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**KNOWLEDGE TRANSLATION IN HEALTH CARE** SHARON STRAUS 2011-08-24 HEALTH CARE SYSTEMS WORLDWIDE ARE FACED WITH THE CHALLENGE OF IMPROVING THE QUALITY OF CARE. PROVIDING EVIDENCE FROM HEALTH RESEARCH IS NECESSARY BUT NOT SUFFICIENT FOR THE PROVISION OF OPTIMAL CARE AND SO KNOWLEDGE TRANSLATION (KT), THE SCIENTIFIC STUDY OF METHODS FOR CLOSING THE KNOWLEDGE-TO-ACTION GAP AND OF THE BARRIERS AND FACILITATORS INHERENT IN THE PROCESS, IS GAINING SIGNIFICANCE. KNOWLEDGE TRANSLATION IN HEALTH CARE EXPLAINS HOW TO USE RESEARCH FINDINGS TO IMPROVE HEALTH CARE IN REAL LIFE, EVERYDAY SITUATIONS. THE AUTHORS DEFINE AND DESCRIBE KNOWLEDGE TRANSLATION, AND OUTLINE STRATEGIES FOR SUCCESSFUL KNOWLEDGE TRANSLATION IN PRACTICE AND POLICY MAKING. THE BOOK IS FULL OF EXAMPLES OF HOW KNOWLEDGE TRANSLATION MODELS WORK IN CLOSING THE GAP BETWEEN EVIDENCE AND ACTION. WRITTEN BY A TEAM OF AUTHORS CLOSELY INVOLVED IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE TRANSLATION THIS UNIQUE BOOK AIMS TO EXTEND UNDERSTANDING AND IMPLEMENTATION WORLDWIDE. IT IS AN INTRODUCTORY GUIDE TO AN EMERGING HOT TOPIC IN EVIDENCE-BASED CARE AND ESSENTIAL FOR HEALTH POLICY MAKERS, RESEARCHERS, MANAGERS, CLINICIANS AND TRAINEES.

**ASTHMA, AN ISSUE OF CLINICS IN CHEST MEDICINE - E-BOOK** PASCAL CHANEZ 2012-07-15 THIS ISSUE OF CLINICS IN CHEST MEDICINE, GUEST EDITED BY PASCAL CHANEZ MD PhD, WILL FOCUS ON ASTHMA, WITH ARTICLE TOPICS INCLUDING: COMPLIANCE ; EPIDEMICS IN ASTHMA ; GENOTYPES OF ASTHMA ; DIAGNOSE AND PHENOTYPE ASTHMA ; UNBIASED BIOMARKERS IN ASTHMA ; ASTHMA AS A CHRONIC INFECTIOUS DISEASE ; CHILDHOOD ASTHMA MANAGEMENT ; OCCUPATIONAL ASTHMA ; CORTICOSTEROID TREATMENTS ; AIRWAY SMOOTH MUSCLE ; RESOLUTION OF INFLAMMATION ; AND IMMUNOLOGICAL THERAPEUTIC INTERVENTIONS IN ASTHMA.

**ESSENTIALS OF CORRECTIONAL NURSING** LORRY SCHOENLY 2012-08-14 PRINT+ COURSE SMART  
**GENERAL RECOMMENDATIONS ON IMMUNIZATION** 1983

**LIVING WITH CHRONIC ILLNESS AND DISABILITY - eBook** ESTHER CHANG 2017-07-26 WITH A COMPLEX RANGE OF CHRONIC ILLNESSES IDENTIFIED AS NATIONAL HEALTH PRIORITIES IN AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND, NURSES AND HEALTH PROFESSIONALS ARE INCREASINGLY CARING FOR PEOPLE WITH CHRONIC DISEASE AND DISABILITY ACROSS A VARIETY OF CARE SETTINGS. ACQUIRING THE RELEVANT KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS TO WORK WITH PEOPLE WHO HAVE A CHRONIC ILLNESS AND/OR DISABILITY IS VITAL TO PROVIDING QUALITY, COMPETENT CARE. **LIVING WITH CHRONIC ILLNESS AND DISABILITY: PRINCIPLES FOR NURSING PRACTICE**, 3RD EDITION HAS BEEN FULLY REVISED TO REFLECT THE MOST CURRENT LOCAL AND INTERNATIONAL RESEARCH, FOCUSING ON A RANGE OF COMMON CHRONIC ILLNESSES AND DISABILITIES, INCLUDING: STROKE, CANCER, HEART DISEASE, MENTAL ILLNESS, DEMENTIA, DIABETES, ASTHMA AND OBESITY. THE THIRD EDITION PROVIDES A HOLISTIC FRAMEWORK AND MODELS OF CARE THAT ARE ESSENTIAL FOR CARING FOR INDIVIDUALS AND FAMILIES LIVING THE LIFEAALTERING JOURNEY OF CHRONIC ILLNESS AND DISABILITY. A REINFORCED FOCUS ON PERSON- AND FAMILY-CENTRED CARE CHAPTER 2 PARTNERSHIPS IN COLLABORATIVE CARE INCLUDES NEW SECTIONS ON THE ROLE OF THE PHARMACIST, PARAMEDIC AND EXERCISE PHYSIOLOGIST PRINCIPLES FOR NURSING PRACTICE ARE EMBEDDED THROUGHOUT SECTION 2 EVOLVE RESOURCES FOR STUDENTS AND INSTRUCTORS PROVIDE ADDITIONAL MULTIMEDIA RESOURCES AND REFLECTIVE QUESTIONS TO ASSIST LEARNING AND PROMOTE SELF-INQUIRY

**ALLERGY AND SLEEP** ANNA FISHBEIN 2019-06-28 SLEEP-RELATED ABNORMALITIES OCCURRING AS A RESULT OF ALLERGIC DISORDERS CAN IMPACT AN AFFECTED INDIVIDUAL'S HEALTH AND OVERALL WELL-BEING IN A MYRIAD OF WAYS. THIS COMPREHENSIVE BOOK THOROUGHLY COVERS THE MANAGEMENT OF ALLERGIC AND SLEEP DISORDERS, PROVIDING A DETAILED DISCUSSION ON HOW THESE CO-OCCURRING, OFTEN OVERLAPPING CONDITIONS CAN BE TREATED IN A PERSONALIZED AND PATIENT-ORIENTED MANNER. **ALLERGY AND SLEEP: BASIC PRINCIPLES AND CLINICAL PRACTICE** TAKES CARE TO INCLUDE A WIDE RANGE OF MULTIDISCIPLINARY PERSPECTIVES REQUIRED TO EFFECTIVELY ASSESS AND MANAGE ALLERGY AND SLEEP DISORDERS, FROM ALLERGISTS, SLEEP MEDICINE SPECIALISTS, OTOLARYNGOLOGISTS, AND DERMATOLOGISTS, TO PRIMARY CARE PHYSICIANS, PHARMACISTS, PSYCHOLOGISTS, AND OTHER RESEARCHERS. **ALLERGY AND SLEEP** BEGINS WITH A THOROUGH GROUNDING ON THE SCIENCE OF SLEEP, ALLERGY, IMMUNOLOGY, CIRCADIAN RHYTHMS AND CIRCADIAN IMMUNOLOGY. PART II ADDRESSES ASSESSMENT AND TREATMENT OF COMMON ALLERGIC DISEASES WITH COMORBID SLEEP COMPONENTS, IN A PRACTICAL, EASY-TO-USE CASE-BASED FORMAT. LATER SECTIONS CLOSELY EXAMINE SLEEP-RELATED DISTURBANCES COMMONLY ASSOCIATED WITH ASTHMA, ALLERGIC RHINITIS, AND ATOPIC DISEASE; PROVIDING TREATMENT GUIDELINES, AND DETAIL VARIOUS APPROACHES TO MANAGEMENT THROUGHOUT THE PATIENT'S LIFESPAN. THIS RESOURCE CONCLUDES WITH A REVIEW OF DISEASE, SLEEP AND CIRCADIAN-SPECIFIC THERAPEUTICS. WRITTEN BY EXPERTS IN THEIR RESPECTIVE FIELDS, **ALLERGY AND SLEEP: BASIC PRINCIPLES AND CLINICAL PRACTICE** IS AN IDEAL RESOURCE AND IMPORTANT REFERENCE FOR ANY CLINICIAN WORKING WITH PATIENTS SUFFERING FROM SLEEP-RELATED ABNORMALITIES DUE TO ALLERGIC DISORDERS.

**CLINICAL ASTHMA** JONATHAN BERNSTEIN 2014-02-06 ENORMOUS PROGRESS IN ASTHMA RESEARCH HAS BEEN MADE IN THE PAST 50 YEARS, INCLUDING A GREATER UNDERSTANDING OF ITS COMPLEX PATHOGENESIS AND NEW AND MORE EFFECTIVE THERAPIES.

CONSEQUENTLY, THE SCIENTIFIC LITERATURE HAS GROWN VAST AND CAN BE DIFFICULT TO INTEGRATE. WITH CONTRIBUTIONS FROM A DISTINGUISHED PANEL OF WORLD-RENOUNDED AUTHORS, **CLINICAL ASTHMA**

**PHARMACOTHERAPEUTICS IN MEDICAL DISORDERS** DONALD E. GREYDANUS 2012-04-02 PRIMARY CARE CLINICIANS ARE CALLED ON TO CARE FOR ADOLESCENTS IN A TIME WITH INCREASING PHARMACOLOGIC AGENTS THAT ARE AVAILABLE IN THE MANAGEMENT OF THESE PATIENTS. THE EMPHASIS IN THIS BOOK IS ON THE CURRENT PHARMACOLOGIC TREATMENT OF COMMON MEDICAL DISORDERS IN ADOLESCENTS. SELECTED TOPICS OF PRACTICAL RELEVANCE IN ADOLESCENT MEDICINE ARE COVERED. THE GOAL OF THIS BOOK IS TO PROVIDE A SUCCINCT AND PRACTICAL GUIDE SPECIFICALLY WRITTEN FOR PRACTICING PHYSICIANS AND ALLIED HEALTH PROFESSIONALS WHO WORK WITH ADOLESCENTS.

