procedures					
Support continuing education for staff					

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