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Theory & Practice of Therapeutic Massage, Sixth Edition, comprehensively provides the foundation of understanding required to become a therapeutic massage professional. Providing a brand new new style, updated terminology and expanded content on topics such as for example study literacy and business administration, this new edition supplies the essential understanding and skills had a need to become a successful massage therapist and you will be a reference that users can count on throughout their careers. It delves into several areas within the profession, with chapters devoted to spa massage, lymph massage, clinical massage methods, therapeutic procedure, athletic massage, massage in medicine, and more.



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Expensive, but there really is no substitute with regards to its scope. Though it includes a hefty price, this publication continues to be THE CLASSIC for beginning students of professional massage and bodywork. And even though I've been a qualified therapist since 1991, I still keep carefully the publication on my reference shelf (several editions, in fact). It's very useful about the history of massage. It actually contradicts itself on some points in one chapter to another. I can understand that all books possess mistakes, but I've read fiction that experienced better grammar no spelling mistakes. Clay. http://www.class.com/gp/product/0781756774/ref=oh_details_o0o_s00_i00

Disappointing This workbook is written to accompany Beck's Theory and Practice of Therapeutic Massage. Save your time and get a Trail Guideline to the Body. Many workbook chapters possess at least among these mistakes and many have several of them producing the workbook not merely difficult, but confusing. Our teachers have even had a hard time helping us discover answers in the publication. At times, even the answers that they have from the teacher's information are clearly wrong or at greatest confusing. This is a well written Book . Love this Book! This book does a good job of covering a whole lot of topics for massage therapists. The info is presented in very clear conditions, with definitions highlighted and easy to find throughout each chapter. That's as far in mainly because we are, but it's written so wonderfully I've started reading chapters forward since it has so much information I want to understand! It's fun to read, and a perfect reference for all kinds of queries or curiosities. It has a lot of practical advice, and provides useful assets and websites you can examine out. I highly recommend this publication! The presentation and the pictures are very clear. I'm keeping that one. So happy we needed it for class. Disappointing We are employing this book in our massage classes and while it teaches the items it should, it is poorly written. Evidently the author helped to create the MBLEX, so I will discover how valuable the massage info is when I take the test. The worst part of the book may be the anatomy portion. It really is as if five differing people collaborated on the charts in the sections on the muscles and refused to use the same terminology. If you do not have an excellent grasp on anatomy it will be completely confusing. Nevertheless, there are places where the definitions to the vocabulary are missing in the publication, where queries or labeling are answered in another chapter, and where the queries are worded so in different ways from the book it takes outside research to response them. The Trail Guide will explain things much better and the photos are excellent. I no longer recommend this book, actually I would rather recommend you borrow it from the library or another college student, or in the event that you must purchase it, obtain it super inexpensive used, with hi-lights, someplace else! great deal ! The presentation and ... I understand that workbooks are designed to make you think and actually get a grasp on the materials, but I believe that this ought to be accomplished without leaving the student baffled. Some textbooks I'll sell back after a class has ended. Sorry Five Stars Taught me everything I needed to know about the idea of massage. SO informative! Yet not really for OH LMT I really like this book! Anatomy is lacking This book was not edited well at all. So if this text message is required for your classes, brace yourself and buy it; The pictures, tables, and diagrams are all superb. Many chapters on advertising and having your personal practice. A full section on spa services and a good few spa recipes. Descriptions of different modalities plus photos of the techniques. I absolutely love it! EDIT: I reviewed this book soon after buying it and reading through a good part of it. Unfortunately, in Ohio we just need to find out about 3-4 chapters out of this entire reserve that are on the State Board Medical Exam. This was unneeded and it's therefore annoying that the institution said we required it, only to find out

afterwards we won't actually be tested (when it counts) on more than half the book! If you use both to learn the anatomy the Theory and Practice publication will show its inconsistencies. May be used as a text book for college students and reference for practitioners. One or two mistakes would be acceptable, but there are too many to end up being counted. It'll often use several different terms during the period of many paragraphs without explaining that it's talking about the same thing. The grammar is definitely incorrect in a number of places rendering it difficult to understand. There are places in the glossary where phrases are misspelled, and at least one place, that looks like the sentences had been trim and pasted back together leaving the letters jumbled. Also, there are some terms that are defined one way in one chapter and in another chapter, they are described therefore differently that it is complicated. the scope of materials should continue to last long after graduation.**UPDATE**Let me also add that there's a straight better message text available here on Amazon: Fundamental CLINICAL THERAPEUTIC MASSAGE by James H. At the purchase price we pay for college textbooks, I believe that they should be edited carefully and should show their material clearly. Arrived in great condition. Excellent content Arrived in great condition. Excellent content good buy !! This is a well crafted Book!



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