Johns Hopkins Handbook of Obstetrics and Gynecology
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Summary
An ultra-concise ob/gyn handbook from the experts at Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine

Written primarily by current staff at Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine, this unique handbook uses only concise bullets and tables to answer the treatment and management questions that most often arise during daily ob/gyn practice. The book’s sole focus is to deliver brief, immediately implementable protocol-driven instruction for difficult clinical situations. Similar Ob/Gyn handbooks are heavy, dense texts, making them impractical for immediate use at the point of care.

Sized for the labcoat, this carry-anywhere reference delivers quick answers when there isn’t time to read an entire chapter, access a computer, or scan Up-to-Date summary articles for the one key bit of essential information. Johns Hopkins Handbook of Obstetrics and Gynecology also covers important subspecialties such as gynecologic oncology, reproductive endocrinology, infertility, and urogynecology.

- Market: Obstetricians and Gynecologists, Ob/Gyn residents
- Includes feedback from Johns Hopkins gynecology and obstetrics residents
- Based on guidelines from Johns Hopkins and the American Congress of Obstetricians and Gynecologists to help with board exam preparation

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Goodman and Gilman's Workbook to Pharmacologic Therapeutics
Douglas Rollins, Donald Blumenthal

Summary
A new companion study guide to the most respected text in pharmacy education

Goodman & Gilman’s Workbook for Pharmacologic Therapeutics delivers concise, high-yield summaries of the world-renowned coverage of the actions and uses of therapeutic agents in relation to physiology and pathophysiology found in Goodman & Gilman’s The Pharmacological Basis of Therapeutics.

In order to maximize the learning and teaching experience, this unique review is packed with pedagogical aids such as learning objectives, summaries of key points, self-assessment Q&A, case vignettes, and a complete test bank in the final chapter. Perfect as a self-study guide or as a required classroom review, Goodman & Gilman’s Workbook for Pharmacologic Therapeutics contains features and content that will appeal to both students and professors.

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Jawetz Melnick & Adelbergs Medical Microbiology 27 E
(27th Edition)
Karen C. Carroll, Janet Butel, Stephen Morse

Summary
Understand the clinically important aspects of microbiology with this full-color review

Includes more than 20 case studies

The twenty-seventh edition of Jawetz, Melnick & Adelberg’s Medical Microbiology delivers a concise, up-to-date overview of the roles microorganisms play in human health and illness. Linking fundamental principles with the diagnosis and treatment of microbial infections, this classic text has been updated throughout to reflect the tremendous expansion of medical knowledge afforded by molecular mechanisms, advances in our understanding of microbial pathogenesis, and the discovery of novel pathogens.

Along with brief descriptions of each organism, you will find vital perspectives on pathogenesis, diagnostic laboratory tests, clinical findings, treatment, and epidemiology. The book also includes an entire chapter of case studies that focuses on differential diagnosis and management of microbial infections.

Here’s why Jawetz, Melnick & Adelberg’s Medical Microbiology is essential for USMLE review:

- 650+ USMLE-style review questions
- 300+ informative tables and illustrations
- 23 case studies to sharpen you differential diagnosis and management skills
- An easy-to-access list of medically important microorganisms
- Coverage that reflects the latest techniques in laboratory and diagnostic technologies
- Full-color images and micrographs
- Chapter-ending summaries
- Chapter concept checks

Jawetz, Melnick & Adelberg’s Medical Microbiology introduces you to basic clinical microbiology through the fields of bacteriology, virology, mycology, and parasitology, giving you a thorough yet understandable review of the discipline.

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**Summary**

Learn dermoscopy with this full-color, case-based self-assessment guide

With 436 clinical and dermoscopic images and 218 progressively more difficult cases commonly encountered in general dermatologic practice, *Dermoscopy: An Illustrated Self-Assessment Guide* offers a unique checklist methodology for learning how to use dermoscopy to diagnose benign and malignant pigmented and non-pigmented skin lesions.

Each high-quality, full-color clinical and dermoscopic image is presented with short history. Every case is followed by multiple-choice questions and three check boxes to test your knowledge of risk, diagnosis, and disposition. Turn the page, and the answers to the questions are provided in an easy-to-remember manner which includes the dermoscopic images being sown again. Circles, stars, boxes, and arrows appear in the image pointing out the important criteria of each case.

**FEATURES:**

- Cases involving the scalp, face, nose, ears, trunk and extremities, palms, soles, nails, and genitalia – many new to this edition
- The concepts of clinic-dermoscopic correlation, dermoscopic-pathologic correlation, and dermoscopic differential diagnosis are employed throughout
- Each case includes a discussion of all of its salient features in a quick-read outline style and ends with a series of dermoscopic and/or clinical pearls based on the authors’ years of experience
- Key dermoscopic principles are re-emphasized throughout the book to enhance your understanding and assimilation of the teaching points
- Two new chapters on trichoscopy and dermoscopy in general medicine
- Updated material on pediatric melanoma, desmoplastic melanoma, Merkel cell carcinoma, invasive squamous cell carcinoma, and nevi and melanoma associated with decorative tattoos

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Assessment of Practice Performance in Emergency Medicine: A Clinician's Guide to Quality Improvement

Anthony Ferroggiaro

Summary

Improve patient outcomes and meet MOC Part IV requirements with this real-world guide to implementing quality assessment and practice performance in emergency medicine

Assessment of Practice Performance in Emergency Medicine delivers a comprehensive, engagingly written review of our current methods for outcome assessment and clinical efficacy. The author, an experienced Emergency Department physician, also offers an insightful, thought-provoking call for a more aggressive, comprehensive, and local process.

