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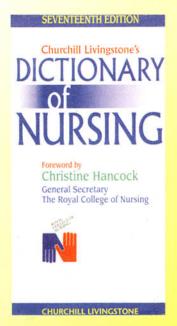
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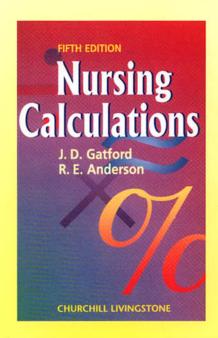
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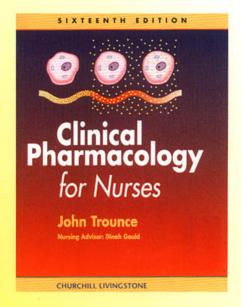
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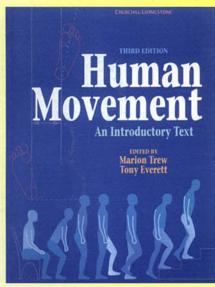


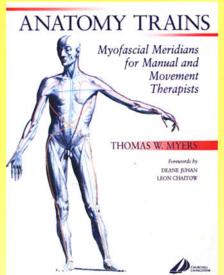
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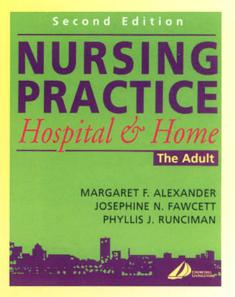












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Preface

Ross and Wilson has been a core text for students of anatomy and physiology for almost 40 years. This latest edition is aimed at health care professionals including nurses, nursing students, students of the professions allied to medicine, paramedics, ambulance technicians and complementary therapists. It retains the straightforward approach to the description of body systems and how they work, and the normal anatomy and physiology is followed by a section that covers common disorders and diseases: the pathology.

The human body is described system by system. The reader must, however, remember that physiology is an integrated subject and that, although the systems are considered in separate chapters, they must all function together for the human body to operate as a healthy unit. The first three chapters provide an overview of the body and describe its main constituents. A new section on introductory biochemistry is included, forming the basis of a deeper understanding of body function.

The later chapters are gathered together into three further sections, reflecting three areas essential for normal body function: communication; intake of raw materials and elimination of waste; and protection and survival. Much of the material for this edition has been extensively revised and rewritten. There is a new chapter on immunology, reflecting the growing importance of this subject in physiology.

The artwork has been completely redrawn using full colour, and many new diagrams have been included.

A new list of common prefixes, suffixes and roots has been prepared for this edition, giving meanings and providing examples of common terminology used in the study of anatomy and physiology. Some biological values have been extracted from the text and presented as an Appendix for easy reference. In some cases, slightly different 'normals' may be found in other texts and used by different medical practitioners.

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Common prefixes, suffixes and roots

The terminology used in the book is easier to learn and use when it is understood. To facilitate this, the common parts of such terms: prefixes (beginnings), roots (middle parts) and suffixes (endings), are listed here, in alphabetical order. Meanings are also given, along with some examples of their uses.

Prefix/suffix/root	To do with	Examples in the text	Prefix/suffix/root	To do with	Examples in the text
a-/an-	lack of	anuria, agranulocyte, asystole, anaemia	-itis	inflammation	appendicitis, hepatitis, cystitis, gastritis
-aemia	of the blood	anaemia, hypoxaemia,	lact-	milk	lactation, lactic, lacteal
angio-	vessel	uraemia, hypovolaemia angiotensin, haemangioma	lymph-	lymph tissue	lymphocyte, lymphatic, lymphoedema
anti-	against	antidiuretic, anticoagulant, antigen, antimicrobial	lyso-/-lysis	breaking down	lysosome, glycolysis, lysozyme
-blast	germ, bud	reticuloblast, osteoblast	-mega-	large	megaloblast, acromegaly,
brady-	slow	bradycardia			splenomegaly, hepatomegaly
broncho-	bronchus	bronchiole, bronchitis, bronchus	micro-	small	microbe, microtubules, microvilli
card-	heart	cardiac, myocardium, tachycardia	myo-	muscle	myocardium, myoglobin, myopathy, myosin
chole-	bile	cholecystokinin, cholecystitis, cholangitis	neo-	new	neoplasm, gluconeogenesis, neonate
cyto-/-cyte	cell	erythrocyte, cytosol, cytoplasm, cytotoxic	nephro-	kidney	nephron, nephrotic, nephroblastoma, nephrosis
derm-	skin	dermatitis, dermatome, dermis	neuro-	nerve	neurone, neuralgia, neuropathy
dys-	difficult	dysuria, dyspnoea,	-oid	resembling	myeloid, sesamoid, sigmoid
-ema	swelling	dysmenorrhoea, dysplasia oedema, emphysema,	-oma	tumour	carcinoma, melanoma, fibroma
endo-	inner	lymphoedema endocrine, endocris,	-ophth-	eye	xerophthalmia, ophthalmic, exophthalmos
erythro-	red	endothelium erythrocyte, erythropoietin,	-ory	referring to	secretory, sensory, auditory, gustatory
-		erythropolesis	osteo-	bone	osteocyte, osteoarthritis, osteoporosis
exo- extra-	outside outside	exocytosis, exophthalmos	-path-	disease	pathogenesis, neuropathy,
-fferent		extracellular, extrapyramidal afferent, efferent	pati	Uncuse	nephropathy
gast-	carry stomach	gastric, gastrin, gastritis,	-plasm	substance	cytoplasm, neoplasm
		gastrointestinal	pneumo-	lung/air	pneumothorax, pneumonia, pneumotoxic
-gen-	origin/ production	gene, genome, genetic, antigen, pathogen, allergen	poly-	many	polypeptide, polyuria, polycythaemia
-globin	protein	myoglobin, haemoglobin	-rrhagia	excessive flow	menorrhagia
haem-	blood	haemostasis, haemorrhage, haemolytic	-rrhoea	discharge	dysmenorrhoea, diarrhoea, rhinorrhoea
-hydr-	water	dehydration, hydrostatic, hydrocephalus	sub-	under	subphrenic, subarachnoid, sublingual
hepat-	liver	hepatic, hepatitis,	tachy-	excessively fast	
hyper-	excess/above	hepatomegaly, hepatocyte hypertension,	thrombo-	clot	thrombocyte, thrombosis, thrombin, thrombus
		hypertrophy, hypercapnia	-tox-	poison	toxin, cytotoxic, hepatotoxic
hypo-	below/under	hypoglycaemia, hypotension, hypovolaemia	-uria	urine	anuria, polyuria, haematuria, nocturia
intra-	within	intracellular, intracranial, intraocular	vas, vaso-	vessel	vasoconstriction, vas deferens, vascular
-ism	condition	hyperthyroidism, dwarfism, rheumatism			·· , · -