Medical-Surgical, Critical Care, Laboratory & Diagnostic
Brunner & Suddarth’s Textbook of Medical-Surgical Nursing, 12e  
Suzanne C. Smeltzer, RN, EdD, FAAN  
December 2009/ 2272 pp./ 750 illus/ 978-0-7817-8589-1  

**Features:**  
- **NEW! Prep U, SimAdviser, and mobile resources!**  
- **New!** Enhanced A+ ancillaries with two online case studies per chapter  
- **New!** New art program (all illustrations redrawn) and an open but space-efficient revised design  
- **New!** Increased frequency of popular features (guideline charts, health promotion charts, and ethnic and related issues charts)  
- **New!** Watch & Learn video clips and Practice & Learn interactive exercises that highlight important nursing skills and responsibilities  
- **New!** Expanded suite, including the main text, handbook, handbook of lab and diagnostic tests, medical-surgical interactive cases, and medical-surgical nursing online course  
- Concepts in Action Animations for A&P and Pathophysiology concepts  
- Integrated critical care coverage throughout the book, now highlighted with an icon for easy identification!  
- More than 5,000 total NCLEX-style questions  
- Nursing alerts, risk factor charts, patient education charts, critical thinking exercises, and many more!  
- Clearly highlighted nursing process content throughout the text  
- Strong emphasis on evidence-based practice including end-of-chapter questions and comprehensively updated nursing research profiles
Prep U for Smeltzer 12/e - 12 Month Access

LWW - http://thepoint.lww.com/Marketing/PrepU
(Also available bundled with a text or for 24 months)

Description:
PrepU is an adaptive quizzing engine built by teachers and tested in the classroom. PrepU’s personalized quizzes help each student learn more, while giving instructors a window into their students’ progress-highlighting misconceptions, strengths, and weaknesses.

Features:
- **Access Class Statistics and Reports**: Track each student’s progress
- **Clearly Identify Student Misconception**: PrepU alerts professors to concepts that students misunderstand using class performance data.
- **Easy-To-Use and Flexible Assignment Center**: PrepU makes it easy to construct quizzes and exams, drawing from a storehouse of thousands of questions
- **Personalized Quiz Builder**: PrepU adapts to continue helping students progress on their next quiz!
- **Personalized Reports**: PrepU gives students feedback about their performance-broken down by topic-so students know exactly where to focus their study efforts.
- **Quick and Meaningful Remediation**: PrepU offers an Answer Key for each completed quiz including rationales for each answer with specific textbook pages to help students quickly remediate.
Lippincott’s Interactive Tutorials and Case Studies for Medical-Surgical Nursing
Lippincott Williams & Wilkins
December 2009/ 978-0-7817-8077-3

Features:

• This online course consists of 11 modules each covering one topic and consists of three sections: 1) Tutorial, 2) Case Studies, and 3) NCLEX-style quiz
• Tutorials ensure effective conceptual learning for students through an intense review of the topic using varied media such as interactive graphics and animations to drive home key concepts. Students are quizzed as they go through interactive and fun self-assessment exercises
• Graphic and interactive case studies challenge students to apply what they have learned in the tutorial section by asking them to make decisions in realistic scenarios
• NCLEX-style quizzes test students on what they have just learned in the module while also preparing them for the NCLEX exam
• Interactive exercises include Multiple-Choice, Sequencing, Drag and Drop text, Drag and Drop Image, Matching, Solitaire, True/False, Categorization, and Fill-in-the-blanks
• Key terms are highlighted in the Tutorial and link to expanded definitions
• Detailed Remediation - each question in each module’s quiz contains remediation back to the appropriate content in the book
• Journal Articles: Two to four LWW journal articles per module are available to supplement core concepts addressed in the module
• Links to Web Sites and bibliographic information are found on the Resources tab of each module
• Course cartridges will be available, with full LMS functionality, including reporting and grade book

Available for a discount when bundled with a core textbook!
Study Guide to Accompany Brunner & Suddarth’s Textbook of Medical-Surgical Nursing, Twelfth Edition

Suzanne C. Smeltzer, RN, EdD, FAAN
December 2009/ 480 pp./ 130 illus./ 978-0-7817-8594-5