Highlights of coverage include:

1. The Standard Peer Chart Review Process
2. Sequential Clinical Auditing
3. Assessment of Practice Performance
4. Implementing a Sequential Clinical Auditing Program
5. Case Studies in Peer Review
6. Examples of Clinical Audits
7. Examples and Templates for compliance with the APP PCPI Component
8. Integration of these elements in a holistic physician performance program
9. How this process can be initiated within your organization

Essential for every medical director, chairperson, administrator, or physician who is searching for methods to raise and/or sustain their own technical quality or that of their group, Assessment of Practice Performance in Emergency Medicine provides a critically important tool in today's medicine and healthcare market.
Psychiatry PreTest Self-Assessment And Review, 14th Edition
Debra Klamen, Phil Pan

Summary

PreTest gives you 500 USMLE-format questions answers and concise but comprehensive explanations of correct and incorrect answer options to boost exam-day performance.

About the Book: The PreTest Clinical Science Series prepares medical students for USMLE Step 2 CK which assesses students’ medical knowledge of core clinical topics with multiple-choice and matching questions.

Useful as reviews for clerkship exams following core clinical rotations each PreTest book contains 500 questions with complete but concise answers referenced to leading textbooks and journal articles.

Discussions review correct and incorrect answer options to reinforce learning. The 14th edition of Psychiatry: PreTest simulates the USMLE Step 2 CK test-taking experience by including 100% vignette-style questions and updates on the latest therapies for psychiatric diseases and disorders including the newest DSM-V criteria. To ensure that questions are representative of the style and level of difficulty of the exam each PreTest book is reviewed by students who either recently passed Step 2 CK or completed their psychiatry rotation.

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Neuromuscular Disorders 2/E (2nd Edition)
Anthony Amato, James Russell

Summary
A full-color text on neuromuscular disorders that bridges the gap between translational science and practical application

Neuromuscular Disorders is comprehensive in scope, yet concise enough to serve as a valuable point-of-care guide for your daily practice. Grounded by numerous reference sources and enhanced by the experience of two seasoned clinicians, this text provides a pragmatic approach in the evaluation and management of neuromuscular diseases. Here, in a single-source, you will get an insightful look at both nerve and muscle conditions, ranging from motor neuron disease to neuropathies, neuromuscular junction disorders, and myopathies.

Every chapter in this edition has been rewritten, in many cases extensively, with the addition of contemporary citations. The content reflects the latest advances in the imaging, genetic, and immunological tools now at our disposal to understand and diagnose many neuromuscular disorders.

Highlights include:

- Three new chapters covering the principles of immunomodulating treatment and the rehabilitation of neuromuscular diseases and other disorders that may be mistaken as neuromuscular mimics
- A unique blend of evidence-based medicine with the personal experiences of veteran clinicians
- Convenient coverage of nerve, and muscle and neuromuscular transmission disorders—both primary and secondary neuromuscular diseases
- Specific disease sections encompass the range of conditions likely to be encountered in clinical practice, including amyotrophic lateral sclerosis, myasthenia gravis, radiculopathies and plexopathies, mononeuropathies, various polyneuropathies, toxic myopathies, and dozens more
- The very latest diagnosis and treatment recommendations and protocols based on the most recent clinical literature and research
- Hundreds of figures including original art, EMGs, histopathology images, and clinical photos

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Physical Therapy Case Files, Sports
Jason Brumitt, Erin Jobst

Summary

Dozens of realistic cases help students make transition from classroom to clinic

The Physical Therapy Case Files series gives students realistic cases designed to help them make the transition from classroom to clinical work and is an outstanding review for the specialty topics included on the American Physical Therapy Association certification exams. This evidence-based series can stand alone or is the perfect complement to textbooks for enhanced learning in the context of real patients. Each case includes clinical tips, evidence-based practice recommendations, analysis, and review questions. These cases teach students how to think through evaluation, assessment, and treatment planning.

- Includes 42 realistic sports medicine cases
- A great clinical refresher for practitioners looking to brush up on their skills

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McGraw-Hill's 2016/2017 Top 300 Pharmacy Drug Cards
(3rd Edition)
Jill M. Kolesar, Lee Vermeulen

Summary
The best and easiest way to learn essential information about the top 300 drugs

Includes recently approved hepatitis C vaccines
Every card includes:

- Generic and common name
- Class
- Dosage Forms
- Approved Dose and Indications
- Off-Label Use
- Contraindications
- Adverse Reactions
- Drug Interactions
- Monitoring Parameters
- Medication Safety Issues and Black Box Warnings
- Clinical pearls that help guide patient care
- Strong focus on patient safety

This edition is enhanced by 11 new cards, key adult and pediatric immunization vaccines, and MP3 audio download with detailed discussion of each drug.