

Getting Started with Zotero

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Objectives



Create your
Zotero account



Import
references from
PubMed,
EBSCO, and
the library
catalog



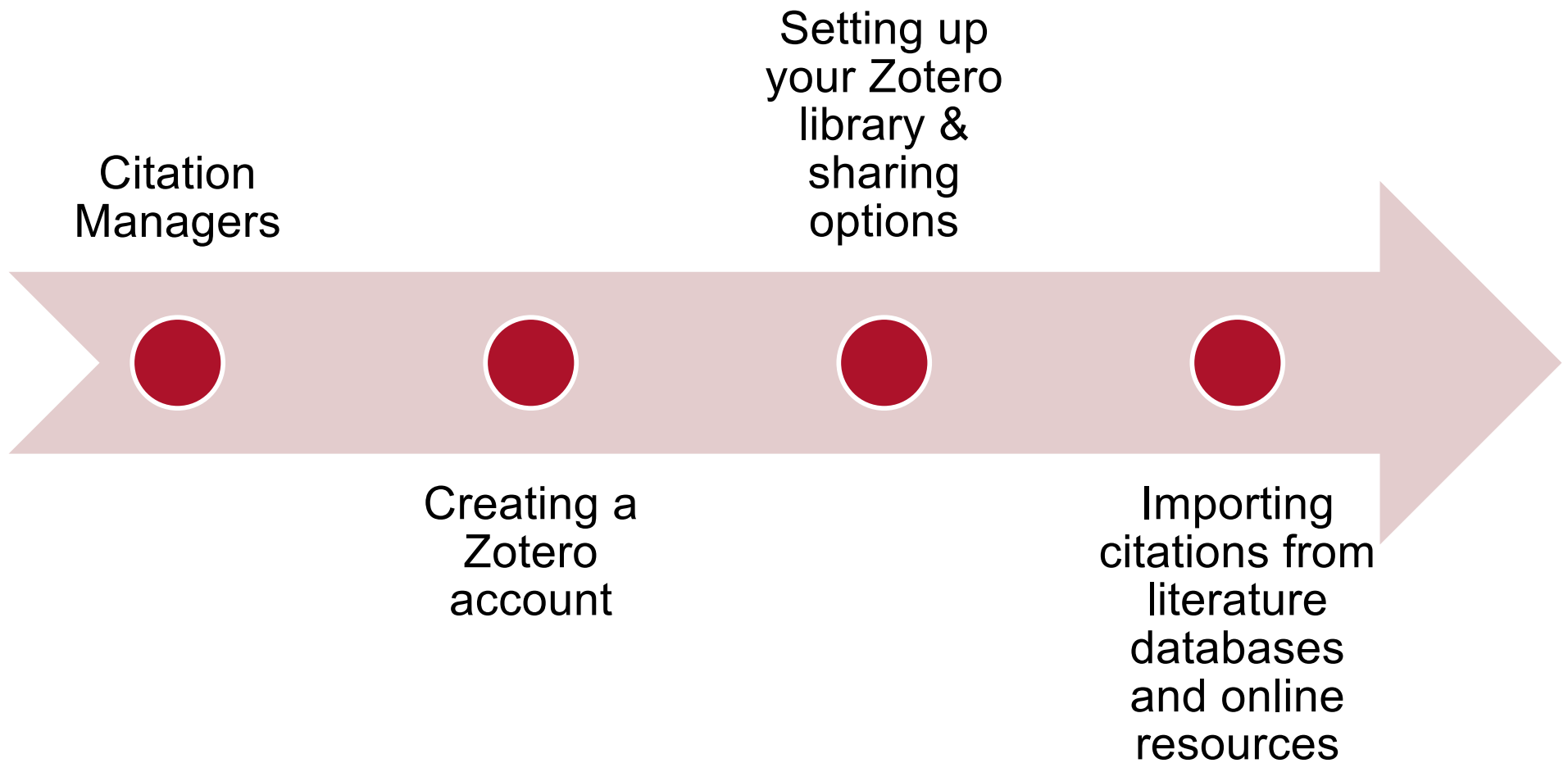
Connect Zotero
to check for
full-text articles
(open access
and library
subscriptions)



Create a
bibliography in
a citation style
(ex: APA 7)



