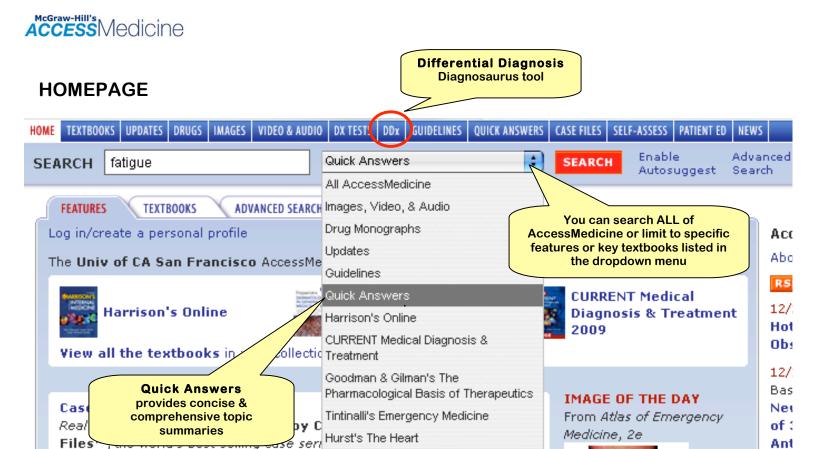


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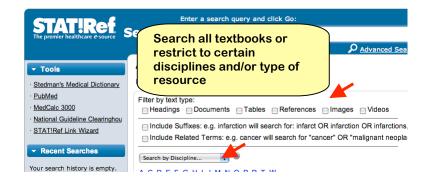
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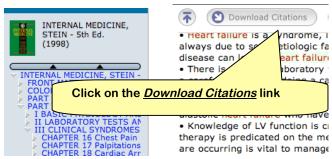
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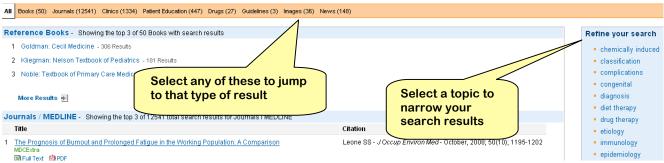
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Chapter 295 - FIBROMYALGIA AND CHRONIC FATIGUE SYNDROME

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Fibromyalgia (FM) and chronic fatigue syndrome (CFS) are multisymptomatic syndromes defined respectively by the core features of chronic widespread pain and chronic unexplained fatigue. The 1990 American College of Rheumatology classification criteria for FM are universally used in diagnosing FM (Table 295-1). The 1990 Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) definition is the most widely used diagnostic criteria for CFS (see Table 295-1). According to these definitions, FM and CFS are separate entities, but in practice there is a large overlap, with many patients being win both labels. Myofascial pain is a universal experience that is usually self-limited; when it becomes persistent, it may accentuate and perpetuate the experience of chronic fatigue and FM.



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