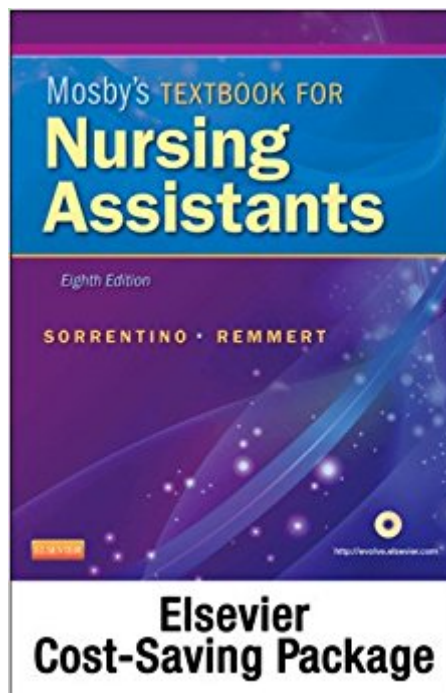




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If youre going for your CNA this has everything! Im currently studying for my CNA and i know ill get my state test aced the first time!!! This has very detailed pictures explaining what do to, how to roll them over and so on. Very glad i bought this book!

I used Mosby's Textbook for Nursing Assistants over twenty years at a high school nursing program. When it came time to reorder new books, my colleague and I would review other nursing assistant text books. No other publication came close to identifying clearly the salient points of skill procedures, patient dignity, cleanliness and safety than Shella Sorrento's nursing assistant text books.

This amazing book is a must have for any healthcare professional. Very easy to read and to understand, loaded with photos and illustrations, it gives step-by-step instructions on over 100 healthcare procedures. With over 800 pages, a glossary section and a CD-ROM, The MOSBY'S TEXTBOOK FOR NURSING ASSISTANTS is indeed an excellent guidance system for the CNA and the regular person taking care of another. As a NURSING ASSISTANT, this very important

book will ever be my point of reference. This latest edition is well updated with everything pertaining to basic and intermediate healthcare. Most highly recommend to anyone who is in this field or contemplating healthcare as a career.

While you will learn all you need for the "written" test (it's actually on computer), the book doesn't help to give you a heads up on the Skills test, taken the same day. A listing of all the steps involved in each one, with a list of supplies needed for each would have been good. There is a CD that comes with the text that purportedly has such but the audio/visual part leaves out a lot and I found myself printing out the text for each skill from the CD. I took a six-week intensive course with only five weeks of classes (M - TH), only half of which dealt with the skills. Ten classes, three hours each, with eight other students to learn all the 22 skills was just not enough time to get the practice necessary and while my test is still more than 3 weeks away I feel shaky on the Skills. Six days of practicum at a hospital was somewhat helpful, but the practice there while basically the same, was different enough from what the state test calls for as to confuse and frustrate this student. Again, the text is good as far as it goes but should give fair warning (and advice) on the, to my mind, more important issue of preparing for the practice (skills): eg. schedule study sessions with your fellow students, all whose phone numbers you have, using the classroom on campus (with permission and availability secured) to practice the skills!

Content is very clear and not confusing. The book teaches exactly what you need to know without a lot of fluff. Good quality image, explanations, and steps to aid the learning process.

The book is great! The only reason I'm giving the workbook 3 stars is because the person who made the workbook did not think ahead of time and made all the pages printed on front and back. So when you go to turn in a chapter for instance chapter 1..the first page of chapter two will be in the back of chapter 1's last page. It's a problem when you have to turn these pages in because then you're missing pages from certain chapters.

This package doesn't come with the skills DVD. It's apparent that someone had opened the package and removed the DVD, as the ISBN number on the shrink wrap is for a complete package including DVD. So if you need the videos find a listing that specifies that the DVD is included!

This book covers all aspects of nursing assistants duties. It also is very in depth with explaining

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