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Over the past 2 decades there has been a marked change in global age demographics, with the amount of over-60s increasing by 82% and the number of centenarians by 715%. Over 170 chapters are broken up into 16 key sections, covering topics ranging from policy and key concepts to infection, cancers, palliative medication, and healthy ageing. Fully revised to reflect the existing state of geriatric medication, it examines the medical and scientific basis of medical issues, along with the ethical, legal, and socio-economic concerns for health care policy and systems. Building upon its predecessor's reputation as the definitive resource about them, this new edition of the Oxford Textbook of Geriatric Medication offers a thorough and multinational study of the field. This new-found longevity is definitely testament to the achievement of recent developments in medication, but poses significant issues to multiple areas of health care concerning older individuals. New material includes focus on the evolving principles of malnutrition, sarcopenia, frailty, and related geriatric syndromes and integration of geriatric concepts from public health, major and specialized care, and transitional stages from home to emergency, medication and surgery, rehabilitation, and lengthy term caution. The Oxford Textbook of Geriatric Medicine includes specialists from around the world to supply every physician mixed up in care of older patients with a thorough resource on all the clinical problems they will probably encounter, as well as on related psychological, philosophical, and social issues.



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