Outline



Why Use a Citation Manager

Zotero allows you to:

- Manage all your citation records in one place
- Access and store PDFs
- Generate bibliographies in preferred citation formats (APA 7, JAMA/AMA, Vancouver, etc.)
- Install writing tools for Word that can insert in-text citations and reference lists
- Share collections with colleagues for collaboration
- Assist with the removal of duplicates

Comparison (Zotero & EndNote)

EndNote (Desktop App)	Zotero
Requires installation on a PC or Mac; EndNote Online available	Desktop installation on PC or Mac; Cloud based available
Direct export (using Firefox) from databases and Google Scholar	Direct export from databases and Google Scholar
Fair to moderate learning curve	Fairly easy to learn
Can customize to meet research needs; groups; customize citations	Can customize to meet research needs; folders; customize citations
Create bibliography and in-text citations in Microsoft Word and Apple Pages; Microsoft online: unformatted citations only	Create bibliography and in-text citations in Microsoft Word and Google Docs Microsoft online: unformatted citations only

Citation Manager Comparison

- Using Zotero
 - <https://youtu.be/96ZvAzcCG1E>
- Using EndNote
 - <https://youtu.be/BECN1-fThYM>
- Choosing a Citation Manager:
 - https://youtu.be/IKzGNGiBv_E

Creating a Zotero Account & Linking to the Desktop App



Installing Zotero

zotero

Groups

Documentation

Forums

Get Involved

Log In

Upgrade Storage

Your personal
research assistant

Zotero is a free, easy-to-use tool to help you
collect, organize, annotate, cite, and share research.

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Available for Mac, Windows, Linux, and iOS

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If you haven't already created a Zotero account, please take a few moments to register now. It's a **free** way to [sync and access your library from anywhere](#), and it lets you join [groups](#) and [back up all your attached files](#).

Username

<https://www.zotero.org/<username>>

Email

Confirm Email


Password

Verify Password

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Zotero Connector

Save to Zotero from your browser

[Install Firefox Connector](#)

Zotero Connectors automatically sense content as you browse the web and allow you to save it to Zotero with a single click.

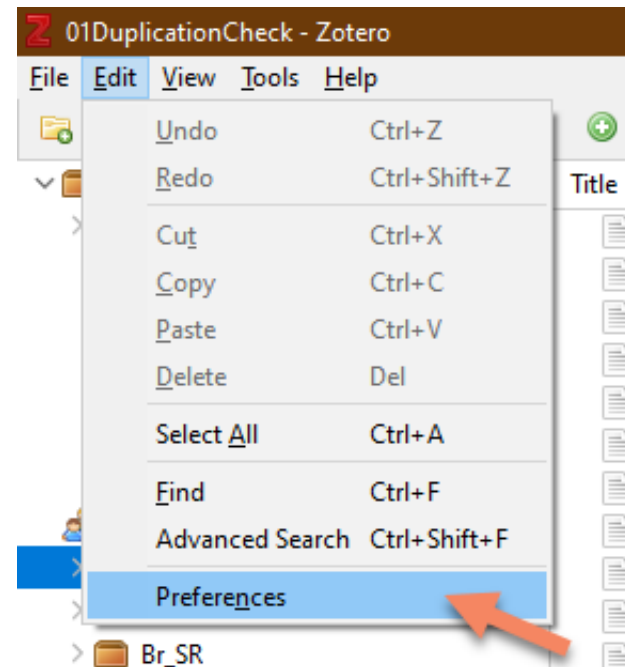
[Zotero Connectors for other browsers](#)

