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The influenza pandemic caused by the 2009 H1N1 virus underscores the immediate and critical need to prepare for a public health emergency in which

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thousands, tens of thousands, or even hundreds of thousands of people suddenly seek and require medical care in communities across the United States. Guidance for Establishing Crisis Standards of Care for Use in Disaster Situations draws from a broad spectrum of expertise--including state

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and local public health, emergency medicine and response, primary care, nursing, palliative care, ethics, the law, behavioral health, and risk communication--to offer guidance toward establishing standards of care that should apply to disaster situations, both naturally occurring and man-

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made, under conditions in which resources are scarce. This book explores two case studies that illustrate the application of the guidance and principles laid out in the report. One scenario focuses on a gradual-onset pandemic flu. The other scenario focuses on an earthquake

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and the particular issues that would arise during a no-notice event. Outlining current concepts and offering guidance, this book will prove an asset to state and local public health officials, health care facilities, and professionals in the development of systematic and comprehensive

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policies and protocols for standards of care in disasters when resources are scarce. In addition, the extensive operations section of the book provides guidance to clinicians, health care institutions, and state and local public health officials for how crisis standards of care should be

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implemented in a disaster situation. APLS: The Pediatric Emergency Medicine Resource, Revised Fourth Edition offers the information necessary to assess and manage critically ill or injured children during the first hours in the emergency department. The Revised Fourth

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Edition of APLS is truly the body of knowledge in pediatric emergency medicine. If you want the newest, most comprehensive reference on pediatric emergency medicine, the Revised Fourth Edition will meet your needs. Developed by expert authors, editors, and faculty from both AAP and ACEP,

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the new APLS is a unique teaching and learning system for individual physicians, residents, students, and APLS instructors and course directors. The Fourth Edition of APLS has been revised and expanded to cover new conclusions drawn from reason, fact, and experience to the benefit of sick

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and injured children worldwide. Together, AAP and ACEP developed APLS into a new, stand-alone course, offering continuing medical education units and an APLS course completion card. The course is highly interactive with small group scenarios, hands-on skill stations, and case-based lectures.

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The Manchester Triage System (MTS) is the most widely used triage system in the UK, Europe and Australia, with tens of millions of patients being processed through hospital emergency departments. Emergency Triage is the core text for the MTS which utilises a risk averse system of prioritisation for

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patients in all unscheduled care settings, and as such it is an essential text for all emergency department staff using the MTS, in particular triage nurses themselves. The second edition has been revised throughout and takes in the changes in practice introduced into MTS since the book

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was first published. These include:
Redesigned and expanded flow charts
Additional charts for allergy and palpitations
New practices - such as the possibility of revascularisation for patients with stroke
New discriminators, for example acute neurological deficit and significant

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respiratory history Redefinition of existing discriminators Also new to this edition is the incorporation of sections on the use of the risk averse system in telephone triage, in settings where 'streaming' takes place and as an early warning score for patients in all unscheduled care settings. The tone of

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this edition reflects the more up to date, modified approach to triage while retaining the principles of clinical prioritisation, which in the authors' words "remains a central plank of clinical risk management in emergency care". Emergency Triage is an essential handbook for all clinicians

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involved in unscheduled care settings such as emergency care, walk in centres, minor injury units, primary care out of hours services.

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handbook of narrative practice guidelines for use in obstetric triage and emergency settings provides speedy access to critical information needed by healthcare providers in obstetrics, midwifery, emergency medicine, and family care medicine. It includes narrative practice protocols

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that offer point of service management guidelines, diagnostic parameters, ultrasound imaging and other diagnostic modalities, and easy to follow algorithms and tables in each chapter. This information will enable practitioners to easily recognize and understand symptomatology, lab

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results, diagnostic imaging and clinical workings. Chapters address over 30 clinical conditions and are consistently organized to include presenting symptomatology, history and data collection, physical exam findings, lab and imaging studies, differential diagnosis and clinical management

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and follow up. The book disseminates the contributions of expert midwives, nurse practitioners, obstetricians, gynecologists, and radiologists who evaluate more than 30,000 obstetric visits each year. Key Features: Pocket-sized and easy-to-use Includes current guidelines for more than 30 clinical

