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Biomedical Scientific Library " Beniamino Orrù "

The Biblioteca del Distretto Biomedico Scientifico "Beniamino Orrù"

is a reference point for Biology & Pharmacy, Medicine & Surgery, and Sciences Faculties.

Location: on the ground floor of the F BLOCK of Monserrato Campus.

The Study Areas of the library are ROOM A (138 seats), ROOM B (76 seats), and ROOM C (50 seats).

The library offices, the direction and the training room are on the second and third floors; the closed stacks are on the ground floor.

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