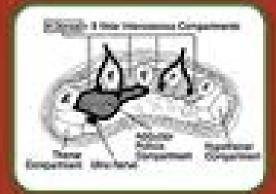
## EMERGENCY WAR SURGERY

The Survivalist's Medical Desk Reference

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Military surgeons must assume a leadership role in combat casualty care in circumstances which are much less than ideal. Featuring almost 200 illustrations demonstrating appropriate techniques, Emergency War Surgery may be the most trusted and up-to-date manual offered by the Department of Defense for military medical personnel in the field. This handbook provides a lot of the information needed to tackle these problems and features state-of-the-art concepts and practices of ahead trauma surgery as utilized by military doctors in far flung places around the globe.



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Given the title, I expected different things. Even a well outfitted Corpsman won't have the necessary gear to handle most of these procedures, a lot of which need at least a "MASH" level facility (for which kind of facility this reserve appears to have been written). Since there is some of what I wanted, it buried under substantial amounts of pharmacology and phases of care. Wished an in the mud treatment guidebook. After all, what survivalist may use general anesthesia and needs dosing for Gentamycin or Clindamycin, or can even get their hands on them to begin with? That said, if however you have a Level I or II surgical middle in your basement, after that perhaps you are the sort of survivalist this book was intended for. If you are searching for reference materials for survival situation crisis medical care, or life-saving surgical procedures in the field (with out a field surgical unit), then this isn't likely to satisfy. Place this in your bug-out shelter library, but not in your "Proceed Bag" First of all, I'm a prepper, with armed service, survival, and a fair degree of medical experience and training. I also teach and train that stuff. Even so, much of this publication is far and away too technical for actually my skills and probably unusable by anyone without at least EMT level schooling. Notwithstanding that, I strongly suggest that anyone who's serious about prepping obtain it because it may save your valuable - or somebody's, whom you love, life. This is an extremely, very thorough book covering surgical procedures for almost any problem subject to medical procedures or amelioration. It really is well arranged, with step-by-step techniques for prepping, opening, repairing, closing, and post-surgical care for each kind of surgery..to provide to your community doctor, never to reference yourself.! The title and explanation has me expecting a surgical reference, which this is not. It assumes you get access to the proper tools required to perform the jobs described. Here's the thing - I've personal "bug-out luggage" for myself and everyone in my own family, which are made to ensure that they are able to live at least 1 week away from home from even the most severe imaginable societal breakdown. Furthermore, I've a "family bug-out" bag which will carry most of us for another month (with enough basic gear to create us up to carry on thereafter). Therefore! House, M. Among the meds and surgical tables and gear, I have this book, plus a current copy of "Grey's Anatomy" and a "Dorland's Medical Dictionary" ("Tabor's" is also great). Here's why: This reserve is a complete, comprehensive, step-bystep information on how to perform essentially any surgery recognized to (wo)guy. it's an idiom, it generally does not have to seem sensible). I cannot possibly memorize every procedure included herein, but, with this book, I need not. It is sufficiently written that it can reduce even fairly complicated surgery to the amount of intelligibility (and problems) one has to deal with piecing together an IKEA entertainment middle. Without it, they will die. If this book were a house, it'd come with the kitchen sink (never brain that houses usually come with kitchen sinks as a standard option; I have found no other "surgical instruction" which answers the problem or fills the necessity so well as that one. If you're serious about living then anticipate getting this reserve and deploying it as a guide to piecing together your "post-apocalypse" medical facility, after that start planning yourself mentally for becoming the "doc" because I suspect that real MD's will be in short supply during the "End of Days". "Medical Table Reference", NOT "Bubba Bushcraft's Post-Apocalyptic MEDICAL" Guide" Most of the negative testimonials seem to be along the lines of "not what We expected...". Let me know what precisely these people expected from a reserve titled EMERGENCY WAR Procedure. That is a book written by army doctors for army doctors to help deal with people in war zones. What would have been far more helpful is some procedures that you might be reasonably expected to need and make use of in a "war" or SHTF scenario on a flip chart - Pericardiocentesis, Apendectomy, C-Section, Vaginal repair, Ingrown toenail removal, Tooth Extraction, burn off debridement, bullet removal, fracture reduction, muscle/tendon restoration, etc. This is an ER room instruction guide. It really is so totally and utterly filled up with medical terminology of the body that

