ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

I was indeed greatly privileged to complete this research study under the guidance of Dr. Subhash Pundlik Chavan, Librarian, Shri. A.B. College, Deogaon (R), Tal. Kannad, Dist. Aurangabad In all humility, I express my sincere gratitude and thanks to Dr. Chavan for his sterling guidance and for making this project a great learning opportunity. Without his support and valuable inputs from time to time it would not have been possible for me to complete this assignment. I am thankful to the Vice Chancellor, Registrar and the supporting staff of the Shri agdishprasad Jhabarmal Tibrewala University, Rajasthan for allowing me to carry out this research work.

I am thankful to my Principal Smt. V. P. Waje Pravara rural college of Education, Pravaranagar, principal Dr. S.R. walunj pvp College, Pravaranagar, Principal Dr. M.D. Shinde, Arts, science and commerce college Kolhar for inspiration and continuous encouragement for my research.

I am also thankful to Dr. Rajendra Kumbhar, Associate Professor, Department of Library and Information Science, University of Pune, Pune valuable guidance and useful suggestions on various issues.

I am also thankful to my professional colleague and friend’s Shri B.B Aher, Librarian P.V.P. College, Pravaranagar, Shri S.S. Hapse Librarian, Pravara Medical College, Loni, shri D.T. Satpute Librarian, Arts, science and commerce college Rahata, shri R.S. Lawande SSGM, Kopargaon, shri Turakane, Librarian Pravara rural college of Pharmacy, who helped me in the development of the thesis and encouraged me at all times.

I express my special thanks to Prof. Garule for sparing his valuable and specious time in rectifying grammatical mistakes in my thesis.

I do remember that my colleagues from library and Teaching and non teaching staff of my college shared my responsibility and extended me their long lasting co-operation. I sincerely thank all of them.
My Mother and Brothers, my wife Mrs Sarita, and son Master Abhijeet for their constant inspiration and support in completing my research work. Without their support I would not have been able to complete my work.

I acknowledge all the pharmacy college Librarians of University of Pune, who timely responded to my questionnaire and helped me a lot in completing the study. Last but not least my sincere thanks to all those who have directly or indirectly helped me during this work. I do remember that my colleagues from library and Teaching and non teaching staff of my college shared my responsibility and extended me their long lasting co-operation. I sincerely thank all of them.

Anil Bhanudas Pawar