**ASTHMA** MARGARET V. CLARK 2010-07-07 ASTHMA: A CLINICIAN'S GUIDE INCORPORATES THE NEW NATIONAL HEART LUNG AND BLOOD INSTITUTE'S 2007 GUIDELINES FOR THE DIAGNOSIS AND MANAGEMENT OF ASTHMA (EPR-3) AND EMPHASIZES THE IMPORTANCE OF ASTHMA CONTROL THAT HAS COME TO THE FOREFRONT OF ASTHMA MANAGEMENT. THIS VITAL TEXT DISCUSSES THE CURRENT DATA ON GENETICS AND STRATEGIES TO OVERCOME TREATMENT DISPARITIES. WITH CONCISE, EVIDENCE-BASED INFORMATION IN AN EASILY ACCESSIBLE FORMAT, THIS BOOK PROVIDES RESPIRATORY AND PULMONARY MEDICINE STUDENTS WITH A FUNDAMENTAL RESOURCE TO BETTER UNDERSTAND ASTHMA AND MANAGE APPROPRIATE TREATMENT FOR VARIOUS PATIENT POPULATIONS. • EACH CHAPTER INCLUDES AN OUTLINE, OBJECTIVES, AND KEY TERMS WITH DEFINITIONS • APPENDICES INCLUDE TRAVEL CHARTS AND SCHOOL PLANS • GUIDELINE-BASED STEP MANAGEMENT ALGORITHMS PROVIDED FOR EACH AGE GROUP • PEAK FLOW CHARTS AND INSTRUCTION GUIDES ARE INCLUDED • FORMS/TEMPLATES PROVIDED FOR REPRODUCTION THIS USER-FRIENDLY TEXT IS AN ESSENTIAL REFERENCE FOR STUDENTS AND CLINICIANS ALIKE!

**LEWIS'S MEDICAL SURGICAL NURSING** DIANE BROWN 2013-01-31 A FULLY-REVISED NEW EDITION OF AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND'S MOST HIGHLY ESTEEMED MEDICAL-SURGICAL NURSING TEXT. THE THOROUGHLY REVISED THIRD EDITION OF LEWIS'S MEDICAL-SURGICAL NURSING BUILDS ON THE RESPECTED QUALITY CONTENT OF ITS PREVIOUS EDITIONS. AUTHORED BY DI BROWN AND HELEN EDWARDS WITH CONTRIBUTIONS FROM AN IMPRESSIVE PEDIGREE OF LEADING ACADEMICS AND CLINICAL EXPERTS, THIS LATEST EDITION CEMENTS LEWIS'S POSITION AS THE REGION'S PREMIER MEDICAL-SURGICAL NURSING TEXTBOOK. FULLY UPDATED, THIS HARDBACK NURSING TEXT REFLECTS RECENT CHANGES IN CLINICAL NURSING PRACTICE IN AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND. ITS LOCAL FOCUS IS STRENGTHENED BY UP-TO-DATE RESEARCH, DATA, POLICIES, PROCEDURES AND GUIDELINES WITH AN EMPHASIS ON CURRENT ISSUES. ALL TEXT IN LEWIS'S MEDICAL-SURGICAL NURSING IS UNDERPINNED BY EVIDENCE-BASED PRACTICE WITH AN EMPHASIS ON THE PATHOPHYSIOLOGICAL MECHANISMS OF DISEASE. LEWIS'S MEDICAL-SURGICAL NURSING 3E PROVIDES NURSES IN AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND WITH CLEAR AND CONCISE GUIDANCE ON THE ASSESSMENT AND MANAGEMENT OF CONDITIONS. THE CONTENT IS ARRANGED BY BODY SYSTEMS AND ADDRESSES MYRIAD CONDITIONS RELEVANT TO MEDICAL-SURGICAL NURSING, INCLUDING RESPIRATORY PROBLEMS, CARDIOVASCULAR DISEASE, CANCER, GASTROINTESTINAL PROBLEMS, RENAL AND UROLOGICAL PROBLEMS, REPRODUCTIVE PROBLEMS, MOVEMENT AND COORDINATION AND EMERGENCY CARE. LEWIS'S MEDICAL-SURGICAL NURSING 3E BY BROWN AND EDWARDS IS ACCOMPANIED BY AN IMPRESSIVE SUITE OF RESOURCES FOR INSTRUCTORS AND STUDENTS INCLUDING A TEST BANK, IMAGE BANKS AND POWERPOINT SLIDES AVAILABLE ON ELSEVIER'S EVOLVE WEBSITE. ALSO AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE SEPARATELY ARE COMPANION PUBLICATIONS SIMULATION LEARNING SYSTEM FOR LEWIS'S MEDICAL-SURGICAL NURSING (9780729541060 AU \$89.95) ANZ ADAPTATION BY KAREN WOTTON & MARK NEILL AND CLINICAL COMPANION FOR MEDICAL-SURGICAL NURSING 2e (9780729539968 AU \$49.95) BY GAYLE MCKENZIE AND TANYA PORTER TOGETHER FORM A HIGHLY COMPREHENSIVE LEARNING PACKAGE. • LEARNING OBJECTIVES • KEY TERMS • EACH SECTION IS ORGANISED INTO TWO THEMES: ASSESSMENT AND MANAGEMENT • ASSESSMENT CHAPTERS FOCUS ON THE BODY SYSTEMS; OUTLINING ANATOMY AND PHYSIOLOGY, HEALTH HISTORY AND PHYSICAL ASSESSMENT SKILLS • MANAGEMENT CHAPTERS FOCUS ON PATHOPHYSIOLOGY, CLINICAL MANIFESTATIONS, COLLABORATIVE CARE AND NURSING MANAGEMENT OF DISEASE AND DISORDERS • FEATURES BOXES INCLUDE: o NURSING RESEARCH o EVIDENCE BASED PRACTICE o CLINICAL PRACTICE o HEALTH PROMOTION o COMPLEMENTARY AND ALTERNATIVE THERAPIES o HEALTH DISPARITIES • TABLES FEATURING THE MOST UP-TO-DATE DATA FOR ANZ • BOXED INFORMATION ACROSS A RANGE OF NURSING CARE ISSUES • NURSING CARE PLANS • CASE STUDIES ACCOMPANIED BY CRITICAL THINKING QUESTIONS • MULTIPLE CHOICE REVIEW QUESTIONS AT THE END OF EACH CHAPTER • EXTENSIVE REFERENCES AND ONLINE RESOURCES LISTED AT THE END OF EACH CHAPTER FOR FURTHER RESEARCH • EVOLVE AND RESOURCES

**MIDDLETON'S ALLERGY ESSENTIALS E-BOOK** ROBYN E. O'HEHIR 2015-12-09 FOR DECADES, HEALTH CARE PRACTITIONERS HAVE RELIED ON MIDDLETON'S ALLERGY AS THEIR GO-TO REFERENCE FOR COMPREHENSIVE INFORMATION ON ALLERGIC DISORDERS. NOW MIDDLETON'S ALLERGY ESSENTIALS, BY DRs. ROBYN E. O'HEHIR, STEPHEN T. HOLGATE, AND AZIZ SHEIKH, OFFERS A CONCISE RESOURCE THAT'S BOTH EASILY ACCESSIBLE AND HIGHLY AUTHORITATIVE. PERFECT FOR CLINICIANS IN PRIMARY AND SECONDARY CARE SETTINGS, THIS PRACTICAL VOLUME COVERS WHAT IS MOST USEFUL IN YOUR DAILY PRACTICE, WITH A STRONG EMPHASIS ON DISEASE DIAGNOSIS AND MANAGEMENT. A PRACTICAL APPROACH TO EVALUATION, DIFFERENTIAL DIAGNOSIS, AND TREATMENT OF ALLERGIC DISORDERS, FOCUSED SPECIFICALLY ON WHAT THE NON-SPECIALIST NEEDS TO KNOW FOR EVERYDAY PRACTICE. EACH CHAPTER BEGINS WITH A HANDY SUMMARY OF KEY CONCEPTS TO HELP YOU QUICKLY IDENTIFY IMPORTANT INFORMATION. COVERAGE OF TODAY'S HOT TOPICS INCLUDES ASTHMA, DRUG ALLERGIES, FOOD ALLERGIES AND GASTROINTESTINAL DISORDERS, ANAPHYLAXIS, ATOPIC DERMATITIS, AND ALLERGIC CONTACT DERMATITIS. CONCISE SECTIONS ON MECHANISMS ARE INCLUDED WHERE RELEVANT, KEEPING YOU UP TO DATE WITH THIS RAPIDLY EVOLVING FIELD. AUTHORED BY THE SAME INTERNATIONALLY RECOGNIZED EXPERTS THAT PRODUCE MIDDLETON'S ALLERGY, THE DEFINITIVE TEXT IN THE FIELD. IDEAL FOR PHYSICIANS, RESIDENTS, GENERAL AND FAMILY PRACTITIONERS, NURSE PRACTITIONERS, PRIMARY CARE DOCTORS, HOSPITALISTS, GENERAL INTERNISTS – ANYONE WHO IS CALLED UPON TO MAKE EFFECTIVE DIAGNOSTIC AND TREATMENT DECISIONS REGARDING ALLERGIC DISORDERS.