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situations requiring obstetric triage or emergency care Offers plentiful diagnostic and imaging guidelines with accompanying figures and images Presents algorithms, diagnostic images, and best evidence for each condition

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Augmentation of Labour
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Labour
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Catastrophic Disaster Response:

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**Arguing that
contemporary maternity
services provide a toxic
environment both in
which to practise and to**

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give birth, this book looks at how we can change this. Its aim is promoting the best possible experiences of childbearing, and confident, strengthening

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and loving contexts for
new parenthood. Designed
to create awareness
about the professional
and political realities
which enmesh maternity
care, this inspiring

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volume features an in-depth and research-oriented analysis of the challenges faced by contemporary maternity services. Recognising the frequently hostile

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environment in which midwives practise, the contributors go on to explore its impact on women and families, as well as on midwives themselves. They then

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look at woman-centred and community-based ways of contributing to a much better birthing experience for all.

Important and relevant for all those with an

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interest in improving maternity care, this book is particularly suited to midwives - practising and student, doulas, birth educators and activists,

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polycymakers and health service managers.

Business intelligence (BI) tools are capable of working with healthcare data in an efficient manner to

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generate real-time
information and
knowledge relevant to
the success of
healthcare
organizations. Further,
BI tools benefit

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healthcare professionals
making critical
decisions within
hospitals, clinics, and
physicians' offices.

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and Healthcare

Organizations presents
new solutions for data
analysis within the
healthcare sector in
order to improve the
quality of medical care

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and patient quality of life. Business intelligence models and techniques are explored and their benefits for the healthcare sector exposed in this timely

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research-based
publication comprised of
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informatics engineers,
and students in graduate-
level healthcare
management programs will

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find this publication
essential to their
professional development
and research needs.

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peak professional
association representing
emergency nurses and has
endorsed this text in
recognition of the
relevance it has to
emergency nursing across

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Australasia. Led by an expanded editorial team of internationally recognised clinicians, researchers and leaders in emergency care, the 3rd edition of Emergency

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and Trauma Care for
Nurses and Paramedics
continues to be the
foremost resource for
students preparing to
enter the emergency
environment and for

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clinicians seeking a greater understanding of multidisciplinary emergency care. The text provides nursing and paramedicine students and clinicians with the

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opportunity to understand the best available evidence behind the treatment that is provided throughout the emergency care trajectory. This

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unique approach
ultimately seeks to
strengthen
multidisciplinary care
and equip readers with
the knowledge and skills
to provide safe,

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hospital environments.
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safety and quality care
in emergency All
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NMBA and PBA Standards
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Catastrophic disasters
occurring in 2011 in the
United States and

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worldwide--from the
tornado in Joplin,
Missouri, to the
earthquake and tsunami
in Japan, to the
earthquake in New
Zealand--have

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demonstrated that even prepared communities can be overwhelmed. In 2009, at the height of the influenza A (H1N1) pandemic, the Assistant Secretary for

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**Preparedness and
Response at the
Department of Health and
Human Services, along
with the Department of
Veterans Affairs and the
National Highway Traffic**

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Safety Administration,
asked the Institute of
Medicine (IOM) to
convene a committee of
experts to develop
national guidance for
use by state and local

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public health officials
and health-sector
agencies and
institutions in
establishing and
implementing standards
of care that should

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apply in disaster
situations—both
naturally occurring and
man-made—under
conditions of scarce
resources. Building on
the work of phase one

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(which is described in IOM's 2009 letter report, *Guidance for Establishing Crisis Standards of Care for Use in Disaster Situations*), the

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committee developed detailed templates enumerating the functions and tasks of the key stakeholder groups involved in crisis standards of care

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(CSC) planning, implementation, and public engagement—state and local governments, emergency medical services (EMS), hospitals and acute care

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facilities, and out-of-hospital and alternate care systems. Crisis Standards of Care provides a framework for a systems approach to the development and

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implementation of CSC plans, and addresses the legal issues and the ethical, palliative care, and mental health issues that agencies and organizations at each

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level of a disaster response should address. Please note: this report is not intended to be a detailed guide to emergency preparedness or disaster response.