Download Software + Connector

Setting Up Sync

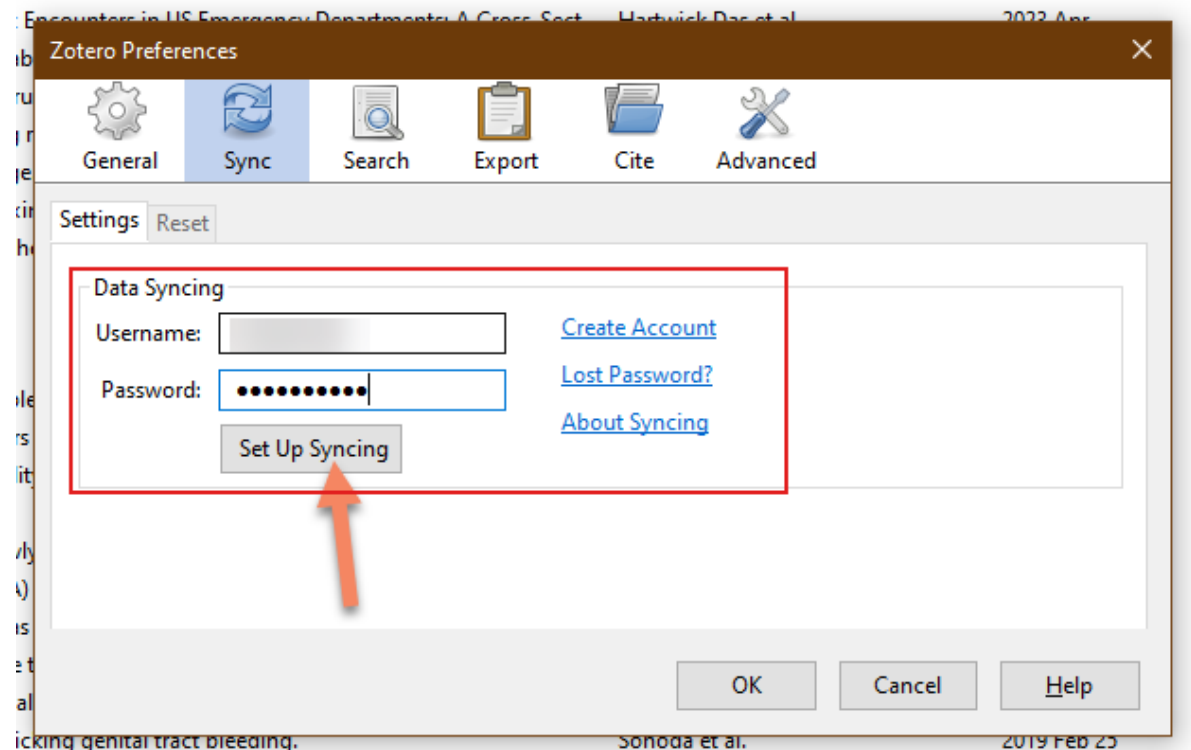
This feature allows you to save your library to the cloud, and use on multiple computers/devices