Features:

• The perfect companion to Brunner & Suddarth’s Textbook of Medical-Surgical Nursing, Eleventh Edition
• This study tool helps students better understand the concepts, techniques, and disease processes detailed in the textbook
• Provides students with abundant opportunities for review and self-assessment using a range of learning exercises designed to highlight strengths and identify areas in need of further study
• Logical organization corresponds to the structure of the textbook for convenient cross-referencing
• Hundreds of exam-style questions prepare students for classroom tests and for the NCLEX exam
• Labeling exercises use examples drawn from real clinical applications
• Answers with rationales help students understand the reasoning behind correct responses
• Critical analysis questions help students build vital problem-solving skills
• Critical thinking approach presents facts from a knowledge-based level to the highest levels of analysis and synthesis
Handbook to Accompany Brunner & Suddarth’s Textbook of Medical-Surgical Nursing, Twelfth Edition
Lippincott Williams & Wilkins
December 2009/ 864 pp./ 978-0-7817-8592-1

Features:
• Concise clinical companion to Brunner & Suddarth’s Textbook of Medical-Surgical Nursing presents
• Pages are tabbed alphabetically for speedy reference
• Rapid access to need-to-know information on over 200 of the most commonly encountered diseases and disorders
• Content is completely cross-referenced to the text
• Nursing Alerts focus on priority care issues and hazardous or potentially life-threatening situations
• Gerontologic Considerations are thumbnail descriptions and interventions related to the care of the rapidly growing older adult population
• Selected tables and boxes provide at-a-glance presentations of additional diseases, disorders, and measurements
• Appendices for use in clinical settings, on units, and at home or in the community include acronyms and abbreviations, important lab values, and current nursing diagnoses
• Nursing Process and Management information is incorporated throughout
Lippincott’s Interactive Case Studies for Brunner & Suddarth’s Textbook of Medical-Surgical Nursing, Twelfth Edition

Lippincott Williams & Wilkins
February 2010/ 978-1-60547-987-3

Features:
- Each of the 13 body system-based modules contains two to six disorder-based case studies and an NCLEX-style quiz totaling to 41 topics
- The modules focus on the areas that medical-surgical nursing instructors have identified as the core content areas
- The case follows a patient from presentation to nursing care and beyond, and is interspersed with exercises requiring the student's active input
- The simulation focuses on nursing care relating to the particular disorder, including assessment (including risk factors), nursing diagnosis, nursing interventions (e.g., various skills, medication administration), lifespan and cultural considerations, and patient teaching
- Interactive exercises in each case include multiple-choice, fill-in-the-blank, matching, sequencing, short-answer, and other types to challenge students and use a variety of approaches to enhance knowledge synthesis
- Instructors can assign the modules as homework, classwork, or self-study
- Students can submit their answers to NCLEX-style practice questions at the end of each module to instructors as a quiz/homework/test feature

Available for a discount when bundled with a core textbook!
Lippincott’s Video Series for Brunner & Suddarth’s Textbook of Medical-Surgical Nursing
Lippincott Williams & Wilkins
Student Set on CD-ROM/ 2009/ 978-1-60547-943-9
Student Set on DVD/ 2009/ 978-1-60547-942-2

Features:
• Each module is approximately 30 minutes—ideal for classroom viewing or for homework or on-line assignments
• Realistic settings and diverse patients and healthcare providers prepare students for actual clinical environments
• Content shows how to link assessments with interventions and how to integrate skills and techniques learned in various courses with actual patient care
• Multiple delivery methods are available to meet instructor and student needs and preferences
• Visit http://smeltzervideoseries.lww.com/ to learn more
Features:
- Concise, portable handbook of hundreds of test results and their implications
- Two-part presentation includes a review of Specimen collection procedures followed by an alphabetic list of tests
- Four-color design and illustrations
- Alphabetic, color-coded list of tests
- Concise, clinical facts
- Alerts highlighting critical information and gerontologic concerns
- Charts and illustrations comparing normal and abnormal findings
SimAdviser (Stand Alone Card)

LWW

December 2009  978-1451103229

www.simadviser.com

(Also available bundled with a text)