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What is described in this report is an extrapolation of existing incident management practices and principles. Crisis Standards of Care is a

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seven-volume set: Volume 1 provides an overview; Volume 2 pertains to state and local governments; Volume 3 pertains to emergency medical services; Volume

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4 pertains to hospitals and acute care facilities; Volume 5 pertains to out-of-hospital care and alternate care systems; Volume 6 contains a

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public engagement
toolkit; and Volume 7
contains appendixes with
additional resources.

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Nursing – E-Book

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the quality of care for
small and sick newborns
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Gynecologists, and is designed for use by all personnel involved in the care of pregnant women, their foetuses, and their neonates.

A streamlined approach covers the fundamentals of maternity

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nursing! Maternity Nursing, 8th Edition focuses on the care of women during the childbearing years. Designed to meet the needs of today ' s students, the book offers a clear, readable style and a concise, focused

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presentation. It integrates an understanding of family, culture, and health promotion into the continuum of care, and coverage of community-based care emphasizes nursing care in many different settings. Not

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only does Maternity Nursing focus on childbearing issues and concerns, including care of the newborn, but it also addresses wellness promotion and the management of common women ' s health problems. The

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Evolve companion website includes useful study tools, including medical animations, video clips, a care plan builder, and NCLEX® exam-style review questions. A companion Evolve website includes student

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resources such as NCLEX® exam-style review questions, audio chapter summaries, a care plan builder, nursing skills, interactive case studies, video clips and animations, anatomy reviews, and an audio glossary

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information nurses need to communicate to patients and families. Critical Thinking exercises are based on case studies of real-life situations. Coverage of nursing care management uses a framework

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of the five steps of the nursing process as well as a focus on collaborative care. Nursing care plans include specific guidelines and rationales for interventions. Intrapartum care has undergone profound changes over the past

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50 years. This book examines these changes and their intersection in midwifery practice, in particular their impact on the role of the midwife during labour and birth. Addressing a wide range of

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topics surrounding normal birth, this unique and diverse book provides an up-to-date, holistic overview of current knowledge, research and practice. The contributions from experts in the field include discussion of

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the evolution of intrapartum care and debates about childbirth education, as well as looking at birth environments, labour rhythm.

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Improvement is driven by

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clinical effectiveness and increasing patient demands, and for each area of practice described this book outlines the service organisation needed to

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achieve this improvement. The goal is to help clinicians take responsibility for developing services that meet the needs of their patients as well as

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managing their individual medical conditions. The book demonstrates that much can be achieved within current resources and without major additional

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expense. Different approaches are demonstrated, but the key issue is the patient pathway. Trainees, clinicians, managers and commissioners of

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services will find this book of practical value. There should be a copy on the shelves of every hospital obstetric unit. Pregnancy, childbirth, postpartum and newborn

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care: a guide for essential practice (3rd edition) (PCPNC), has been updated to include recommendations from recently approved WHO guidelines relevant to

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maternal and perinatal health. These include pre-eclampsia & eclampsia; postpartum haemorrhage; postnatal care for the mother and baby; newborn

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resuscitation;
prevention of mother-to-
child transmission of
HIV; HIV and infant
feeding; malaria in
pregnancy, interventions
to improve preterm birth

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outcomes, tobacco use and second-hand exposure in pregnancy, post-partum depression, post-partum family planning and post abortion care. The aim of PCPNC is to

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provide evidence-based recommendations to guide health care professionals in the management of women during pregnancy, childbirth and

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postpartum, and newborns, and post abortion, including management of endemic diseases like malaria, HIV/AIDS, TB and anaemia. The PCPNC is a

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guide for clinical decision-making. All recommendations are for skilled attendants working at the primary level of health care, either at the facility

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or in the community.
They apply to all women
attending antenatal
care, in delivery,
postpartum or post
abortion care, or who
come for emergency care,

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and to all newborns at birth for routine and emergency care.