**WHO GUIDELINES FOR INDOOR AIR QUALITY** WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION 2010 THIS BOOK PRESENTS WHO GUIDELINES FOR THE PROTECTION OF PUBLIC HEALTH FROM RISKS DUE TO A NUMBER OF CHEMICALS COMMONLY PRESENT IN INDOOR AIR. THE SUBSTANCES CONSIDERED IN THIS REVIEW, I.E. BENZENE, CARBON MONOXIDE, FORMALDEHYDE, NAPHTHALENE, NITROGEN DIOXIDE, POLYCYCLIC AROMATIC HYDROCARBONS (ESPECIALLY BENZO[A]PYRENE), RADON, TRICHLOROETHYLENE AND TETRACHLOROETHYLENE, HAVE INDOOR SOURCES, ARE KNOWN IN RESPECT OF THEIR HAZARDOUSNESS TO HEALTH AND ARE OFTEN FOUND INDOORS IN CONCENTRATIONS OF HEALTH CONCERN. THE GUIDELINES ARE TARGETED AT PUBLIC HEALTH PROFESSIONALS INVOLVED IN PREVENTING HEALTH RISKS OF ENVIRONMENTAL EXPOSURES,

AS WELL AS SPECIALISTS AND AUTHORITIES INVOLVED IN THE DESIGN AND USE OF BUILDINGS, INDOOR MATERIALS AND PRODUCTS. THEY PROVIDE A SCIENTIFIC BASIS FOR LEGALLY ENFORCEABLE STANDARDS.

**DIFFICULT AND SEVERE ASTHMA IN CHILDREN** ANDREW BUSH 2019-09-23 GLOBALLY, SEVERE ASTHMA IS DEFINED BY THE WHO AS EITHER (A) UNTREATED SEVERE ASTHMA; (B) DIFFICULT-TO-TREAT SEVERE ASTHMA; AND (C) TREATMENT-RESISTANT SEVERE ASTHMA. UNTREATED SEVERE ASTHMA IS A POLITICAL PROBLEM: THE CHILDREN DO NOT HAVE ACCESS TO THE BASIC TOOLS FOR ASTHMA MANAGEMENT, AND WHEN THIS IS CORRECTED, ASTHMA OUTCOMES ARE TRANSFORMED. THE PROBLEM IN DIFFICULT-TO-TREAT SEVERE ASTHMA IS NOT THE AIRWAY DISEASE, BUT CO-MORBIDITIES AND BEHAVIORAL FACTORS. THIS IS THE GROUP IN WHICH THERE ARE MOST ASTHMA DEATHS, UNDERSCORING THAT SEVERE ASTHMA CANNOT BE SOLELY DEFINED BY LEVELS OF PRESCRIBED THERAPY. TREATMENT-RESISTANT SEVERE ASTHMA IS RARE AND CHALLENGING, AND THE PROBLEM IS THE AIRWAY PATHOLOGY. THESE CHILDREN REQUIRE NEW AND INNOVATIVE THERAPIES.

**ADVANCES IN IMMEDIATE HYPERSENSITIVITY RESEARCH AND TREATMENT: 2011 EDITION** 2012-02-14 ADVANCES IN IMMEDIATE HYPERSENSITIVITY RESEARCH AND TREATMENT: 2011 EDITION IS A SCHOLARLY EDITIONS eBook THAT DELIVERS TIMELY, AUTHORITATIVE, AND COMPREHENSIVE INFORMATION ABOUT IMMEDIATE HYPERSENSITIVITY. THE EDITORS HAVE BUILT ADVANCES IN IMMEDIATE HYPERSENSITIVITY RESEARCH AND TREATMENT: 2011 EDITION ON THE VAST INFORMATION DATABASES OF SCHOLARLYNEWS. You can expect the information about IMMEDIATE HYPERSENSITIVITY IN THIS eBook TO BE DEEPER THAN WHAT YOU CAN ACCESS ANYWHERE ELSE, AS WELL AS CONSISTENTLY RELIABLE, AUTHORITATIVE, INFORMED, AND RELEVANT. THE CONTENT OF ADVANCES IN IMMEDIATE HYPERSENSITIVITY RESEARCH AND TREATMENT: 2011 EDITION HAS BEEN PRODUCED BY THE WORLD'S LEADING SCIENTISTS, ENGINEERS, ANALYSTS, RESEARCH INSTITUTIONS, AND COMPANIES. ALL OF THE CONTENT IS FROM PEER-REVIEWED SOURCES, AND ALL OF IT IS WRITTEN, ASSEMBLED, AND EDITED BY THE EDITORS AT SCHOLARLY EDITIONS and AVAILABLE EXCLUSIVELY FROM US. YOU NOW HAVE A SOURCE YOU CAN CITE WITH AUTHORITY, CONFIDENCE, AND CREDIBILITY. MORE INFORMATION IS AVAILABLE AT [HTTP://WWW.SCHOLARLYEDITIONS.COM/](http://www.ScholarlyEditions.com/).

**ASTHMA, AN ISSUE OF NURSING CLINICS**, CATHY D. CATRAMBONE 2013-04-05 THIS ISSUE OF NURSING CLINICS, GUEST EDITED BY CATHY CATRAMBONE, PhD, RN, AT RUSH UNIVERSITY, FOCUSES ON ASTHMA. ARTICLE TOPICS WILL INCLUDE ASSESSMENT OF ASTHMA, PHARMACOTHERAPY, ASTHMA MANAGEMENT, ASTHMA ACTION PLANS, PEDIATRIC ASTHMA, AND ASTHMA AND OBESITY.

**ASTHMA IN CHILDREN AND ADULTS – WHAT ARE THE DIFFERENCES AND WHAT CAN THEY TELL US ABOUT ASTHMA?** STEVE TURNER 2020-05-15

**MEDICAL-SURGICAL NURSING - E-BOOK** DONNA D. IGNATAVICIUS 2015-01-30 USING A UNIQUE COLLABORATIVE CARE APPROACH TO ADULT HEALTH NURSING, MEDICAL-SURGICAL NURSING: PATIENT-CENTERED COLLABORATIVE CARE, 8TH EDITION COVERS THE ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE YOU NEED TO SUCCEED AT THE RN LEVEL OF PRACTICE. EASY-TO-READ CONTENT INCLUDES EVIDENCE-BASED TREATMENT GUIDELINES, AN ENHANCED FOCUS ON QSEN COMPETENCIES, AND AN EMPHASIS ON DEVELOPING CLINICAL JUDGMENT SKILLS. THIS EDITION CONTINUES THE BOOK'S TRENDSETTING TRADITION WITH INCREASED LGBTQ CONTENT AND A NEW CARE OF TRANSGENDER PATIENTS CHAPTER. WRITTEN BY NURSING EDUCATION EXPERTS DONNA IGNATAVICIUS AND M. LINDA WORKMAN, THIS BESTSELLING TEXT ALSO FEATURES NCLEX® EXAM-STYLE CHALLENGE QUESTIONS TO PREPARE YOU FOR SUCCESS ON THE NCLEX EXAM. CUTTING-EDGE COVERAGE OF THE LATEST TRENDS IN NURSING PRACTICE AND NURSING EDUCATION PREPARES YOU NOT JUST FOR TODAY'S NURSING PRACTICE BUT ALSO FOR TOMORROW'S. UNIQUE! COLLABORATIVE CARE APPROACH ORGANIZES ALL MEDICAL, SURGICAL, NURSING, AND OTHER INTERVENTIONS WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF THE NURSING PROCESS, MIRRORING THE NURSE'S ROLE IN THE COORDINATION/MANAGEMENT OF CARE IN THE REAL WORLD OF MEDICAL-SURGICAL NURSING. UNIQUE! A FOCUS ON NURSING CONCEPTS RELATES CONCEPTS LEARNED IN NURSING FUNDAMENTALS WITH THE DISORDERS YOU WILL STUDY IN MEDICAL-SURGICAL NURSING. EASY TO READ, DIRECT-ADDRESS WRITING STYLE MAKES THIS ONE OF THE MOST READABLE MEDICAL-SURGICAL NURSING TEXTBOOKS AVAILABLE. UNIQUE! A FOCUS ON QSEN EMPHASIZES PATIENT SAFETY AND EVIDENCE-BASED PRACTICE WITH NURSING SAFETY PRIORITY BOXES INCLUDING DRUG ALERTS, CRITICAL RESCUES, AND ACTION ALERTS. UNIQUE! EMPHASIS ON CLINICAL JUDGMENT TEACHES YOU TO DEVELOP SKILLS IN CLINICAL REASONING AND CLINICAL DECISION-MAKING WHEN APPLYING CONCEPTS TO CLINICAL SITUATIONS, WITH CLINICAL JUDGMENT CHALLENGE QUESTIONS THROUGHOUT THE CHAPTERS. AN EMPHASIS ON PRIORITIZATION STRESSES THE MOST IMPORTANT PATIENT PROBLEMS AND NURSING INTERVENTIONS, WITH PATIENT PROBLEMS PRESENTED IN A SINGLE PRIORITIZED LIST OF NURSING DIAGNOSES AND COLLABORATIVE PROBLEMS. UNIQUE! NCLEX PREPARATION TOOLS INCLUDE CHAPTER-OPENING LEARNING OUTCOMES AND CHAPTER-ENDING GET READY FOR THE NCLEX EXAMINATION! SECTIONS ORGANIZED BY NCLEX® CLIENT NEEDS CATEGORIES, PLUS NCLEX EXAMINATION CHALLENGE QUESTIONS, WITH AN ANSWER KEY IN THE BACK OF THE BOOK AND ON THE EVOLVE COMPANION WEBSITE. PRACTICAL LEARNING AIDS INCLUDE NCLEX EXAMINATION CHALLENGES, CLINICAL JUDGMENT CHALLENGES, BEST PRACTICE FOR PATIENT SAFETY & QUALITY CARE CHARTS, COMMON EXAMPLES OF DRUG THERAPY, CONCEPT MAPS, LABORATORY PROFILES, AND MORE. A CLEAR ALIGNMENT WITH THE LANGUAGE OF CLINICAL PRACTICE REFLECTS THE REAL WORLD OF NURSING PRACTICE WITH NANDA DIAGNOSTIC LABELS WHERE THEY MAKE SENSE, AND NON-NANDA DIAGNOSTIC LABELS WHEN THESE ARE MORE COMMON DESCRIPTIONS OF PATIENT PROBLEMS. STUDENT RESOURCES ON AN EVOLVE COMPANION WEBSITE HELP YOU PREPARE FOR CLASS, CLINICALS, OR LAB WITH VIDEO AND AUDIO CLIPS, ANIMATIONS, CASE STUDIES, A CONCEPT MAP CREATOR, NCLEX EXAM-STYLE REVIEW QUESTIONS, AND MORE. UNIQUE! CONCENTRATION ON ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE FOR THE RN LEVEL OF MEDICAL-SURGICAL NURSING PRACTICE FOCUSES YOUR ATTENTION ON NEED-TO-KNOW CONTENT TO PASS THE NCLEX EXAMINATION AND PRACTICE SAFETY AS A BEGINNING NURSE.