**Features:**

- Simulation support modules for clinical simulation scenarios
- Content is designed to match up with Laerdal’s NLN VitalSim Scenarios Volume 1
- SimAdviser can be accessed before, during, and after the simulation
- SimAdviser holds simulation resources in one place; saving faculty and student time
- Text pages are available within the context of the scenario preparation module
- Easy to access materials are pre-selected to guide students to proper materials
- SimAdviser resources are updated with information, events, and alerts frequently
- Access to customized information databases used in real hospitals daily
- Integrated images and video clips
- All resources are supported by evidence based resource

**Selected content available from Lippincott’s Nursing Advisor (LNA)**

- Using a core nursing monograph approach, students access a database of selected resources that takes them directly to answers they need for simulation prep
- **Quick result access** to Drug, Disease, Diagnostic Test, Treatment, Patient Teaching, Signs & Symptoms, Care plans, and “Atlas of Pathophysiology” images.
- **Content is supported by evidence-based references**

**Selected content available from Lippincott’s Nursing Practice and Skills (LNPS)**

- Access a customized database of evidence-based procedures and skills online
- Step-by-step procedures provide highly detailed instruction
- Color visuals— including **many video clips**— make learning simpler
Medical Surgical Nursing Made Incredibly Easy!, Incredibly Easy! Series®, 2e
Springhouse
2007/ 944 pp./ 800 illus./ 978-1-58255-567-6

Features:
• **New!** 8 new color pages (for a total of 16 full-color pages) illustrating difficult-to-understand clinical concepts
• **New!** New chapters on end-of-life care and obesity
• **New!** New icon Weighing the evidence: evidence-based practice pointers
• The latest information on hundreds of medical-surgical disorders, treatments, and nursing interventions
• Coverage of collaborative management practices
• Easy-to-understand language brings complex concepts to light
• Nurse Joy character offers tips and encourages students as she progresses through each topic
• Numerous quick-scan tables, illustrations, and flow charts focus on key information
• Light humor and appropriate reviews enhance presentation of content
• Liberal use of bullets keeps information concise and easy to find
• Logos include:
  - Education edge: patient teaching tips and checklists to promote wellness and prevent complications
  - A closer look: overviews of complex disease pathways and close-up views of anatomy
  - What do I do?: identification of potential crises and emergency action the nurse must take
  - Weighing the evidence: evidence-based practice pointers
  - Memory joggers: mnemonics that help the reader understand and remember difficult concepts
  - Quick quiz: multiple-choice questions at the end of each chapter that help solidify what has been learned

Ancillary Assets:
• New bound-in CD-ROM includes:
  • Over 300 NCLEX questions
  • 10 Concept Maps
  • List of Nursing Diagnoses by Medical Disorder
Lippincott's Manual of Nursing Practice Pocket Guide: Medical-Surgical Nursing
Springhouse
2006/ 576 pp./ 978-1-58255-897-4

Features:
• Handy Spiral-bound Pocket Guide designed for quick, easy on-the-job reference that provides a review of every aspect of medical-surgical nursing
• Distinctive sections cover Disorders, Diagnostic Tests, Treatments, Procedures
• More than 80 Clinical Tools from all medical-surgical specialties, including pain rating tools, dosage formulas, monitoring guidelines, and more
• Topics in each section are arranged alphabetically and follow a consistent format
• Recurring icons highlight key points such as life-threatening disorders, interdisciplinary care, and illustrations of pathophysiology
Patricia Gonce Morton, RN, PhD, ACNP, FAAN
Dorrie Fontaine, RN, DNSc, FAAN
2008/ 1408 pp./ 510 illus./ 978-0-7817-6829-0