Disease Management
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for use by professional nurses*

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assessing and advising patients over the telephone on topics related to obstetrics and gynecology. It is designed to crystalize the professionals existing knowledge base and to provide clear guidance on handling a wide-variety of patient situations about which the triage nurse

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might need to work through. the protocols are organized alphabetically by major topic areas and outline the salient medical, legal and practical considerations involved important educational points are highlighted to reinforce important points to stress
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students, Lowdermilk's Maternity Nursing, 8th Edition - Revised Reprint addresses the fundamentals of maternity nursing with a concise, focused presentation of the care of women during the childbearing years. Integrating considerations for family, culture, and health promotion into the

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continuum of care, it also addresses community-based care to emphasize that nursing care takes place in many settings. Maternity Nursing focuses on childbearing issues and concerns, including care of the newborn, as well as wellness promotion and management of common women's

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health problems. Critical thinking exercises present case studies of real-life situations and corresponding critical thinking questions to help you develop your analytical skills. NEW! A helpful appendix identifies text content that reflects the QSEN competencies - patient-centered care, teamwork and

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collaboration, evidence-based practice, quality improvement, safety, and informatics - to assist you in developing competencies to provide safe and effective nursing care. NEW! Focus on the family recognizes the nurse's need to integrate the family in the care of the mother and newborn

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and the importance of the role of the mother to the wellbeing of the family. NEW! Content updates throughout, including information on the late preterm infant and associated concerns such as feeding; guidelines on prioritization and delegation where relevant; and centering pregnancy, a

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new model of health care that brings women together in groups for their care. NEW! Evidence-based practice content focuses your attention on how to use current research to improve patient outcomes. NEW! Improved readability helps you learn more efficiently with shorter, more focused

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content discussions. NEW! 21st Century Maternity Nursing: Culturally Competent, Community Focused chapter combines introductory material, culture, and community into one chapter to help you focus on key content and concepts. NEW! Streamlined content highlights the

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most essential, need-to-know information.

This up-to-date, comprehensive and consolidated guideline on essential intrapartum care brings together new and existing WHO recommendations that, when delivered as a package, will ensure good-quality and evidence-

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based care irrespective of the setting or level of health care. The recommendations presented in this guideline are neither country nor region specific and acknowledge the variations that exist globally as to the level of available health services within and between countries. The guideline

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highlights the importance of woman-centered care to optimize the experience of labor and childbirth for women and their babies through a holistic, human rights-based approach. It introduces a global model of intrapartum care, which takes into account the complexity and diverse

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nature of prevailing models of care and contemporary practice. The recommendations in this guideline are intended to inform the development of relevant national- and local-level health policies and clinical protocols. Therefore, the target audience includes national and local public

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health policy-makers, implementers and managers of maternal and child health programs, health care facility managers, nongovernmental organizations (NGOs), professional societies involved in the planning and management of maternal and child health services, health care

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professionals (including nurses, midwives, general medical practitioners and obstetricians) and academic staff involved in training health care professionals.

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Resource

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Department and prehospital settings. This edition features revised protocols that reflect new approaches to prioritisation, with accompanying revised flowcharts - the core part of the

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triage and the triage nurse 6:
Auditing the triage process 7:
Telephone triage 8: Beyond
prioritisation to other
applications
Midwifery & Women's Health
"Fetal heart rate monitoring is

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widely used by almost every obstetrician as a way to document the case and to help decrease health care costs. This is a short reference on the physiologic benefits, instrumentation, application

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and interpretation of fetal heart rate monitoring. The second half of the book uses actual FHR strips and cases to illustrate various anomalies (fetal distress, fetal distress in prematurity, fetus with CNS

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dysfunction). Several new drugs have been introduced for use during labor that effect FHR"--Provided by publisher. First Edition Named a 2013 Doody's Core Title! First Edition Second Place AJN Book-

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With more women than ever seeking obstetric triage and emergency services in obstetric triage units, obstetric providers need to be aware of triage

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assessment and evaluation protocols. This prize-winning pocket guide, containing management guidelines for obstetric triage/emergency settings, delivers critical information on obstetrics,

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midwifery, emergency, and family care for both students and seasoned clinicians. As with the first edition, all of the newly revised chapters take a strong collaborative and interprofessional approach to

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clinical conditions in the obstetric triage setting. With specific clinical protocols for more than 30 clinical situations, this fully updated second edition includes two completely new chapters on sepsis in