**ABC OF ASTHMA** JOHN REES 1989

**INITIAL MANAGEMENT OF ACUTE MEDICAL PATIENTS** IAN WOOD 2012-04-23 INITIAL MANAGEMENT OF ACUTE MEDICAL PATIENTS IS A CLINICALLY FOCUSED, PRACTICAL AND CONTEMPORARY GUIDE FOR ASSESSING AND MANAGING PATIENTS WITH ACUTE MEDICAL CONDITIONS. SUITABLE FOR ALL NURSES AND HEALTHCARE PRACTITIONERS IN MEDICAL ASSESSMENT UNITS AND MEDICAL WARDS, AS WELL AS A&E STAFF, IT USES A STRUCTURED APPROACH BASED ON COMMON PRESENTING FEATURES AND FOCUSES ON THE FIRST 24 HOURS OF THE PATIENT'S HOSPITAL STAY. IT DRAWS ON A WIDE RANGE OF SUPPORTING EVIDENCE AND ALSO PROVIDES SOURCES FOR FURTHER READING. KEY FEATURES: WRITTEN PREDOMINANTLY BY NURSES FOR NURSES, THIS TEXT IS ALSO SUITABLE FOR A RANGE OF HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONALS, INCLUDING PARAMEDICS AND NURSE PRACTITIONERS, AND ANYBODY WORKING IN AN ACUTE CARE ENVIRONMENT, INCLUDING PRIMARY CARE ASSESSMENT UNITS, CLINICAL DECISION UNITS AND INTERMEDIATE CARE DESIGNED AS A QUICK REFERENCE TEXT FOR USE IN CLINICAL PRACTICE EXTENSIVELY REFERENCED THROUGHOUT, THUS INCREASING ITS APPEAL TO PRACTITIONERS AT ALL STAGES OF THEIR CAREERS AND TO THOSE WHO ARE UNDERTAKING FURTHER STUDY DEVOTES TWO ENTIRE CHAPTERS TO ASSESSING AND MEETING THE ACUTE CARE NEEDS OF VULNERABLE ADULTS (I.E. OLDER ADULTS, THOSE WITH MENTAL HEALTH NEEDS, AND THOSE WITH LEARNING DISABILITIES), AND DISCUSSING BEST PRACTICE IN DEALING WITH SUDDEN DEATH EACH CHAPTER OFFERS CLEAR, CONCISE AND DOWN-TO-EARTH INFORMATION BASED ON A COMMON PRESENTING SYMPTOM AND PROVIDES PRACTICAL ADVICE, SUPPORTED BY BEST EVIDENCE AND THE MOST UP TO DATE CLINICAL GUIDELINES FULLY UPDATED AND EXTENSIVELY EXPANDED TO INCLUDE RECENT GUIDELINES AND PROCEDURES

**DIFFICULT ASTHMA** HOMER A BOUSHEY 1999-03-29 THIS BOOK WILL REDRESS THE BALANCE BETWEEN KNOWLEDGE CONCERNING UNDERLYING MECHANISMS AND THE SUBSEQUENT CONSEQUENCES OF THE MORE SEVERE END OF THE DISEASE SPECTRUM OF ASTHMA.

**THE IMMORTAL LIFE OF HENRIETTA LACKS** REBECCA SKLOOT 2010-02-02 #1 NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLER • “THE STORY OF MODERN MEDICINE AND BIOETHICS—AND, INDEED, RACE RELATIONS—IS REFRACTED BEAUTIFULLY, AND MOVINGLY.”—ENTERTAINMENT WEEKLY NOW A MAJOR MOTION PICTURE FROM HBO® STARRING OPRAH WINFREY AND ROSE BYRNE • ONE OF THE “MOST INFLUENTIAL” (CNN), “DEFINING” (LITHUB), AND “BEST” (THE PHILADELPHIA INQUIRER) BOOKS OF THE DECADE • ONE OF ESSENCE'S 50 MOST IMPACTFUL BLACK BOOKS OF THE PAST 50 YEARS • WINNER OF THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE HEARTLAND PRIZE FOR NONFICTION NAMED ONE OF THE BEST BOOKS OF THE YEAR BY THE NEW YORK TIMES BOOK REVIEW • ENTERTAINMENT WEEKLY • O: THE OPRAH MAGAZINE • NPR • FINANCIAL TIMES • NEW YORK • INDEPENDENT (U.K.) • TIMES (U.K.) • PUBLISHERS WEEKLY • LIBRARY JOURNAL • KIRKUS REVIEWS • BOOKLIST • GLOBE AND MAIL HER NAME WAS HENRIETTA LACKS, BUT SCIENTISTS KNOW HER AS HÉLA. SHE WAS A POOR SOUTHERN TOBACCO FARMER WHO WORKED THE SAME LAND AS HER SLAVE ANCESTORS, YET HER CELLS—TAKEN WITHOUT HER KNOWLEDGE—BECAME ONE OF THE MOST IMPORTANT TOOLS IN MEDICINE: THE FIRST “IMMORTAL” HUMAN CELLS GROWN IN CULTURE, WHICH ARE STILL ALIVE TODAY, THOUGH SHE HAS BEEN DEAD FOR MORE THAN SIXTY YEARS. HÉLA CELLS WERE VITAL FOR DEVELOPING THE POLIO VACCINE; UNCOVERED SECRETS OF CANCER, VIRUSES, AND THE ATOM BOMB'S EFFECTS; HELPED LEAD TO IMPORTANT ADVANCES LIKE IN VITRO FERTILIZATION, CLONING, AND GENE MAPPING; AND HAVE BEEN BOUGHT AND SOLD BY THE BILLIONS. YET HENRIETTA LACKS REMAINS VIRTUALLY UNKNOWN, BURIED IN AN UNMARKED GRAVE. HENRIETTA'S FAMILY DID NOT LEARN OF HER “IMMORTALITY” UNTIL MORE THAN TWENTY YEARS AFTER HER DEATH, WHEN SCIENTISTS INVESTIGATING HÉLA BEGAN USING HER HUSBAND AND CHILDREN IN RESEARCH WITHOUT INFORMED CONSENT. AND THOUGH THE CELLS HAD LAUNCHED A MULTIMILLION-DOLLAR INDUSTRY THAT SELLS HUMAN BIOLOGICAL MATERIALS, HER FAMILY NEVER SAW ANY OF THE PROFITS. AS REBECCA SKLOOT SO BRILLIANTLY SHOWS, THE STORY OF THE LACKS FAMILY—PAST AND PRESENT—IS INEXTRICABLY CONNECTED TO THE DARK HISTORY OF EXPERIMENTATION ON AFRICAN AMERICANS, THE BIRTH OF BIOETHICS, AND THE LEGAL BATTLES OVER WHETHER WE CONTROL THE STUFF WE ARE MADE OF. OVER THE DECADE IT TOOK TO UNCOVER THIS STORY, REBECCA BECAME ENMESHED IN THE LIVES OF THE LACKS FAMILY—ESPECIALLY HENRIETTA'S DAUGHTER DEBORAH. DEBORAH WAS CONSUMED WITH QUESTIONS: HAD SCIENTISTS CLONED HER MOTHER? HAD THEY KILLED HER TO HARVEST HER CELLS? AND IF HER MOTHER WAS SO IMPORTANT TO MEDICINE, WHY COULDN'T HER CHILDREN AFFORD HEALTH INSURANCE? INTIMATE IN FEELING, ASTONISHING IN SCOPE, AND IMPOSSIBLE TO PUT DOWN, THE IMMORTAL LIFE OF HENRIETTA LACKS CAPTURES THE BEAUTY AND DRAMA OF SCIENTIFIC DISCOVERY, AS WELL AS ITS HUMAN CONSEQUENCES.

