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Primary Care: Art And Science Of Advanced Practice Nursing





Synopsis

The premier reference for APNs providing primary care!Written by nurse practitioners for nurse practitioners in collaboration with a physician, this popular text builds a solid understanding of the theoretical foundation of nursing practice, while also providing comprehensive patient-care guidance based on the latest scientific evidence. \tilde{A} \hat{A}

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Customer Reviews

This book is required for my NP theory and clinical classes. I have to say that is one of the poorest textbooks I have read to date. Usually, when you pick up a textbook, you find that the chapters have some commonality it organization. With this book, not so much. There are some similarities in organization, but overall, it just depends on who wrote the individual chapter you happen to be reading. Some chapters have flow charts that show differential diagnoses, some don't. Some have an overview section, some don't. It's just a crap shoot.Regarding the content...well, there's a lot in there for sure. Do they need 1200 pages to cover it all? Probably not...unless the authors simply like to hear themselves talk. I'm reasonably certain that every chapter in this book could very easily be compressed by 50%+ with absolutely no loss of content information. It's a textbook...put some damn diagrams in there. Spend some time organizing and putting some structure in the material. The way you use this information clinically is a "compare/contrast" model. If you are diagnosing someone with a chronic cough, how are the presentations the same between lung cancer, COPD, ILD, pneumonia, etc, and how are they different? What are the signs and symptoms that help you rule out the differentials? Listing the differentials is useless unless you give a few key features that distinguish each.Buy it if you have to, but it's a whole lot of verbiage for the information it is trying to

convey. Come on now...for the price, the authors could do a whole lot better.

So disorganized, no table of contents at the biginning of each chapter, information repeats itself sometimes 5 times within 2 pages (and values change as they repeat so that you can tell different people wrote the different paragraphs and did not communicate or read each others work); which leaves you wondering who edited this thing. It does cover so many different diseases & disorders, which is why it got 2 stars instead of 1.

This book is not user friendly...does not have good explanations for a student really trying to understand concept...you have to look for in depth explanation elsewhere...glad was a rental..

Organized text, easy to read. Case studies are relevant to practice. Excellent test bank questions to help review the different systems.

Required textbook for my ARNP course. It's a great resource for reference, with good flow.

It is an ok book. We had to get it for FNP. However, I think there is an updated version and this book really does not keep up with the changing of recommendations.

Do NOT buy this book used because one can not unlock the student resources... Otherwise the book was intact and you have to carry it everywhere in order to study. If you buy the book used you have to purchase the access code.

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