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pregnancy and triage acuity tools, along with updated guidelines for hypertension, sepsis, and postpartum complications. Each protocol comprises presenting symptomatology, patient history

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and data collection, physical exam findings, laboratory and imaging studies, differential diagnosis, and clinical management protocol/follow up. Plentiful figures and images, reference tables and

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standardized forms for reference and usage, algorithms, and clinical pathways illustrate chapter content. Esteemed contributors include midwives, nurse practitioners, obstetricians,

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gynecologists, and maternal fetal medicine faculty who evaluate nearly 30,000 OB visits per year. New to the Second Edition: New chapters on sepsis in pregnancy and triage acuity tools Key updates

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on ectopic pregnancy, nausea and hyperemesis in pregnancy, severe preeclampsia, sexually transmitted and other infections, substance abuse, and psychiatric disorders in pregnancy Expanded

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information on periviable
obstetric management
Information on Zika and Ebola
Clinical callouts in each chapter
highlighting key points
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figures Formatted consistently
for quick access Offers
algorithms, protocols,
diagnostic imaging, and best
evidence for each condition
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Organizations

Obstetrics Algorithms in
Clinical Practice

Guidance for Establishing Crisis
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Disaster Situations

Family-centered Maternity Care

Within the continuum of reproductive health care, antenatal care provides a platform for important health-care functions, including health promotion,

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screening and diagnosis, and disease prevention. It has been established that, by implementing timely and appropriate evidence-based practices, antenatal care can save lives. Endorsed by the United Nations Secretary-General, this is a

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comprehensive WHO guideline on routine antenatal care for pregnant women and adolescent girls. It aims to complement existing WHO guidelines on the management of specific pregnancy-related complications. The guidance

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captures the complex nature of the antenatal care issues surrounding healthcare practices and delivery, and prioritizes person-centered health and well-being --- not only the prevention of death and morbidity --- in accordance with a

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human rights-based approach.
This new edition of an acclaimed text reviews the evidence for best practice in Maternal-Fetal Medicine, to present the reader with the right information, with appropriate use of proven

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interventions and avoidance of ineffectual or harmful ones. The information is presented in the right format by summarizing evidence succinctly and clearly in tables and algorithms. The aim is to inform the clinician, to reduce errors and "to

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make it easy to do it right." The volume can be purchased separately or together with the companion volume on Obstetric Evidence Based Guidelines (set ISBN 9780367567033). The Series in Maternal-Fetal Medicine is

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published in conjunction with the Journal of Maternal-Fetal and Neonatal Medicine. From reviews of previous editions: An excellent resource with quick and easy protocols... this book has a permanent spot on my shelf.

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—*Doody's Review Service*

Implementing safety practices in healthcare saves lives and improves the quality of care: it is therefore vital to apply good clinical practices, such as the WHO surgical checklist, to adopt the most

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appropriate measures for the prevention of assistance-related risks, and to identify the potential ones using tools such as reporting & learning systems. The culture of safety in the care environment and of human factors influencing it

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should be developed from the beginning of medical studies and in the first years of professional practice, in order to have the maximum impact on clinicians' and nurses' behavior. Medical errors tend to vary with the level of

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proficiency and experience, and this must be taken into account in adverse events prevention. Human factors assume a decisive importance in resilient organizations, and an understanding of risk control and containment is

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fundamental for all medical and surgical specialties. This open access book offers recommendations and examples of how to improve patient safety by changing practices, introducing organizational and technological innovations, and

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creating effective, patient-centered, timely, efficient, and equitable care systems, in order to spread the quality and patient safety culture among the new generation of healthcare professionals, and is intended for residents and young

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professionals in different clinical specialties.

The delivery of high quality and equitable care for both mothers and newborns is complex and requires efforts across many sectors. The United States spends more on

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childbirth than any other country in the world, yet outcomes are worse than other high-resource countries, and even worse for Black and Native American women. There are a variety of factors that influence childbirth, including social

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determinants such as income, educational levels, access to care, financing, transportation, structural racism and geographic variability in birth settings. It is important to reevaluate the United States' approach to maternal and newborn

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care through the lens of these factors across multiple disciplines.

Birth Settings in America:

Outcomes, Quality, Access, and Choice reviews and evaluates

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