**CLINICAL PRACTICE GUIDELINES We Can Trust** INSTITUTE OF MEDICINE 2011-06-16 ADVANCES IN MEDICAL, BIOMEDICAL AND HEALTH SERVICES RESEARCH HAVE REDUCED THE LEVEL OF UNCERTAINTY IN CLINICAL PRACTICE. CLINICAL PRACTICE GUIDELINES (CPGs) COMPLEMENT THIS PROGRESS BY ESTABLISHING STANDARDS OF CARE BACKED BY STRONG SCIENTIFIC EVIDENCE. CPGs ARE STATEMENTS THAT INCLUDE RECOMMENDATIONS INTENDED TO OPTIMIZE PATIENT CARE. THESE STATEMENTS ARE INFORMED BY A SYSTEMATIC REVIEW OF EVIDENCE AND AN ASSESSMENT OF THE BENEFITS AND COSTS OF ALTERNATIVE CARE OPTIONS. CLINICAL PRACTICE GUIDELINES We Can Trust EXAMINES THE CURRENT STATE OF CLINICAL PRACTICE GUIDELINES AND HOW THEY CAN BE IMPROVED TO ENHANCE HEALTHCARE QUALITY AND PATIENT OUTCOMES. CLINICAL PRACTICE GUIDELINES NOW ARE UBQUITOUS IN OUR HEALTHCARE SYSTEM. THE GUIDELINES INTERNATIONAL NETWORK (GIN) DATABASE CURRENTLY LISTS MORE THAN 3,700 GUIDELINES FROM 39 COUNTRIES. DEVELOPING GUIDELINES PRESENTS A NUMBER OF CHALLENGES INCLUDING LACK OF TRANSPARENT METHODOLOGICAL PRACTICES, DIFFICULTY RECONCILING CONFLICTING GUIDELINES, AND CONFLICTS OF INTEREST. CLINICAL PRACTICE GUIDELINES We Can Trust EXPLORES QUESTIONS SURROUNDING THE QUALITY OF CPG DEVELOPMENT PROCESSES AND THE ESTABLISHMENT OF STANDARDS. IT PROPOSES EIGHT STANDARDS FOR DEVELOPING TRUSTWORTHY CLINICAL PRACTICE GUIDELINES EMPHASIZING TRANSPARENCY; MANAGEMENT OF CONFLICT OF INTEREST ; SYSTEMATIC REVIEW--GUIDELINE DEVELOPMENT INTERSECTION; ESTABLISHING EVIDENCE FOUNDATIONS FOR AND RATING STRENGTH OF GUIDELINE RECOMMENDATIONS; ARTICULATION OF RECOMMENDATIONS; EXTERNAL REVIEW; AND UPDATING. CLINICAL

PRACTICE GUIDELINES WE CAN TRUST SHOWS HOW CLINICAL PRACTICE GUIDELINES CAN ENHANCE CLINICIAN AND PATIENT DECISION-MAKING BY TRANSLATING COMPLEX SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH FINDINGS INTO RECOMMENDATIONS FOR CLINICAL PRACTICE THAT ARE RELEVANT TO THE INDIVIDUAL PATIENT ENCOUNTER, INSTEAD OF IMPLEMENTING A ONE SIZE FITS ALL APPROACH TO PATIENT CARE. THIS BOOK CONTAINS INFORMATION DIRECTLY RELATED TO THE WORK OF THE AGENCY FOR HEALTHCARE RESEARCH AND QUALITY (AHRQ), AS WELL AS VARIOUS CONGRESSIONAL STAFF AND POLICYMAKERS. IT IS A VITAL RESOURCE FOR MEDICAL SPECIALTY SOCIETIES, DISEASE ADVOCACY GROUPS, HEALTH PROFESSIONALS, PRIVATE AND INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS THAT DEVELOP OR USE CLINICAL PRACTICE GUIDELINES, CONSUMERS, CLINICIANS, AND PAYERS.

**EVALUATION OF DOCTOR'S KNOWLEDGE, ATTITUDE, ADHERENCE TO CLINICAL PRACTICE GUIDELINE (GINA 2011) RECOMMENDATIONS AND COST ASSOCIATED WITH ASTHMA TREATMENT** RAJA AHSAN AFTAB 2014

**CHRONIC LUNG DISEASES** SHEIKH RAYEES 2020-07-20 CHRONIC LUNG DISEASES: PATHOPHYSIOLOGY AND THERAPEUTICS PROVIDES A MUCH-NEEDED REFERENCE TOOL FOR PATHOLOGISTS, PRACTICING PULMONOLOGISTS AND RESEARCHERS WHO ARE CURRENTLY WORKING ON LUNG RELATED DISEASES. EACH CHAPTER ADDRESSES A SPECIFIC LUNG DISEASE, WHICH IT INTRODUCES BEFORE TURNING TO THE DISEASE'S PATHOPHYSIOLOGY, CURRENT TREATMENT AND FUTURE PROSPECTS. VARIOUS KEY LUNG DISEASES ARE COVERED, INCLUDING CHRONIC OBSTRUCTIVE PULMONARY DISEASE, LUNG CANCER, TUBERCULOSIS, CHRONIC PNEUMONIA, ACUTE RESPIRATORY DISTRESS SYNDROME, ASTHMA, CYSTIC FIBROSIS AND PULMONARY HYPERTENSION. MEDICAL STUDENTS AND RESEARCHERS WHOSE WORK INVOLVES PULMONARY RELATED DISORDERS WILL FIND THIS WORK BOTH INSTRUCTIVE AND INFORMATIVE.

**BASIC PHARMACOLOGY FOR NURSES - E-BOOK** MICHELLE WILLIHNGANZ 2014-05-01 BASIC PHARMACOLOGY FOR NURSES IS A MODERN CLASSIC. KNOWN FOR ITS IMPECCABLY ACCURATE DRUG CONTENT AND PRACTICAL APPLICATIONS OF THE NURSING PROCESS, THIS TRUSTED TEXT CONSISTENTLY EMPHASIZES HEALTH PROMOTION THROUGH MONITORING AND PATIENT EDUCATION. INTRODUCTORY UNITS GROUND YOUR KNOWLEDGE IN THE BASIC PRINCIPLES OF PHARMACOLOGY AND MEDICATION ADMINISTRATION, WHILE SUBSEQUENT BODY-SYSTEM UNITS PREPARE YOU TO APPLY THE NURSING PROCESS TO EVERY MAJOR DISORDER. UNIQUE! TWO-TIERED APPLICATION OF THE NURSING PROCESS PROVIDES THE GENERAL PRINCIPLES OF CARE, ALONG WITH SPECIFIC NURSING IMPLICATIONS FOR EACH DRUG CLASS OR INDIVIDUAL DRUG. METICULOUSLY ACCURATE AND UPDATED DRUG CONTENT KEEPS THE BOOK IN STEP WITH THE LATEST FDA APPROVALS, WITHDRAWALS, AND CHANGES IN THERAPEUTIC USES. UNIQUE! INTRODUCTION TO CARDIOVASCULAR DISEASE AND METABOLIC SYNDROME SETS THE STAGE FOR AN UNDERSTANDING OF THE PROGRESSION OF CARDIOVASCULAR DISEASE AND THE PHARMACOLOGIC TREATMENT OF THAT PROGRESSION. UNIQUE! PATIENT TEACHING BOXES EQUIP YOU FOR HEALTH TEACHING RELATED TO MEDICATIONS. LPN THREADS DESIGN PRESENTS INFORMATION IN AN EASY TO UNDERSTAND AND VISUALLY ENGAGING MANNER. NEW! INCREASED EMPHASIS ON MEDICATION SAFETY PREPARES YOU FOR A CLINICAL ENVIRONMENT THAT IS MORE FOCUSED THAN EVER ON REDUCING DRUG ERRORS. NEW! UPDATED AND ADDED COVERAGE KEEPS YOU UP TO DATE WITH THE LATEST INFORMATION ON GENETICS, PHARMACOGENOMICS, AND RACIAL/GENDER FACTORS IN DRUG ACTIONS.

**DISORDERS OF AFFECT REGULATION** GRAEME J. TAYLOR 1999-10-07 A STIMULATING AND PRACTICAL REFERENCE OFFERING NEW PERSPECTIVES ON THE ROLE OF EMOTIONS IN MENTAL AND PHYSICAL HEALTH.

**SEVERE ASTHMA** KIAN FAN CHUNG 2019-06-01 SEVERE ASTHMA IS A FORM OF ASTHMA THAT RESPONDS POORLY TO CURRENTLY AVAILABLE MEDICATION, AND ITS PATIENTS REPRESENT THOSE WITH GREATEST UNMET NEEDS. IN THE LAST 10 YEARS, SUBSTANTIAL PROGRESS HAS BEEN MADE IN TERMS OF UNDERSTANDING SOME OF THE MECHANISMS THAT DRIVE SEVERE ASTHMA; THERE HAVE ALSO BEEN CONCOMITANT ADVANCES IN THE RECOGNITION OF SPECIFIC MOLECULAR PHENOTYPES. THIS ERS MONOGRAPH COVERS ALL ASPECTS OF SEVERE ASTHMA - EPIDEMIOLOGY, DIAGNOSIS, MECHANISMS, TREATMENT AND MANAGEMENT - BUT HAS A PARTICULAR FOCUS ON RECENT UNDERSTANDING OF MECHANISTIC HETEROGENEITY BASED ON AN ANALYTIC APPROACH USING VARIOUS 'OMICS PLATFORMS APPLIED TO CLINICALLY WELL-DEFINED ASTHMA COHORTS. HOW THESE ADVANCES HAVE LED TO IMPROVED MANAGEMENT TARGETS IS ALSO EMPHASISED. THIS BOOK BRINGS TOGETHER THE CLINICAL AND SCIENTIFIC EXPERTISE OF THOSE FROM AROUND THE WORLD WHO ARE COLLABORATING TO SOLVE THE PROBLEM OF SEVERE ASTHMA.

**HANDBOOK OF PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSESSMENT IN PRIMARY CARE SETTINGS** MARK E. MARUSH 2017-04-21 THE SECOND EDITION HANDBOOK OF PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSESSMENT IN PRIMARY CARE SETTINGS OFFERS AN OVERVIEW OF THE APPLICATION OF PSYCHOLOGICAL SCREENING AND ASSESSMENT INSTRUMENTS IN PRIMARY CARE SETTINGS. THIS INDISPENSABLE REFERENCE ADDRESSES CURRENT PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSESSMENT NEEDS AND PRACTICES IN PRIMARY CARE SETTINGS TO INFORM PSYCHOLOGISTS, BEHAVIORAL HEALTH CLINICIANS, AND PRIMARY CARE PROVIDERS THE CLINICAL BENEFITS THAT CAN RESULT FROM UTILIZING PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSESSMENT AND OTHER BEHAVIORAL HEALTH CARE SERVICES IN PRIMARY CARE SETTINGS.

