

## Some Helpful Web Sites on Preservation and Book Handling

For Starters:

URL:	Organization:	What You'll Find:
<a href="http://www.imagepermanenceinstitute.org/">http://www.imagepermanenceinstitute.org/</a>	Image Permanence Institute	Great interactive site for basic information. Check out "Stored Alive" to see the effect of time, temperature, and humidity on various types of materials.
<a href="http://palimpsest.stanford.edu/bytopic/genpub/">http://palimpsest.stanford.edu/bytopic/genpub/</a>	Conservation Online	Provides links to many reputable sources on the protection of personal collections.
<a href="http://www.nps.gov/history/museum/publications/consveogram/cons_toc.html">http://www.nps.gov/history/museum/publications/consveogram/cons_toc.html</a>	National Park Service "Conserve O Grams"	User-friendly leaflets on a wide array of collection care topics. Great source for up-to-date archival practices.
<a href="http://www.loc.gov/preserv/">http://www.loc.gov/preserv/</a>	Library of Congress	Information for the general public on care of personal collections as well as links to conservators and appraisers.
<a href="http://www.archives.gov/preservation/family-archives/">http://www.archives.gov/preservation/family-archives/</a>	National Archives	How-to links for caring for family treasures.

**For More Technical Information:**

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<a href="http://www.dartmouth.edu/~preserve/repair/html/materialid.htm">http://www.dartmouth.edu/~preserve/repair/html/materialid.htm</a>	Dartmouth University	Detailed information on the care and repair of books. Includes tip-ins, repair of tears, and hinge tightening. Check out the link to "Parts of a book."
<a href="http://www.library.cornell.edu/preservation/brochure/Fam%20Papers%2001%20Text.pdf">http://www.library.cornell.edu/preservation/brochure/Fam%20Papers%2001%20Text.pdf</a>	Cornell University	Illustrated brochure providing a wealth of information on the "Care of Family Papers and the Home Library."
<a href="http://www.wilhelm-research.com/">http://www.wilhelm-research.com/</a>	Wilhelm Imaging Research	In-depth information on preservation of photographic images.
<a href="http://www.nedcc.org/resources/leaflets.list.php">http://www.nedcc.org/resources/leaflets.list.php</a>	Northeast Document Conservation Center	Link to online pamphlets on a wide array of preservation and conservation topics.
<a href="http://www.thehfgroup.com/">http://www.thehfgroup.com/</a>	The HF Group (bindery) 1-800-253-5456 (Walla Walla)	Includes contact information for commercial binding operations, as well as Etherington Conservation Services.
<a href="http://www.niso.org/kst/reports/standards">http://www.niso.org/kst/reports/standards</a>	National Information Standards Organization (ANSI/NISO)	Provides standards for archival paper. Select "Z39.48."
<a href="http://aic.stanford.edu">http://aic.stanford.edu</a>	American Institute for Conservation of Historic and Artistic Works (AIC)	Includes information on caring for collections and finding a conservator.

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