How to find a whole issue of a journal, a journal article when you get a message from document delivery/interlibrary loan that a journal is available online, or the “get it @ GVSU” link doesn’t work.

1. First, you need to find the journal. From the library’s home page, click on Journals.

2. Type or copy and paste the name of the journal in the search box and click the search button. For this example, we’re looking for:


So search for *Journal of the American Psychiatric Nurses Association*.

3. There may be more than one choice in your results. Choose one that includes the date range you need. In this instance, it’s the first choice.
4. Find the link to “all issues” or scroll down to the year/issue you need. The location of this link will vary by publisher.

5. For this journal, the past issues are listed by year. Choose 1997 . . .

6. . . . then choose the date/issue.

7. Find the article you need and retrieve the full text.