**ASTHMA** CELSO PEREIRA 2016-07-06 THE CLINICAL SPECIFICITIES DEVELOPED IN THIS BOOK, PARTICULARLY FROM THOSE REPORTED IN THE PEDIATRIC POPULATION TO THOSE REPORTED IN COMPLEX SHAPES AT ACOS PATIENTS, EMPHASIZE THE IMPORTANCE OF IDENTIFYING NOT ONLY BIOMARKERS BUT ALSO CRITICAL ASPECTS REGARDING THE VARIABILITY IN PHARMACOGENOMICS RESPONSIBLE FOR THE INDIVIDUAL RESPONSE TO THE DIFFERENT DRUGS ON THE THERAPEUTIC PLAN. THE CONTRIBUTION OF SEVERAL WELL-KNOWN SPECIALISTS WITH THEIR PROFOUND KNOWLEDGE INHERENT TO THIS ISSUE INTO DIFFERENT AGE GROUPS AND SOCIO GEOGRAPHICAL CONTEXTS HAS RESULTED IN THIS INTERESTING BOOK WITH RELEVANT KEY CONTENTS IN ASTHMA.

**LEWIS'S MEDICAL-SURGICAL NURSING** DIANE BROWN 2017-03-25 PERFECT FOR: • UNDERGRADUATE NURSING STUDENTS • POSTGRADUATE SPECIALIST NURSING PATHWAYS (ADVANCED MEDICAL SURGICAL NURSING) • TAFE BACHELOR OF NURSING PROGRAM  
**LEWIS'S MEDICAL-SURGICAL NURSING: ASSESSMENT AND MANAGEMENT OF CLINICAL PROBLEMS, 4TH EDITION** IS THE MOST COMPREHENSIVE GO-TO REFERENCE FOR ESSENTIAL INFORMATION ABOUT ALL ASPECTS OF PROFESSIONAL NURSING CARE OF PATIENTS. USING THE NURSING PROCESS AS A FRAMEWORK FOR PRACTICE, THE FOURTH EDITION HAS BEEN EXTENSIVELY REVISED TO REFLECT THE RAPID CHANGING NATURE OF NURSING PRACTICE AND THE INCREASING FOCUS ON KEY NURSING CARE PRIORITIES. BUILDING ON THE STRENGTHS OF THE THIRD AUSTRALIAN AND NEW ZEALAND EDITION AND INCORPORATING RELEVANT GLOBAL NURSING RESEARCH AND PRACTICE FROM THE PROMINENT US TITLE MEDICAL-SURGICAL NURSING, 9TH EDITION, LEWIS'S MEDICAL-SURGICAL NURSING, 4TH EDITION IS AN ESSENTIAL RESOURCE FOR STUDENTS SEEKING TO UNDERSTAND THE ROLE OF THE PROFESSIONAL NURSE IN THE CONTEMPORARY HEALTH ENVIRONMENT. 49 EXPERT CONTRIBUTORS FROM AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND CURRENT RESEARCH DATA AND AUSTRALIAN AND NEW ZEALAND STATISTICS FOCUS ON EVIDENCE-BASED PRACTICE REVIEW QUESTIONS AND CLINICAL REASONING EXERCISES EVOLVE RESOURCES FOR INSTRUCTOR AND STUDENT, INCLUDING QUICK QUIZ'S, TEST BANKS, REVIEW QUESTIONS, IMAGE GALLERY AND VIDEOS. • CHAPTER ON CURRENT NATIONAL PATIENT SAFETY AND CLINICAL REASONING • OVER 80 NEW AND REVISED CASE STUDIES • CHAPTER ON RURAL AND REMOTE AREA NURSING • FULLY REVISED CHAPTER ON CHRONIC ILLNESS AND COMPLEX CARE • CHAPTER ON PATIENT SAFETY AND CLINICAL REASONING • GREATER EMPHASIS ON CONTEMPORARY HEALTH ISSUES, SUCH AS OBESITY AND EMERGENCY AND DISASTER NURSING • AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND SOCIOCULTURAL FOCUS

**CHILDHOOD ASTHMA** STANLEY J SZEFLER 2005-09-26 THIS REFERENCE COLLECTS THE LATEST STUDIES ON THE DEVELOPMENT, DIAGNOSIS, AND TREATMENT OF CHILDHOOD ASTHMA AND OFFERS CURRENT PERSPECTIVES ON NEW TECHNOLOGIES THAT WILL SHAPE THE MANAGEMENT OF PEDIATRIC ASTHMA IN THE FORTHCOMING DECADE-ILLUSTRATING HOW ADVANCES IN PULMONARY FUNCTION MEASUREMENT, INFLAMMATORY MARKERS, IMAGING, AND PHARMACOGENETICS WILL ENHANCE THE DIAGNOSIS AND MONITORING OF ASTHMA IN YEARS TO COME.

**LIPPINCOTT MANUAL OF NURSING PRACTICE** SANDRA M. NETTINA 2013-05-13 A CLASSIC TEXT SINCE IT WAS FIRST PUBLISHED IN 1974, THE LIPPINCOTT MANUAL FOR NURSING PRACTICE (LMNP) HAS PROVIDED ESSENTIAL NURSING KNOWLEDGE AND UP-TO-DATE INFORMATION ON PATIENT CARE FOR NEARLY 40 YEARS. NOW IN ITS 10TH EDITION, THIS FULL-COLOR TEXT CONTINUES TO SERVE AS THE MOST COMPREHENSIVE REFERENCE FOR PRACTICING NURSES AND NURSING STUDENTS WORLDWIDE. OFTEN REFERRED AS THE 'LIPPINCOTT MANUAL' OR SIMPLY THE 'LIPPINCOTT', THE LMNP IS WIDELY USED AS A PROCEDURE MANUAL FOR MANY HEALTHCARE INSTITUTIONS (CONTAINS 157 NURSING PROCEDURE GUIDELINES). IT IS ALSO WIDELY REGARDED AS THE GOLD STANDARD FOR NURSING PRACTICE IN THE CLASSROOM. ORGANIZED INTO FIVE MAJOR PARTS, LMNP PRESENTS A COMPREHENSIVE REFERENCE FOR ALL TYPES OF CORE NURSING CARE. PART 1: NURSING PROCESS & PRACTICE; PART 2: MEDICAL-SURGICAL NURSING; PART 3: MATERNITY & NEONATAL NURSING; PART 4: PEDIATRIC NURSING; PART 5: PSYCHIATRIC NURSING. CONTENT IS EVIDENCE-BASED WITH SUPPORTING ARTICLES HIGHLIGHTED IN ACTUAL ENTRIES AND PROCEDURE GUIDELINES. OFFICIAL GUIDELINES THAT SHAPE PRACTICE ARE INCORPORATED IN TO THE CONTENT AND INCLUDE THOSE FROM THE NATIONAL INSTITUTES OF HEALTH, AMERICAN DIABETES ASSOCIATION, AMERICAN HEART ASSOCIATION, AMERICAN NURSES ASSOCIATION, JOINT COMMISSION, AWHONN, AND OTHERS. A COMPANION WEBSITE INCLUDES FULL TEXT, AN IMAGE BANK, AND DRUG-RELATED NCLEX®-STYLE QUESTIONS, FDA UPDATES, AND NEW CLINICAL STUDIES.

**PHARMACOLOGY FOR THE PRIMARY CARE PROVIDER - E-BOOK** MARILYN WINTERTON EDMUNDS 2013-04-17 WRITTEN BY AND FOR NURSE PRACTITIONERS, AND ALSO SUITABLE FOR PHYSICIAN'S ASSISTANTS, PHARMACOLOGY FOR THE PRIMARY CARE PROVIDER, 4TH EDITION FOCUSES ON WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW TO SAFELY AND EFFECTIVELY PRESCRIBE DRUGS FOR PRIMARY CARE. AN EMPHASIS ON PATIENT TEACHING HELPS YOU GAIN PATIENT ADHERENCE TO PRESCRIBED DRUG REGIMENS, AND GUIDELINES FOR HEALTH PROMOTION HELP IN MAINTAINING AND IMPROVING YOUR PATIENTS' HEALTH. NOW IN FULL COLOR, THIS EDITION EXPANDS THE BOOK'S EMPHASIS ON THE QSEN PRIORITIES OF SAFETY AND EVIDENCE-BASED PRACTICE, AND ADDS COVERAGE OF NEW DRUGS, NEW DRUG CLASSES, AND NEW THERAPEUTIC DRUG USES. WRITTEN BY LEADING NURSE PRACTITIONER AUTHORITIES MARILYN WINTERTON EDMUNDS AND MAREN STEWART MAYHEW, PHARMACOLOGY FOR THE PRIMARY CARE PROVIDER TEACHES PRINCIPLES OF PHARMACOTHERAPEUTICS USING TODAY'S MOST COMMONLY USED DRUGS. A KEY DRUGS FOCUS HIGHLIGHTS THE MOST COMMONLY USED AND MOST REPRESENTATIVE DRUGS OF EACH MAJOR DRUG CLASS — WITH PARTICULAR EMPHASIS ON THE TOP 100 MOST COMMONLY PRESCRIBED DRUGS. EMPHASIS ON PATIENT TEACHING HELPS YOU COMMUNICATE WITH PATIENTS AND FAMILY CAREGIVERS TO PROMOTE ADHERENCE TO THE DRUG REGIMEN. EMPHASIS ON HEALTH PROMOTION DESCRIBES HOW TO HELP PATIENTS STAY WELL AND IMPROVE THEIR HEALTH, INCLUDING COVERAGE OF IMMUNIZATIONS AND BIOLOGICALS, VITAMINS, WEIGHT MANAGEMENT, AND SMOKING CESSATION. EVIDENCE-BASED DECISION-MAKING AND TREATMENT GUIDELINES CHAPTER (11) PROVIDES PRACTICAL GUIDELINES FOR USING THE BEST CURRENT RESEARCH EVIDENCE TO MAKE DECISIONS ABOUT THE CARE OF INDIVIDUAL PATIENTS. EXTENSIVE COVERAGE OF DRUG THERAPY FOR SPECIAL POPULATIONS SUCH AS GERIATRIC AND PEDIATRIC PATIENTS INCLUDES CONSIDERATIONS RELATED TO AGE, PREGNANCY, RACE, AND OTHER FACTORS. UNIQUE! COVERAGE OF PRESCRIPTIVE PRACTICE INCLUDES TOPICS SUCH AS PRESCRIPTIVE AUTHORITY, ROLE IMPLEMENTATION, AND THE