Features:
• New! Health History boxes summarize key areas that should be covered and relevant information that may be revealed during the health history
• New! Focus on Assessment Technique Art
• New! Drug Therapy Display highlights information related to the administration and monitoring of drug therapy
• Red Flags boxes alert students to risk factors, signs and symptoms, side effects, and complications
• Collaborative Care Guides describe how the health care team works together to manage a patient's illness and minimize complications
• Nursing Intervention Guides provide guidelines for carrying out key nursing interventions
• Considerations for the Older Patient highlight the special needs of older adults
• Discharge Planning Guides summarize what the students need to consider when preparing a patient for discharge from the hospital
• Teaching Guides summarize key points for teaching patients and
• Nursing Diagnoses and Collaborative Problems Boxes summarize common NANDA nursing diagnoses and collaborative problems for particular conditions
• Evidence-Based Practice Highlights
• Case Studies appear at every clinical chapter and is followed by three to five short answer questions related to the case
• Chapter outlines and learning objectives appear in the beginning of each chapter
• Clinical Applicability Challenges appear at the end of each chapter
• A list of current references cited in the chapter is given at the end of each chapter
• Bibliography is provided at the end of each chapter to encourage further reading
• Includes a complimentary and interactive front-of-book CD-ROM consisting of more resources for students

Instructor & Student Resources:
• Full Text Online
• PowerPoint Presentations
• Guided Lecture Notes
• Learning Objectives
• Journal Articles
• Image Bank
• Syllabus
• Syllabus Conversion Guides
• Strategies for Effective Teaching
• Concepts in Action Animations
• Test Generator
• Monographs of 100 Most Commonly Prescribed Drugs
• Nursing Professional Roles & Responsibilities
• NCLEX Alternate Item Format Tutorial
• WebCT & Blackboard-Ready Materials

Click here to access thePoint
Quick Reference to Critical Care, Third Edition
Nancy H. Diepenbrock, RN, CCRN
2007/ 464 pp./ 210 illus./ 978-0-7817-7714-8

Features:
• New! Chapter on Imaging Technologies covers the latest modalities and
techniques, along with their applications and limitations
• This pocket-sized book is a quick-reference guide to procedures, treatments, and
stabilization techniques for disorders, injuries, and patient situations commonly
seen in the critical care setting
• Easy-access organization categorizes information by body system, with each
subject area arranged alphabetically
• Fast facts cover need-to-know essential information on drug dosages,
conversions, commonly used calculations, compatibilities, laboratory tests and
values, and more
• Over 200 images and tables help students quickly grasp the information
presented in the text
• Handy mnemonics serve as convenient memory joggers
• Cross-references with page numbers enable students to find the information they
need quickly, without searching the index
Critical Care Nursing Made Incredibly Easy, 9e, Incredibly Easy! Series®, 2e
Springhouse
2007/ 704 pp./ 978-1-58255-560-7

Features:
• New! 2 new 4-page color inserts for a total of 16 color pages
• New! New information on hemodynamic monitoring
• New! New information on trauma
• Icons draw the students attention to important issues:
  - New! Weighing the evidence: highlights research that guides practice
  - Senior moments: identifies areas in which older age could impact the nurse’s care
  - Take charge!: focuses on potentially lethal situations and steps to take when they occur
  - Advice from the experts: offers tips and tricks for students and key troubleshooting techniques
• Easy-to-understand language
• Collaborative management opportunities are introduced, identifying appropriate involvement of other health care team members
• Light humor and appropriate reviews enhance presentation of content
• Whimsical cartoons appear throughout the text reminds students that perspective is vital and reinforces learning
• Memory joggers to aid in learning
• Numerous quick-scan tables, detailed illustrations, and flow charts focus on key information
• Quick quiz at the end of each chapter
• The latest information on more than 100 critical care disorders

Ancillary Assets:
• New bound-in CD-ROM includes:
  • More than 300 NCLEX®-style questions
  • Alternate-format questions
  • Nursing diagnoses organized by medical disorder
  • Concept maps
A Manual of Laboratory and Diagnostic Tests, 9e
Frances Fischbach, RN, BSN, MSN
Marshall B. Dunning, III, BS, MS, PhD
2008/ 1344 pp./ 22 illus./ 978-0-7817-7194-8

Features:
• Full-color, enhanced design
• This text covers a broad range of laboratory and diagnostic tests and studies that are delivered to varied patient populations in varied settings
• Chapters organized by type of study, then into subgroups by type of test so that the student does not need to know the exact name of the test
• Each test organized by specific heads, ensuring consistency and thoroughness of coverage
• Headings are organized by Test Name, Normal Values, Background, Explanation of Test, Procedure, Clinical Implications, Interfering Factors, Patient Preparation, and Patient Aftercare
• Full-color design now more enhanced, with a better design to showcase
• Clinical Alerts highlight critical safety information
• Notes within the text provide helpful tips
• Both conventional and SI units included
• Addition of new lab tests
FEATURES:

