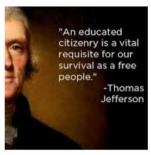


# Unlocking Access: Navigating Government Information through Subject Guides

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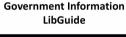
## WHY USE LIBGUIDES?



Government Information LibGuides are essential tools for informing citizens because they provide authoritative, accessible, and well-organized pathways to vital government resources and data that support civic engagement, research, and public transparency. These guides empower users to understand how government operates, access reliable information for decision-making, and exercise their rights and responsibilities within a democratic society.

## WEBPAGE vs LIBGUIDE

Government Information Webpage



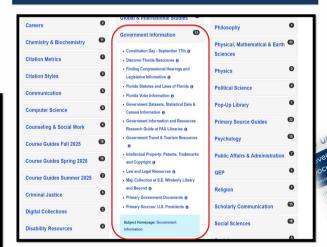


Government Information LibGuides clear the way to vital laws, documents, and data from all levels of government. Their ever-updated platform ensures citizens receive the freshest, most accurate information needed to meet today's challenges in an uncertain world.

#### **REASONS FOR THE GUIDES**

- •To simplify navigating the vast and complex landscape of government publications by organizing official documents, data, and historical records from federal, state, and international sources into a single, accessible platform.
- •To remove barriers to accessing trustworthy government resources by offering expert librarian support and open access.
- •To empower individuals of all backgrounds to unlock the knowledge necessary for responsible citizenship and meaningful participation in society.

## **HOW TO ACCESS THE GUIDES?**



My fellow Americans, in an era where knowledge is our strongest defense and guiding light, the Government Information Guides at Florida Atlantic University serve as a steadfast fortress for every citizen. Accessible through the LibGuides Research Guides webpage or directly via the Government Information webpage, these guides offer a rich collection of documents, data, and laws from federal, state, and international sources. Curated by dedicated librarians and continually updated, they provide the most current and reliable information. Let us use these invaluable resources to educate ourselves, defend our democracy, and build a brighter future for all.

#### KIND OF GUIDES

- Government Information, 13 guides
- Constitution Day September 17th
- Discover Florida Resources
- Finding Congressional Hearings and Legislative Information
- Florida Statutes and Laws of Florida
- Florida Voter Information
- Government Datasets, Statistical Data & Census Information
- Government Information and Resources Research Guide at FAU Libraries
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- Primary Government Documents
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## PROMOTING THE GUIDES



