What is TexShare?

TexShare is... for Texas Libraries

TexShare focuses on the efficient sharing of library holdings, with an emphasis on electronic resources and traditional collections of books and journals.

Community Colleges
Students at Texas community colleges have access to the same materials as those available at much larger university libraries. TexShare membership also helps each institution fulfill the requirements for continued accreditation.

Public Libraries
TexShare e-resources are a good value for public libraries, providing homework help for students, business research for entrepreneurs, and career advancement tools for Texans in every community.

University Libraries
Students and faculty take advantage of TexShare’s courier, borrowing card, and up-to-date e-resources to leverage their higher education investments... even as budgets tighten.

Libraries of Clinical Medicine
Doctors, nurses, and healthcare professionals across the state have access to hundreds of subscription-only medical journals at a fraction of the non-TexShare pricing.
A Great Value for Texans

Imagine a library as big as Texas! When TexShare libraries pool their investments, library patrons come out ahead… with 24/7 access to online tools that help them achieve their goals.

The TexShare CARD

The TexShare CARD is a reciprocal borrowing program. Local libraries issue TexShare Cards to patrons, who then can borrow materials from any other participating Texas library.

TExpress Courier Service

Texans still need access to physical materials their local libraries don’t own. TExpress provides shipping between nearly 200 libraries across the state for one low monthly fee.

e-Resources

From peer-reviewed medical and scientific journals to consumer-oriented publications and popular magazines, Texas library patrons use e-Resources for school, business, career development, and personal enrichment.

Find a TexShare Library!

TexShare services are available to patrons of participating member libraries all across Texas, regardless of institution type, size, or location.

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