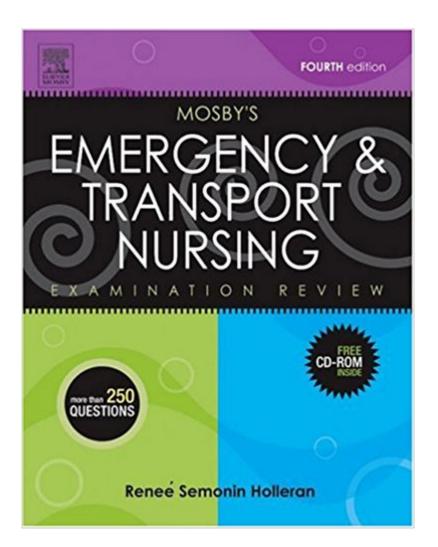


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Synopsis

This valuable study resource provides a thorough, comprehensive review for the Certified Emergency Nurse (CEN) exam - and it's the only review book that also helps readers prepare for the Certified Flight Registered Nurse (CFRN) and Flight Paramedic Certification (FP-C) exams. No other resource provides both a review of content as well as over 1,400 guestions and a CD-ROM with 3 practice tests. Each chapter features questions with answers and rationales for every question - explaining the "why" behind every answer. Packed with all the essential information needed for a complete review, it includes a new section on critical care, a new chapter on bioterrorism, and new content on conscious sedation issues, RSI, airway management, and safety training. The Transport section now includes new content on CAMTS standards and transport operations. Over 1,400 questions with rationales and references offer excellent preparation for the CEN, CFRN, and FP-C exams. A practice CD-ROM includes 3 sample exams with answers and rationales, and automatic grading helps users assess their mastery of the material. A content outline of must-know topics is provided, followed by practice questions, answers, rationales, and references. New guidelines and medications currently being used for BLS, ACLS, and PALS are discussed.New chapters have been added on Invasive Interventions, Pharmacology, Invasive Monitoring, Bioterrorism, CAMTS Standards, and Transport Operations. Updated and expanded content addresses emerging infectious diseases, CISM for emergency and transport staff, CAMTS standards and transport operations, conscious sedation issues, RSI, airway management, safety training, and age-related changes and differences (pediatric and geriatric).

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Customer Reviews

By Renee' S. Holleran, RN, PhD, CEN, CCRN, CFRN, SANE, Clinical Manager, Emergency Department, University of Utah Hospitals and Clinics, Salt Lake City, Utah

I am currently reviewing for my CFRN, I am using this book and Wingfield's ACE-SAT. I passed my CCRN a few years ago using Dennison's Pass CCRN! book and felt as though the CD-ROM on Dennison's book helped me immensely on the CCRN. I was excited to find this book with a CD edited by Holleran, who is known for writing the best books on critical care transport. HOWEVER, the CD is clearly not edited or well thought out. No matter which test you elect to review, the questions are always in the same order, and there is no way to start back where you left off. This is ok if you want to do a practice test, but if you just want to casually review on your laptop, you are out of luck. I found many questions poorly written, but for this review went back through the exam and found the ones that were indisputably erroneous (total of 17 with outright incorrect information or the wrong answer). Examples: 110 and 111 have guestions referencing a patient scenario but there is no scenario. Question 48 asserts that Hepatitis A is sexually transmitted. Question 105 calculates the correct answer based on 155lbs converting to 65kg (it's really 70kg). Question 157 asks you to treat a baby that weighs 4.5 GRAMS. 161's correct answer says that you caused hypercapnia by excessive ventilation. The errors go on an on. Then there are the outdated portions...expecting you to calculate vT based on 10-15/kg actual body weight, and question 14 which gets ACLS wrong (epi then shock within 60 seconds?). I am very very dissapointed with this text and would not recommend it to anyone.

Good review book with alot of good information and review questions!

I completely concur with the previous reviewer who stated:"This review book is filled with typos and incorrect and outdated information. The included disc with sample tests has incorrect answers and question scenarios for the wrong numbered questions. Whomever edited the book and CD should be ashamed. It is very suprising that the name Mosby is associated with this book."It is especially disappointing that the following comment is prominently used for advertising:" New guidelines and medications currently being used for BLS, ACLS, and PALS are discussed."If Mrs. Holleran is as

experienced as her CV would indicate, then she knows the AHA was in the process of making MAJOR revisions to BLS, ACLS, and PALS when her book was released and that it was in fact, 5 years OUT of DATE!To market this book as in keeping with current practice is unexcusably out of touch at best and unethical at worst. Whatever the case may be, I will think twice before purchasing another comprehensive manual wherein she is either the sole or primary author.BTW- don't buy her Air & Surface Patient Transport: Principles & Practice (Hardcover)THIRD edition either! Elsevier is about to release to release the 4th edition. It is currently delayed in production due to the E-book component. Based on my experience with Emergency & Transport Nursing, I suspect that the THIRD edition of Air & Surface Patient Transport is already outdated in several ways.

This is my second book by this author; this book has a companion DVD, is very well laid-out, and is an excellent study resource for achieving your CEN! Get one for a friend and study together! I have a group that gets together and studys for our test together - making studying pretty challenging and fun! Bring it to work and in down-time challenge your co-workers with questions from the book. Have no qualms about this purchase - it is an excellent value for the money! If finances are an issue, the older edition is excellent as well!

Well written with quiz section to prepare you for National Certification. The literature provides detailed scenarios which put you in the moment and how you would respond to the situation. I found this guide to be the most helpful and the most closely related to the actual exam.

I did enjoy the book quite a bit because what it was supposed to provide is a review of what you should already know as a nurse. I have been working as a Registered Nurse in the Emergency Department for 14 years and the information was helpful in preparing me to take the CEN exam. The only reason I am taking it now instead of before is because it is a requirement now in the ED I work in. There are some typo errors, but if this is the only complaint I have to say to get over it. I would recommend this to anyone who has experience in the Emergency Department and just needs to review information which is what the book was supposed to provide.

The "Review Outline" at the beginning of each chapter is pretty worthless. Lot's of words but no substance. The Review Questions are OK & I am continuing to study them despite finding some infuriating. eg:In Chapter 9, Medical Emergencies:All of the following may cause an apparent life-threatening event in a pediatric patient except:a) Seizure disorderb) RSVc) Munchausen's

syndrome by proxyd) All of the aboveEven after discovering that the answer is d), I still don't understand the question!!!If I pass the exam I'll probably give it another star but I wouldn't recommend it as your only resource. Get Hollerans' Air & Surface Patient Transport Principles & Practice textbook.

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