ROLE OF NURSES (NPs, CNMs, CRNAs, AND CNSs) AND PHYSICIAN ASSISTANTS IN WRITING PRESCRIPTIONS. NEW! FULL-COLOR DESIGN AND ILLUSTRATIONS HIGHLIGHT THE MOST IMPORTANT CONTENT. DRUG UPDATES REFLECT THE LATEST FDA-APPROVED DRUGS, DRUG CLASSES, AND THERAPEUTIC USES. EXPANDED EMPHASIS ON THE QSEN PRIORITIES OF SAFETY AND EVIDENCE-BASED PRACTICE HELPS YOU ELIMINATE DRUG PRESCRIBING ERRORS WITH COLOR-HIGHLIGHTED SAFETY ALERTS! AND NEW CLINICAL PRACTICE ALERTS! NEW SECTION ~~ON MANAGED CARE~~ **PRESCRIBING FOR PATIENTS WITH DIABETES AND OBESITY** COVERAGE OF MEN TO THAT FOR WOMEN. UPDATED EVIDENCE-BASED PRESCRIBING INFORMATION REFLECTS THE LATEST NATIONAL CLINICAL PRACTICE GUIDELINES AND EVIDENCE-BASED TREATMENT GUIDELINES, INCLUDING THE LATEST CLINICAL TREATMENT GUIDELINES FOR DIABETES. NEW! COMPLEMENTARY AND ALTERNATIVE PRODUCTS TABLES HIGHLIGHT INTERACTIONS WITH DRUGS, AND ARE EMPHASIZED WITH A DISTINCTIVE ICON. UPDATED DRUG OVERVIEW TABLES ARE ENHANCED WITH ~~EXPERT PANEL~~ **EXPERT PANEL** **EXPERT TOP 100** ICONS THAT HIGHLIGHT THE MOST COMMONLY PRESCRIBED DRUGS.

**AIRWAY REMODELING** PETER H. HOWARTH 2001-01-16 THIS LANDMARK VOLUME DISCUSSES THE CHARACTERISTICS AND IMPACT OF THE REMODELING PROCESS ON AIRWAY FUNCTION AND CLINICAL DISEASE EXPRESSION WITHIN THE AIRWAY IN ASTHMA, COVERING PHARMACOLOGICAL THERAPIES AND POSSIBLE FUTURE TARGETS RELEVANT TO REGULATING THE REMODELING PROCESS. EMPHASIZES THE IMPORTANCE OF TREATING UNDERLYING AIRWAY INFLAMMATION AND THE RELEVANCE OF STRUCTURAL ALTERATIONS TO THE AIRWAY WALL, INCLUDING GLANDULAR INCREASES, ENHANCED COLLAGEN DEPOSITION WITHIN THE SUBMUCOSA, INCREASED VASCULATURE, SMOOTH HYPERTROPHY, AND HYPERPLASIAS! TRACING THE DEVELOPMENT AND MAINTENANCE OF BRONCHIAL HYPERRESPONSIVENESS, DECLINE IN LUNG FUNCTION, AND LOSS OF REVERSIBILITY EVIDENT IN CHRONIC ASTHMA, AIRWAY REMODELING DESCRIBES THE CONTRIBUTION OF INFLAMMATORY CELLS IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF AIRWAY STRUCTURAL CHANGES EXAMINES HOW PHARMACEUTICAL AGENTS ACT AND WHETHER EXISTING TREATMENTS MODIFY OR PREVENT REMODELING IN CHRONICALLY INFLAMED ASTHMATIC AIRWAYS CONSIDERS WHETHER NEURAL PATHWAYS INITIATE AS WELL AS CONTRIBUTE TO THE AIRWAY INFLAMMATORY CASCADE THAT LEADS TO REMODELING REVIEWS THE ACTION OF CYTOKINES AND GROWTH FACTORS ON ASM SIGNALING OUTLINES NOVEL APPROACHES TO REGULATING SMOOTH MUSCLE GROWTH CLARIFIES WHETHER PERMANENT VENTILATORY INCAPACITY IN ASTHMA IS CAUSED BY THE UNCOUPLING OF THE AIRWAY AND THE ROLE OF THE LUNG PARENCHYMA DETAILS HIGH-RESOLUTION COMPUTERIZED TOMOGRAPHY SCAN TO MEASURE THE INTERNAL SIZE OF THE AIRWAY AT BASELINE, DURING CHALLENGE, OR AFTER BRONCHODILATATION AND MORE! IMPROVING LUNG FUNCTION AND QUALITY OF LIFE BY REDUCING THE NEED FOR EMERGENCY CARE, HOSPITAL ADMISSIONS, AND SYSTEMIC STEROID ADMINISTRATION, AIRWAY REMODELING IS A SUPERB REFERENCE FOR PULMONOLOGISTS AND RESPIRATORY SYSTEM SPECIALISTS; PHYSIOLOGISTS; PNEUMOLOGISTS; ALLERGISTS; PHARMACOLOGISTS; MOLECULAR, CELLULAR, AND LUNG BIOLOGISTS; AND GRADUATE AND MEDICAL SCHOOL STUDENTS IN THESE DISCIPLINES.

JANET G FOSTER 2012-05-31 WRITTEN BY A CLINICAL NURSE SPECIALIST FOR CLINICAL NURSE SPECIALISTS, THIS TEXT EXPLORES THE EXPANDING ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE CNS—FROM CORE COMPETENCIES AND THEORETICAL FOUNDATIONS FOR PRACTICE TO CARING FOR THE HOSPITALIZED ADULT TO SHAPING THE HEALTHCARE SYSTEM THROUGH THE CNS'S SPHERES OF INFLUENCE.

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**CLINICAL FOCUS SERIES: DIFFICULT ASTHMA** LIAM HEANEY 2013-03-30 MOST PATIENTS WITH ASTHMA ARE EASILY DIAGNOSED AND TREATED WITH THE USE OF AN INHALER OR MEDICATION. APPROXIMATELY FIVE PER CENT OF PEOPLE THAT SUFFER FROM ASTHMA HAVE 'DIFFICULT' OR 'REFRACTORY' ASTHMA, WHEREBY THEY EXPERIENCE PERSISTENT PROBLEMS THAT ARE NOT CONTROLLED BY STANDARD TREATMENT METHODS. PART OF THE CLINICAL FOCUS SERIES, THIS BOOK PROVIDES A COMPLETE OVERVIEW OF DIFFICULT ASTHMA, DISCUSSING THE CLINICAL ASSESSMENT AND MANAGEMENT OF THIS COMPLEX CONDITION. BEGINNING WITH THE EPIDEMIOLOGY AND CHARACTERISTICS OF SEVERE ASTHMA, THE BOOK DEFINES CURRENT UNDERSTANDING OF THE IMMUNOLOGICAL MECHANISMS AND DISEASE HETEROGENEITY. IT ALSO OFFERS INSIGHT INTO HOW THE CONDITION CAN AFFECT THE PHYSICAL AND PSYCHOLOGICAL ASPECTS OF A PERSON'S LIFE. SEPARATE CHAPTERS EXAMINE NOVEL THERAPEUTIC STRATEGIES AND THE ECONOMIC BURDEN OF REFRACTORY ASTHMA. ~~AMERICAN~~ **DISCUSSING ESSENTIAL** ASSESSMENT AND MANAGEMENT OF DIFFICULT ASTHMA INCLUDES EPIDEMIOLOGY, IMMUNOLOGY, PHYSICAL AND PSYCHOLOGICAL EFFECTS, ECONOMIC BURDEN AND NOVEL THERAPEUTICS INTERNATIONALLY RENOWNED AUTHOR AND EDITOR TEAM

