# TexShare Participation Summary for
# Howard County Library

**December 2011 Report**

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| Location: **Big Spring** | Population Served: **32,940** |
| Cost to Library for TexShare Databases:<br>$624<br>Value of TexShare Databases:*<br>$124,065 | ***Other TexShare Programs***<br>TexShare Card: **Yes**<br>TExpress Courier: **No**<br>OCLC Navigator Interlibrary Loan: **No**<br>Catalog Available at libraryoftexas.org: **No** |

** sum of vendor-provided prices for this library, without group discount*

**TexShare Databases are online resources from subscription-only sources providing authoritative articles and information, not available on the "free Internet."**

EBSCO PUBLISHING · GALE CENGAGE Learning · OCLC · ProQuest

**14,290** Full-Text Journals
**2,612** Newspapers & Newswires
**5,224** Reference Books
**420,519** Primary Source Documents
**28,281** EBSCO eBooks

| Specialized Resources for Every Research Need! | |
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| **General Information** | 7 Databases, including EBSCO **MasterFile Premier** and **InfoTrac Newsstand** |
| **Homework & Education** | 9 Databases, including EBSCO **Student Research Center**, **Searchasaurus**, and **Vocational and Career Collection** |
| **Business** | 3 Databases, including EBSCO **Business Source Complete**, **Legal Collection**, and **Regional Business News** |
| **Genealogy & History** | 6 Databases, including ProQuest **HeritageQuest** and **Texas Sanborn Maps** |
| **Books & Literature** | 6 Databases, including Gale **Literature Resource Center** plus **20th Century American and English Poetry** |
| **Health & Medicine** | 8 Databases, including EBSCO **Consumer Health Complete** plus **Medline** and **Health Source: Nursing/Academic Edition** |
| **Science & Technology** | 6 Databases, including EBSCO Science and Technology Collection |
| **Spanish Language** | 4 Databases, including **Medica Latina** and **Salud en Español** |

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| **TexShare Leverages the Buying Power of 700 Member Libraries** | **48** 4-year public colleges and universities<br>**48** 4-year private colleges and professional schools | **58** Community Colleges<br>**4** Libraries of Clinical Medicine<br>**542** Public Libraries |

Texas State Library and Archives Commission

*What is TexShare?* TexShare is a cooperative program designed to improve library service to Texans. TexShare focuses on the efficient sharing of library holdings, with an emphasis on electronic information resources and traditional collections of books and journals.

***At the heart of TexShare is the synergy that occurs when librarians work together to serve customers better.***

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