1. Go to Edit > Preferences

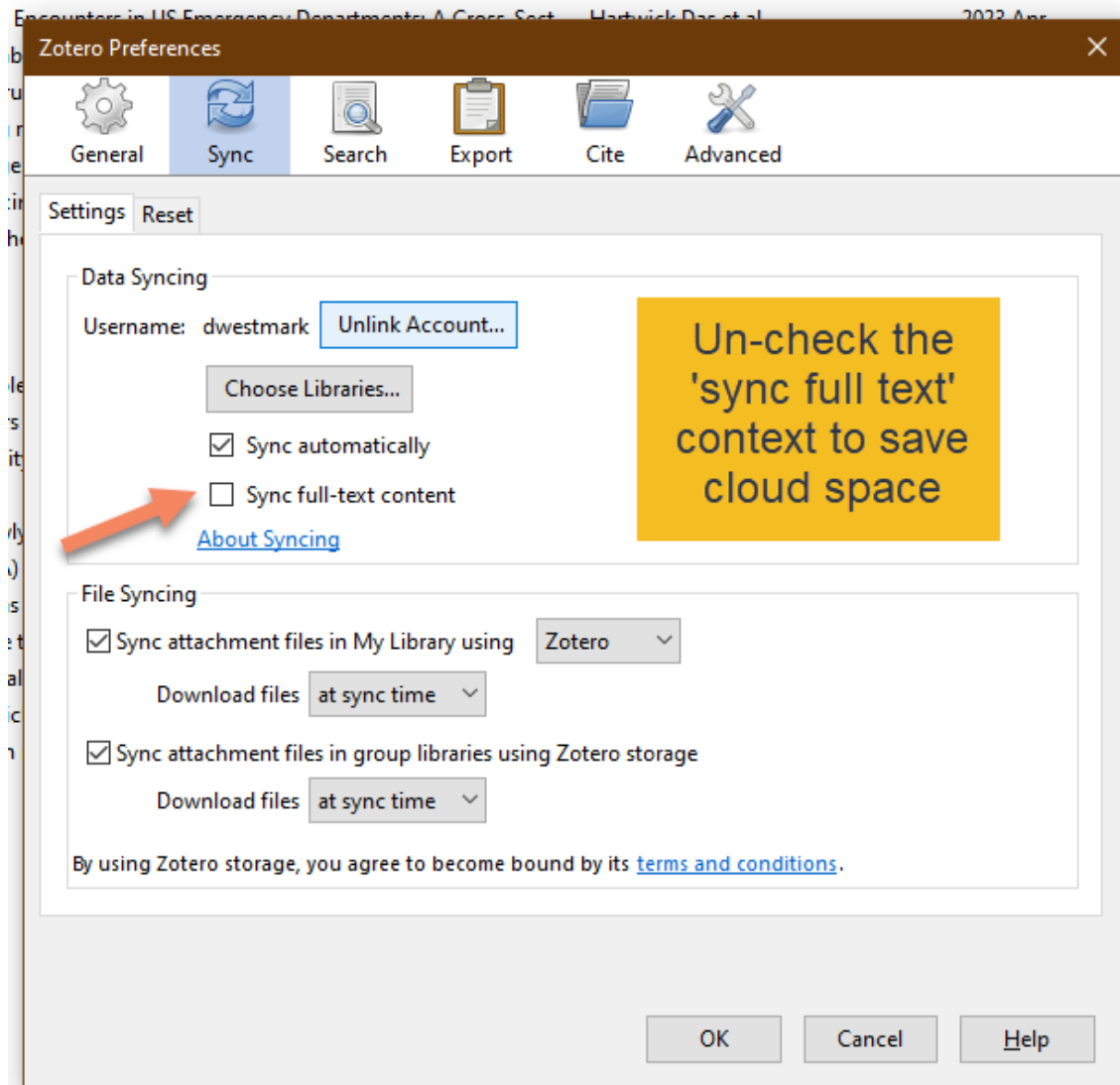


Setting Up Sync

1. Go to the Sync tab
2. Enter your Zotero username/password
3. Click “set up syncing”



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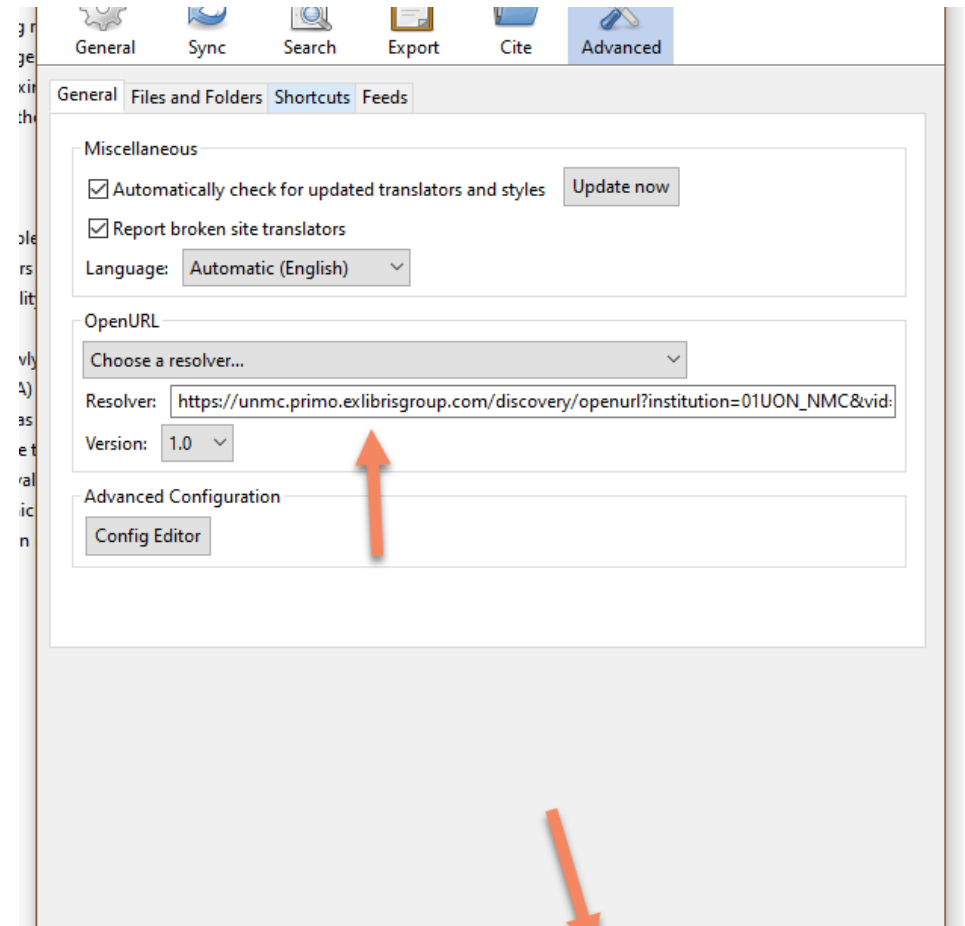


