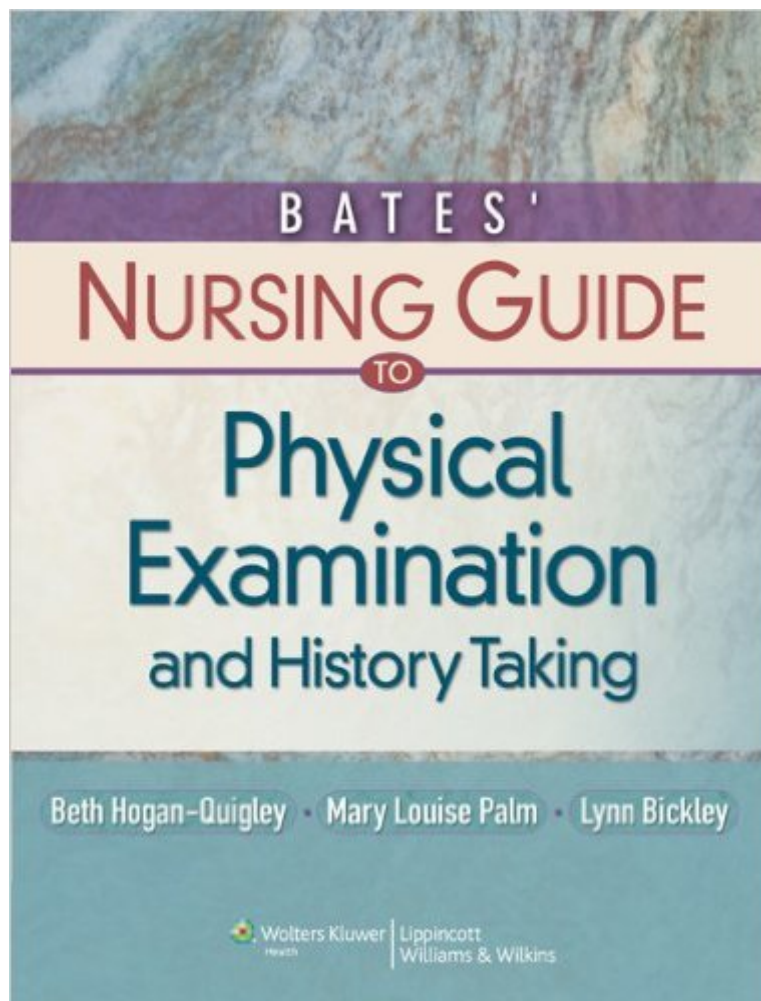


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# Bates' Nursing Guide To Physical Examination And History Taking (Guide To Physical Exam & History Taking (Bates))



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Good textbook! Its is one of the best textbooks comparing to others. The book has a lot of useful and practicable information

This is a must have for the nursing program. This book has a lot of valuable information!

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