**BASIC PHARMACOLOGY FOR NURSES 16** BRUCE D. CLAYTON 2013 BASIC PHARMACOLOGY FOR NURSES IS A MODERN CLASSIC NURSING PHARMACOLOGY TEXTBOOK KNOWN FOR ITS IMPECCABLY ACCURATE DRUG CONTENT AND ITS PRACTICAL APPLICATIONS OF THE NURSING PROCESS. A CONSISTENT EMPHASIS ON HEALTH PROMOTION THROUGH MONITORING AND PATIENT EDUCATION IS A HALLMARK OF THE BOOK. INTRODUCTORY UNITS GROUND THE READER IN BASIC PRINCIPLES OF PHARMACOLOGY AND MEDICATION ADMINISTRATION. SUBSEQUENT BODY-SYSTEM UNITS APPLY THE NURSING PROCESS TO EVERY MAJOR DISORDER, AND APPROPRIATE NURSING IMPLICATIONS ARE DISCUSSED FOR EVERY DRUG CLASS TO PROMOTE SAFE MEDICATION ADMINISTRATION. PROVIDES AN OVERVIEW OF RELEVANT PATHOPHYSIOLOGY WITH AN APPLICATION OF THE NURSING PROCESS IN EACH DRUG CHAPTER, FOLLOWED BY NURSING IMPLICATIONS FOR EACH APPLICABLE DRUG CLASS. COVERS THE PHARMACOLOGY OF ALL MAJOR CLASSES OF DRUGS, EMPHASIZING SIDE EFFECTS TO EXPECT, SIDE EFFECTS TO REPORT, DRUG INTERACTIONS, AND MORE. EMPHASIZES PATIENT EDUCATION AND HEALTH PROMOTION WITH EASY-TO-RECOGNIZE PATIENT TEACHING BOXES AND REPRODUCIBLE PATIENT SELF-ASSESSMENT FORMS ON THE EVOLVE SITE. PROVIDES NEED-TO-KNOW COVERAGE OF HERBAL THERAPIES AND DIETARY SUPPLEMENTS WITH AN HERBAL AND DIETARY SUPPLEMENT THERAPY CHAPTER AND COMPLEMENTARY AND ALTERNATIVE THERAPIES BOXES THROUGHOUT. INCREASED EMPHASIS ON MEDICATION SAFETY PREPARES NURSES TO PRACTICE MORE SAFELY IN A CLINICAL ENVIRONMENT THAT IS BOTH MORE PRESSURED AND MORE FOCUSED THAN EVER ON REDUCING DRUG ERRORS. THE INCREASED EMPHASIS INCLUDES CHAPTER 7: PRINCIPLES OF MEDICATION ADMINISTRATION, DO-NOT-CONFUSE ICONS, AND AN ICON TO SIGNAL ISMP'S "HIGH ALERT" DRUGS. AS THE FOCUS ON PHARMACOLOGY ON THE NCLEX CONTINUES TO INCREASE, CHAPTER-ENDING GET READY FOR THE NCLEX(R) EXAMINATION SECTIONS INCLUDE KEY POINTS, ADDITIONAL LEARNING RESOURCES, AND REVIEW QUESTIONS FOR THE NCLEX EXAMINATION. UPDATED COVERAGE OF THE MOST RECENT FDA APPROVALS, WITHDRAWALS, AND THERAPEUTIC USES PROVIDE IMPECCABLY ACCURATE AND CURRENT CONTENT TO ENSURE SAFE DRUG THERAPY. UPDATED AND STREAMLINED COVERAGE OF NURSING CARE WITH A FOCUS ON THE NEED-TO-KNOW MATERIAL HELPS STUDENTS FOCUS ON THE MOST CURRENT, NEED-TO-KNOW CONTENT.

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES 2012-06-26 CDC'S NATIONAL ASTHMA CONTROL PROGRAM (NACP) WAS CREATED IN 1999 TO HELP THE MILLIONS OF PEOPLE WITH ASTHMA IN THE UNITED STATES GAIN CONTROL OVER THEIR DISEASE. THE PROGRAM'S GOALS INCLUDE REDUCING THE NUMBER OF DEATHS, HOSPITALIZATIONS, EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT VISITS, SCHOOL DAYS OR WORKDAYS MISSED, AND LIMITATIONS ON ACTIVITY DUE TO ASTHMA. THE NACP FUNDS STATES, CITIES, SCHOOL PROGRAMS, AND NON-GOVERNMENT ORGANIZATIONS TO HELP THEM IMPROVE SURVEILLANCE OF ASTHMA, TRAIN HEALTH PROFESSIONALS, EDUCATE INDIVIDUALS WITH ASTHMA AND THEIR FAMILIES, AND EXPLAIN ASTHMA TO THE PUBLIC. THE PROGRAM HAS IMPROVED ASTHMA TREATMENT, MANAGEMENT, AND CONTROL IN THE U.S. THE NACP COLLECTS DATA ON STATE-SPECIFIC LEVELS TO FOCUS EFFORTS AND RESOURCES WHERE THEY ARE NEEDED. CDC'S FUNDED PROGRAMS HAVE IMPROVED THE QUALITY OF ASTHMA CARE, IMPROVED ASTHMA MANAGEMENT IN SCHOOLS, AND FOSTERED POLICIES TO HELP REDUCE AIR POLLUTION. CDC'S NATIONAL ASTHMA CONTROL PROGRAM PLAYS A CRITICAL ROLE IN HELPING AMERICA BREATHE EASIER BY LEARNING MORE ABOUT ASTHMA AND HOW TO CONTROL IT. FOUR THOUSAND PEOPLE DIE EACH YEAR FROM ASTHMA-RELATED CAUSES, AND ASTHMAS IS A CONTRIBUTING FACTOR IN ANOTHER 7,000 DEATHS EVERY YEAR. IN ASTHMA, SOMETHING - AIR POLLUTION, ALLERGENS, EXERCISE, STRESS, CERTAIN CHEMICALS IN THE WORKPLACE - CAUSES THE AIRWAYS OF THE LUNGS TO NARROW OR BECOME BLOCKED, MAKING IT HARD TO BREATHE. FOR THE MOST PART WE DON'T KNOW WHY SOME PEOPLE HAVE ASTHMA AND OTHER DO NOT - ALTHOUGH WE'RE GETTING CLOSER EVERY DAY - BUT THANKS TO THE WORK OF MEDICAL RESEARCHERS, HEALTH CARE PROFESSIONALS, AND PUBLIC HEALTH SPECIALISTS, WE'RE DOING MORE TO HELP PEOPLE WITH THE DISEASE ALLEVIATE SOME OF THEIR BURDEN. BUT THE BURDEN OF ASTHMA FALLS NOT ONLY ON INDIVIDUALS WITH ASTHMA. IT ALSO FALLS ON OUR SCHOOLS, OUR FAMILIES, OUR NEIGHBORHOODS, OUR WORKPLACES, OUR CITIES, AND OUR STATES. IT FALLS ON OUR HEALTH CARE SYSTEM. IT FALLS ON ALL AMERICANS, WHETHER OR NOT WE HAVE ASTHMA, BECAUSE WE PAY FOR THAT BURDEN WITH HIGHER HEALTH INSURANCE RATES, WITH LOST PRODUCTIVITY, AND WITH OUR TAX DOLLARS. THE CDC NATIONAL ASTHMA CONTROL PROGRAM FUNDS STATES, CITIES, AND SCHOOL PROGRAMS TO HELP THEM IMPROVE SURVEILLANCE OF ASTHMA, TRAIN HEALTH PROFESSIONALS, EDUCATE INDIVIDUALS WITH ASTHMA AND THEIR FAMILIES, AND EXPLAIN ASTHMAS TO THE PUBLIC. TO MAINTAIN THAT PROGRESS, CDC AND ITS FEDERAL, STATE, LOCAL, AND NONPROFIT PARTNERS MUST CONTINUE THE VITAL WORK OF TRACKING ASTHMA, ENHANCING THE CAPACITY OF FEDERAL, STATE AND LOCAL PUBLIC HEALTH OFFICES; TRAINING HEALTH PRACTITIONERS AND EDUCATORS; IMPLEMENTING PROVEN INTERVENTIONS; FILLING IN GAPS IN RESEARCH; AND INCREASING THE AMERICAN PEOPLE'S UNDERSTANDING OF ASTHMA. AS PART OF A JOINT, COORDINATED EFFORT, THESE PEOPLE, PROGRAMS, AND POLICIES CAN ALLEVIATE THE BURDEN OF ASTHMA AND KEEP AMERICA BREATHING EASIER.~

**PRIMARY CARE - E-BOOK** TERRY MAHAN BUTTARO 2012-03-01 WRITTEN BY AND FOR NURSE PRACTITIONERS FROM A UNIQUE COLLABORATIVE PERSPECTIVE, PRIMARY CARE: A COLLABORATIVE PRACTICE, 4TH EDITION, PREPARES YOU TO PROVIDE CARE FOR ALL OF THE MAJOR DISORDERS OF ADULTS SEEN IN THE OUTPATIENT SETTING. EVIDENCE-BASED CONTENT REFLECTS THE LATEST GUIDELINES FOR PRIMARY CARE OF HUNDREDS OF CONDITIONS, INCLUDING HYPERTENSION, DIABETES, AND SEXUALLY TRANSMITTED INFECTIONS. NOW IN FULL COLOR, THE 4TH EDITION INCLUDES CHAPTERS ON EMERGING TOPICS SUCH AS GENETICS, OBESITY, LIFESTYLE MANAGEMENT, AND EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS. COMBINING A SPECIAL BLEND OF ACADEMIC AND CLINICAL EXPERTISE, THE AUTHOR TEAM PROVIDES A PRACTICAL TEXT/REFERENCE THAT PROMOTES A TRULY COLLABORATIVE PRIMARY CARE PRACTICE. COMPREHENSIVE, EVIDENCE-BASED CONTENT INCORPORATES THE LATEST STANDARDIZED GUIDELINES FOR PRIMARY CARE IN TODAY'S FAST-PACED, COLLABORATIVE ENVIRONMENT. UNIQUE! A COLLABORATIVE PERSPECTIVE, REFLECTING THE KEY ROLES OF NPs, MDs, PAs, PHARMds, AND OTHERS, PROMOTES SEAMLESS CONTINUITY OF CARE. A CONSISTENT FORMAT FROM CHAPTER TO CHAPTERS FACILITATES LEARNING AND CLINICAL REFERENCE VALUE. DIAGNOSTICS AND DIFFERENTIAL DIAGNOSIS BOXES PROVIDE A QUICK REFERENCE FOR DIAGNOSING DISORDERS AND HELPING TO DEVELOP EFFECTIVE MANAGEMENT PLANS. PHYSICIAN CONSULTATION ICONS HIGHLIGHT SITUATIONS OR CONDITIONS IN WHICH CONSULTATION IS EITHER RECOMMENDED OR NECESSARY. EMERGENCY REFERRAL ICONS IDENTIFY SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS THAT INDICATE THE NEED FOR IMMEDIATE REFERRAL TO AN EMERGENCY FACILITY. CO-MANAGEMENT WITH SPECIALISTS DISCUSSIONS HELP YOU PROVIDE TRULY COLLABORATIVE CARE IN THE OUTPATIENT SETTING. COMPLEMENTARY AND ALTERNATIVE THERAPIES ARE ADDRESSED WHERE SUPPORTED BY SOLID RESEARCH EVIDENCE.