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# Medical Terminology For Health Care Professionals (8th Edition) (Rice, Medical Terminology)



## Synopsis

NOTE: Item does not contain access code along with it. The proven guide to learning medical vocabulary is now offering even more opportunities to learn, practice, and connect up-to-date vocabulary with real healthcare clients and careers. This comprehensive, proven text offers a logical, simple system for learning medical vocabulary primarily by building terms from word parts. Medical Terminology for Health Care Professionals, 8/e first introduces medical terminology and its essential suffixes and prefixes; then guides students logically through each key body system, working from the outside in, and from simple systems to complex. Additional specialty chapters cover oncology, radiology/nuclear medicine, and more; this edition's mental health chapter is fully revised for DSM-5, published May 2013. Every chapter is built around a color-coded word list showing how word parts are built, pronounced, and defined. Most pages also contain vibrant images, including anatomically precise drawings, authentic medical photos, and engaging labeling activities. Updated throughout, this Eighth Edition's new features include: Combining Forms tables with meanings; streamlined and improved discussions of anatomy; Rule Reminders; integrated Study and Review Exercise sections throughout each system chapter; new case study vignettes; Practical Application Exercises using modern EHR records; and many new images.

**Teaching and Learning Experience**

This text will help health professionals quickly master the modern terminology of healthcare, and master techniques for decoding any new term, in any area of healthcare, throughout their careers. Its key differentiators include:

- Intuitive "word parts" approach to building medical vocabulary: A step-by-step approach proven to build both mastery and confidence in students with a wide range of backgrounds and goals
- Innovative pedagogy, including extensive opportunities to deepen understanding through practice (both print and online): Provides everything from EHR-based application exercises to pronunciation guides and Spanish-language translators
- Broad coverage that goes far beyond many medical terminology books: Includes coverage of topics ranging from cancer to mental illness, anatomy and physiology to lifespan considerations, thereby preparing students to enter a wider spectrum of careers
- Also available with MyMedicalTerminologyLab

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Fast shipping and just what we needed. Grossly overpriced as all textbooks are but not something can do anything about.

I actually wish I had bought this instead of rented it. This text was great for my course and really good reference to use. I would buy it instead of renting it though.

This is the exact book I need for my Medical Terminology class. It came quickly and is in the condition in which it was advertised. I'm extremely happy with my purchase, as well as the

experience I had.

I like how this book was quick to the point and every chapter broke it down easily to understand. Great book! There's also review pages on the end of each chapter. It helps a lot!

I loved this book, it gives a lot of knowledge about medical terminology, anatomy and physiology, in an easy to understand format.

I typically do not re-read school books, but I am making an exception to this one. It is short and sweet and is straight to the vital information. Not to mention, everything in it is interesting.

The best medical terminology book that I used. Provided great information and overall organization well done.

Helped me get through my medical terminology class, definitely a must have.

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