Synopsis
Updated with NANDA-I 2012-2014 Diagnoses
This all-in-one care planning resource provides the step-by-step guidance you need to develop individualized plans of care, while also honing your critical thinking and analytical skills. Thoroughly updated and revised throughout, 167 care plans reflect the latest NANDA-I diagnoses and terminology. You’ll also now find an expanded emphasis on evidence-based practice through citations that support the incidence of the problem, the validity of the diagnostic tests, and the recommended nursing interventions. The Plus Code, inside new, printed texts, unlocks a wealth of instructor and student learning resources online at DavisPlus, including your Davis Digital Version, your complete text online. You’ll also have access to all of the care plans in the book as well as additional care plans. Use the Online Disorder Lookup to easily search through 800 disorders to select the most appropriate diagnoses for your client.

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Customer Reviews
I bought this after I was loaned a much older copy. When I looked at the authors of this book I discovered they were the same ones who had written the Nurse’s Pocket Guide with Diagnoses, prioritized interventions and rationales that I love. This is the BEST care planning book that I have purchased...and I have purchased several. This one gives you a complete rundown of a condition - pathophysiology, classification, etiology, statistics, glossary of terms, related concerns,
labs/diagnostic procedures, patient need categories with symptoms, priorities, goals, diagnoses, actions and interventions AND rationales for each...yes, each! This book will not have every disease/condition, but it has a lot. Wonderful tool when you are beginning to construct care plans. I wish I had it earlier. Highly recommend buying both of them together.

Buy another care plan book! This one is not comprehensive and even our professors hated it. When looking up a nursing diagnoses in the index, it’s a guessing game as it is not in order of problem or disease process. It's very hard to navigate and while the rationales are fine once you locate your dx, it isn't very in depth. I had better luck finding usable care plan info out of my med surge or class specific textbook. Honestly, avoid this book and do not spend the money even if it's required!!!

Being a nursing student every weekend is filled with infinite amounts of studying, homework and the dreaded Careplans. This book gives nursing interventions and rationales. It Has helped me not only with my Careplan but also in the clinical setting. I am more confident than ever when I am out working on the floor. Hope this helps ‘•

I teach nursing and bought this to help my student. We have the companion book (Nsg Dx Reference Manual also by Doenges) on our required student purchase list. This one seems to be more helpful for the students early in their studies to get a handle on PLANNING in nursing care. I use it with my clinical group (smaller number of students) and also when making study guides or presentations for larger classroom. Love it for both those uses

My school recommends the one by Meg Gulanick, but this one is newer, better, and easier to read. Makes care mapping super simple. Should also get "Nursing Diagnoses 2015-17"

the book did not meet my needs. It was more for inpatient care planning. I needed something for Medical Home care plans and chronic diseases.

This product is helpful in writing my care plans as nursing school requires. I'm not sure how useful it will be in the workforce, I just hope it can get me through the NCLEX!!

I used this a bunch for my nursing care plans for school. I wish there was a bit more diseases to go through for care plans. But the book was pristine. Shipping was fast.