unless you're Dr.but this really does seem to cover everything you could possibly run into - here's hoping I never need to refer to the chapters on cesarean sections and neonatal resuscitation. With it, they have a chance and, should we become actually confronted with "TEOTWAWKI", this book may be the "critical edge" I need to conserve them. Provided I can maintain them stabilized for a day or two where to study the methods and familiarize myself with the anatomy, this reserve will, in fact, let me walk through the required procedure, something I possibly could not do without it. Again, this publication is a REFERENCE MANUAL FOR Specialists, NOT A FIRST-AID GUIDE FOR CAMPERS. If you're a "true" survivalist who would like to be able to develop a fully self-enough community in the event of a total system failure then yes, you should absolutely have this reserve. It is, nevertheless, NOT "jargon free of charge" and those with out a fair amount of knowledge of medical terminology and anatomy are likely to think it is a "hard slog".. The illustrations are also both sparse and definately not clear. Since it says right in the subtitle: it's a table reference, not really a "for dummies" guide. It assumes you know your anterior from your own posterior, your superior from your own inferior, your duodenum from your jejunum.SO, with those "negatives" and "caveats", as to why would I desire the will be prepper/survivalist to get this book (and I DO recommend that)? If you understood all those terms (or at least took the time to appear them up and state "hmm, I will definitely have a class upon this") then this book might just help you save someone's life 1 day. For everyone else, it's something you can go through before bed to help put you to sleep if you don't have a doctor to give it to. I want the actual book. Do not get me wrong, there exists a lot of good information in this reserve, it's just not the info I expected, and certainly most of what I've browse of it (I'm ~2/3 through it) is usually nothing ideal for a survivalist who's not also your physician. Four Stars Interesting Great buy! Bought for my hubby, he likes it but you do need to find out medical terminology to comprehend some of the stuff. if you live in chicago, detroit or florida, this book is crucial! very informative, hope i never need this details. just in case though, i purchased. i hunt and all that jazz. simply nice to know i know how to proceed if a friend is normally shot or mauled while out in the field. this publication in know method is an alternative for professional medical care, it is only a prevent gap, this book has details for from setting up a triage to caring for the wounded until thy could be transported to a better facility. the price was wonderful for all your info contained. it really is akin to what an emt will be educated for, in chicago (you know that very gun controlled town, where only criminals can get guns because they refuse to let the people protect themselves). so if you live in florida, chicago or detroit, i would recommend this reserve, you are gonna require it. got the cops shooting everyone and the gangsters shooting back.G. Absolutely Amazing Publication For Trained Professionals - Survivalists/Preppers - READ THIS For already knowledgeable and trained medical professionals: Choose the book, and you rock for your dedication to learning everything you already know. Way to go! Keep this book secure forever and ever. For survivalists/preppers, read this entire review. It's too complex for a lay person but much too basic for anyone who has a strong emergency health background (ER doc, medic, etc). If you are a postapocaluptic survivalist prepper, and you want to understand how exactly to do surgery on your kids or on anybody else you like, this isn't the book for you.. If someone in my group abruptly develops appendicitis, this is the book I'm going to use to move in and repair 'em. However!. It really is highly likely, if I and/or my family survive past that initial month and weekly, that, at some point, somebody will probably get seriously hurt or unwell and somebody is going to need surgical care, to which end my shelter has been ever more and better outfitted to handle these kinds of medical complications.D.! This reserve is basically the end result of years worthy of of studying anatomy and a full understanding & foundation of medical and anatomical terminology. Nevertheless, I don't plan on conveniently duing a week or even 5 weeks following the SHTF, to which end I have a "bug-out"

area. Beyond placing upper body tubes and the section on pinning a femur, there is not much useful path or procedures (other then factors that assume you have an ultrasound machine, etc). It's for an ereader. Not yet. The reserve also presumes usage of equipment and medications that your person with average skills neither has nor provides access to., you will have no idea how exactly to do some of it regardless of how detailed the actions are.! I've NOT purchased this "book" however & my ONLY complaint is definitely this isn't the book! now tell me, in the shtf situations are most of us going of have our laptop computers out, readin gwhat to accomplish or would you favour the hard copy?? Not much help for in the field remedies, for me only. Expected different, not necessarily impressed with what I acquired. I'm going to go the other direction from the good review compiled by E. bound to need to save a pal or family member someday in the event that you stay there. I would like to have observed more photos and interventions for actual war surgery. I agree that it isn't what I expected but from the various other side. First and foremost, if you are not already a health care provider with professional teaching and knowledge of the human anatomy and medical and anatomical terminology, this reserve is just about useless. This might be ideal for a nurse or dentist. Someone who is generally acquainted with medical principles and terms but not really ready to treat trauma. From my standpoint (as a medic) it had been far too large on education/concept and far too light on managements and interventions. Hally (above). Five Stars products are fine NOT the book. I'm actually loathe to state a book covers everything.



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