

# One-Step RSS Search and Journal Alerts

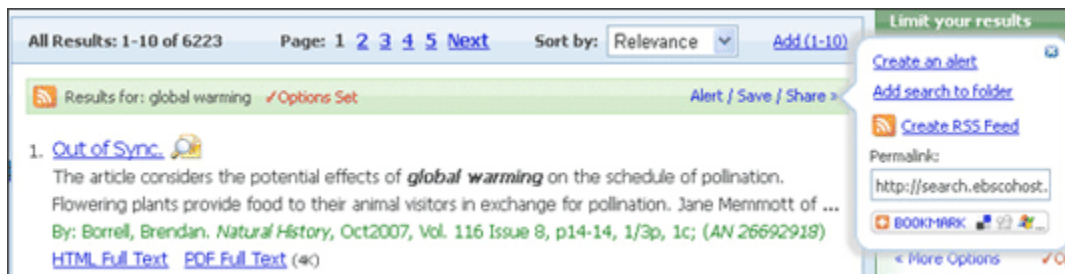
If you prefer to view your search or journal alerts via an RSS reader, one-step alerts offer a quick and easy way to obtain the alert syndication feed, which you can then copy into your RSS reader.

**Note:** Be sure to add the feed to an aggregator within one week of its creation. A one-step alert will not expire unless the aggregator does not automatically update results (extremely unlikely) supplied by the feed for two months.

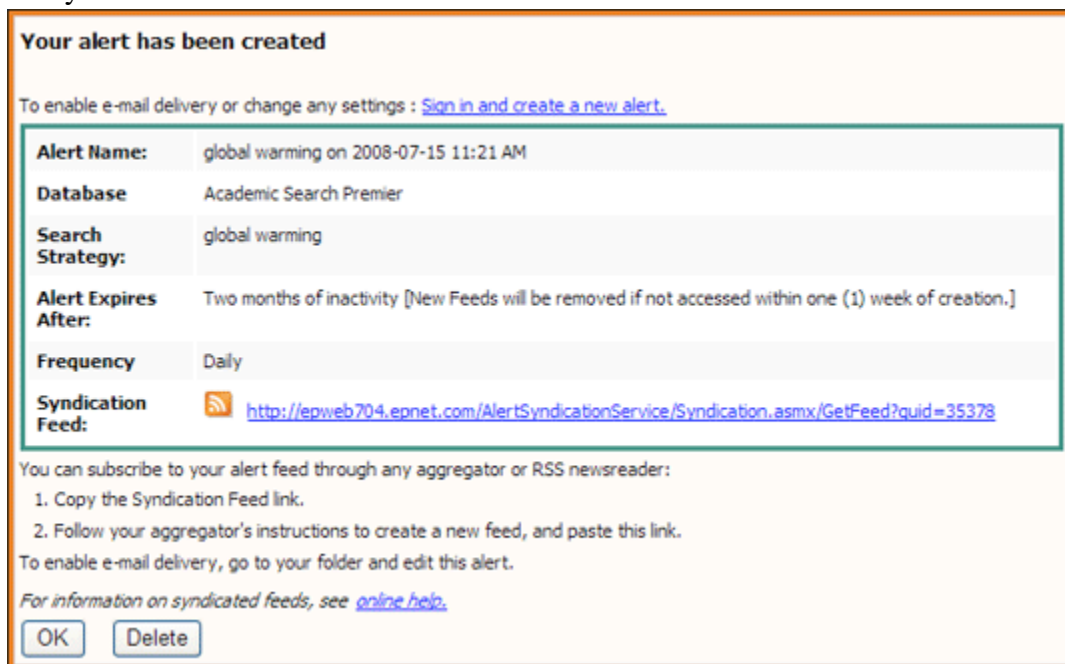
Your library administrator decides whether one-step alerting is available.

## To set up a one-step RSS search alert:

1. From the Result List or Search History Screen, click the **RSS alert icon**, or the **Create RSS Feed** link on the **Alert/Save/Share** pop-up screen.



2. A pop-up screen displays with the search alert information. Copy the **Syndication Feed URL** into your newsreader.



- If you decide that e-mail delivery of the alert information is required, click the **Sign in and create a new alert** link. Once you sign in to My EBSCOhost, the Search Alert Screen appears. You can save the alert as described in [Saving a Search as an Alert](#).

If enabled by your library administrator, you may also be able set up one-step journal alerts right from the Publications Browse Screen.

### To set up a one-step RSS journal alert:

- Click the **Publications** link at the top of the EBSCOhost screen. Once you have found the desired publication, click the **RSS alert** icon to the left of the publication name.

The screenshot shows the 'Publications' section of the EBSCOhost interface. At the top, it says 'Browsing: Academic Search Premier Publications'. Below this is a search bar and a 'Browse' button. There are three radio buttons for sorting: 'Alphabetical' (selected), 'By Subject & Description', and 'Match Any Words'. Below the sorting options is a 'Page:' indicator with 'Previous' and 'Next' links, followed by a row of letters from A to Z. Underneath is a 'Mark Items for Search' section with an 'Add' button. The main content area displays a list of four publications, each with a checkbox, an RSS icon, and the publication title:


- [AAC: Augmentative & Alternative Communication](#)  
Bibliographic Records: 03/01/2001 to present  
Notes: This is the default message for Titles Outside of the Local Collection
- [AACN Clinical Issues: Advanced Practice in Acute & Critical Care](#)  
Bibliographic Records: 02/01/2002 to 01/31/2006  
Notes: This is the default message for Titles Outside of the Local Collection
- [AANA Journal](#)  
Bibliographic Records: 02/01/2001 to present; Full Text: 02/01/2001 to present  
Notes: This is the default message for Titles Outside of the Local Collection  
 PDF Full Text
- [ABA Journal](#)  
Bibliographic Records: 01/01/1975 to present; Full Text: 01/01/1975 to present  
Notes: This is the default message for Titles Outside of the Local Collection  
 PDF Full Text; HTML Full Text

- A pop-up screen displays with the journal alert information. Copy the **Syndication Feed URL** into your newsreader.

**Your alert has been created**

To enable e-mail delivery or change any settings click: [Edit Alert](#)

To enable e-mail delivery or change any settings : [Sign in and create a new alert.](#)

<b>Alert Name:</b>	"ABA Journal" on 2008-07-15 11:25 AM
<b>Database</b>	Academic Search Premier
<b>Alert Expires After:</b>	Two months of inactivity [New Feeds will be removed if not accessed within one (1) week of creation.]
<b>Syndication Feed:</b>	 <a href="http://epweb704.epnet.com/AlertSyndicationService/Syndication.aspx/GetFeed?guid=35379">http://epweb704.epnet.com/AlertSyndicationService/Syndication.aspx/GetFeed?guid=35379</a>

You can subscribe to your alert feed through any aggregator or RSS newsreader:

1. Copy the Syndication Feed link.
2. Follow your aggregator's instructions to create a new feed, and paste this link.

To enable e-mail delivery, go to your folder and edit this alert. To enable e-mail delivery or change any settings click: [Edit Alert](#)

For information on syndicated feeds, see [online help](#).

3. If you decide that e-mail delivery of the alert information is required, click the **Sign in and create a new alert** link. Once you sign in to My EBSCOhost, the Journal Alert Screen appears. You can save the alert as described in [Setting Up a Journal Alert](#).