Datasets

2026 roadmap

Turn data into discoveries

Enable confident discovery with Elsevier's datasets – integrating our trusted quality content with your internal data to connect concepts, accelerate insight and support faster data-driven decisions.

Our key initiatives in 2026

Expanding coverage

We are on a continual drive to expand coverage in our datasets. This year we are focused on including more premium society content into our full-text datasets, as well as expanding the clinicals trials content in our biomedical dataset from Embase.

We'll also be releasing a new therapy area subset of the journals' full text covering musculoskeletal content. Alongside the existing therapeutic area subsets, this enables you to focus on the relevant content for actionable insights.

In chemistry, you will be able to enhance LLM-orchestrated workflows with Reaxys' trusted dataset, enabled by the updated API.

Learn more

elsevier.com/solutions/datasets

Enhancing delivery and usability

This year, our team is making continuous improvements to ensure that you get the most out of your datasets:

- Ongoing enhancements to the API onboarding and delivery experience to enable better connection with your internal data pipelines
- Updates to our content pipelines for enhanced data reusability
- Significant updates to the journals API to support deeper full-text search

Supporting your AI initiatives

In the second half of 2026, we will introduce frictionless access to trusted scientific data through a unified MCP gateway. This capability will seamlessly connect our full-text journals and chemistry datasets to your AI and LLM environments via MCP-ready wrappers and tools. As a result, your teams can securely integrate high-quality, authoritative content directly into automated workflows – enabling faster insights, scalable innovation, and confident decision-making for high-value research and development tasks.