Link to Full-Text

In the advance tab,
enter in the UNMC
resolver to check for
full-text availability

Link to get resolver
info (tab #6):

<https://unmc.libguides.com/zotero>



Live Demonstration



Did We Meet Our Objectives?



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Resources

- Zotero Research Guide
<https://unmc.libguides.com/zotero>
- McGoogan Library
 - askus@unmc.edu
 - 402-559-6221
 - Chat, Text, AskUs Form

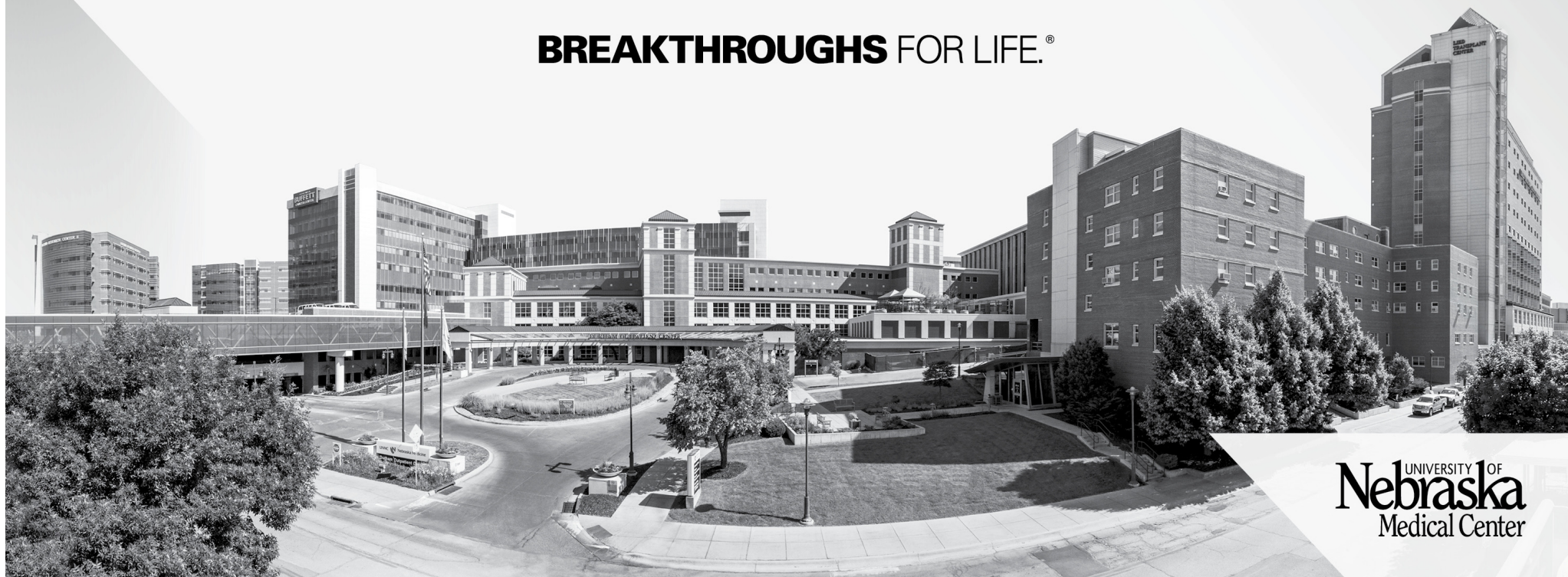
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