- **NEW!** Ten new tests
- **NEW!** Aldosterone
- **NEW!** Androstenedione
- **NEW!** Antidiuretic Hormone (ADH)
- **NEW!** High-Sensitivity C-Reactive Protein (hs-CRP)
- **NEW!** D-Dimer
- **NEW!** D-Xylose Absorption
- **NEW!** 25-Hydroxyvitamin D
- **NEW!** Renin Assay
- **NEW!** Salivary Gland Imaging
- **NEW!** West Nile Virus
- **NEW!** Extensive revisions of coagulation studies, diabetes testing, hormone assays, and newborn screening panels to keep clinicians current.
- **NEW!** More information on documentation, misinterpretation of tests, privacy, confidentiality, and security keeps safety in the forefront.
- Alphabetical listing of common laboratory and diagnostic tests
- **NEW!** Changes in terminology, instrumentation, equipment, regulations, and diagnostic guidelines put the latest information at the clinician's fingertips.
- Clinical alerts
- Full-color design
- Revised "Nursing Interventions"
- Standardized model for each test
Diagnostic Tests Made Incredibly Easy!, Incredibly Easy!
Series®, 2e
Springhouse
April 2008/ 448 pp./ 130 illus./ 978-0-7817-8690-4

Features:
• "Just the facts" learning objectives at the beginning of each chapter
• Abundant illustrations clearly demonstrate diagnostic tests
• Clear, simple explanations of difficult concepts
• Definitions of key terms
• Nurse Joy and other cartoon characters emphasize key points and add humor and fun to important clinical information
• Quick quizzes at the end of each chapter help students gauge learning
• Appendices include information on normal laboratory test values and uncommon diagnostic tests
• Logos include:
  - Now I get it: explains important aspects of a test in clear terms
  - Advice from the experts: offers expert guidance on interpreting test results
  - Stay on the ball: alerts nurses to the critical factors that can interfere with test results
  - Listen up: provides patient teaching tips
  - Memory jogger: offers mnemonics and other tips to remember difficult information
• Updated with the latest clinical information
• 32 additional pages of important diagnostic tests
• 4 additional full-color pages, for a total of 8
Diagnostic Test Facts Made Incredibly Quick!

Springhouse
2007/ 256 pp./ 978-1-58255-685-7

Features:

• Designed to fit comfortably into most pockets, Diagnostic Test Facts Made Incredibly Quick is the small, easy-to-use reference for on-the-go nursing
• The soft, protective spiral tip binding permits quick access to information and a flat surface for reading and making notes
• Coverage of more than 350 diagnostic tests
• Quick-reference charts and illustrations
• Purpose, reference values, abnormal findings for each test
• Full color presentation
• Colored tabs make information easy to find
• Quick reference guide to laboratory results
• Laboratory value changes in elderly patients
• Drug interference with test results
• Blood tests requiring immediate transport of the sample
• Selected references
Lippincott's Manual of Nursing Practice Series:Diagnostic Tests
Springhouse
2006/ 544 pp./ 100 illus./ 978-1-58255-903-2

Features:
• Highly organized to make finding information quick and easy
• Concise, comprehensive coverage
• Detailed instructions to explain difficult concepts
• Tests are arranged alphabetically for quick access to information
• A consistent format is used for each test: purpose, patient preparation, key procedure steps, post-test care, important precautions, normal findings or reference values (including SI values), abnormal findings and clinical implications, factors affecting the accuracy of results (such as drugs or diet)
• Lists, tables, and flowchart easily highlight key facts
• Full color throughout
• Recurring graphic icons to alert students to critical information
• Coverage of the leading laboratory tests and diagnostic procedures including the latest on: homocysteine, C-reactive protein, tonometry, and virtual endoscopy
• Logos include:
  - Alert provides identification of possible post-test complications
  - Age alert provides outline of important differences in patient preparation or test results for pediatric and older adult patient populations
• Appendices on sexual assault testing and quick reference guide to laboratory test results