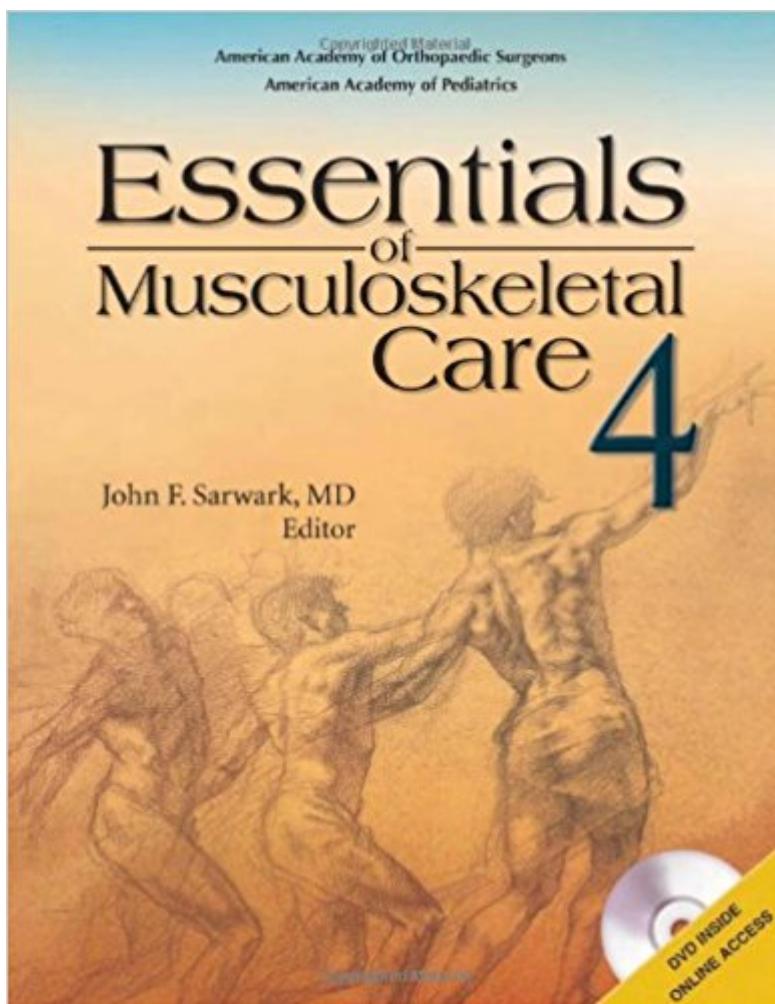


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Wonderful book. As a physician assistant student, I wanted something to more strongly supplement my ortho education, and this book does an outstanding job of it. The layout is smart and intuitive by body region, and the graphical content is a very solid mix of illustrations, diagrams and photo & radiology images. The physical book itself is large, but benefits from having a pleasant and easy-to-read layout that is consistently formatted throughout the book. This isn't a book that goes tremendously in-depth on topics (it **is** called "Essentials..."), but is a very accessible resource for generalists or even for ortho folks that want a great book on fundamentals (esp. thinking of you fellow mid-level practitioners out there). I will say that in terms of raw information, there are on-line resources that match or exceed what's available in the book... However, I don't think any of them

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The hardcover edition has useful pain diagrams at the beginning of each section. These are absent from the kindle edition. Because the sample doesn't include any of the main sections, there is no way to know this without purchasing. Also I didn't see the CD content available with the kindle edition. Otherwise, it is nice to have this excellent text on kindle/iPad.

This book is huge, and is mostly text, but it has some great diagrams of musculoskeletal anatomy, as well as specific exercises for different parts of the body that are helpful not only for the practitioner, but also for making photocopies for patients. I am a family physician in the Midwest, and I think this book is Definitely a great resource when you need more information than just a quick Google.

I bought this book as a required text for my DNP program. It is a great reference for practice. I reference the hard cover version frequently and the online software includes great patient teaching handouts.

I was warned (and thankfully so) by a good friend to NOT purchase the Kindle Edition of this text. There is quite a bit of extras that are omitted, including the online access to all of the content and videos of the various tests if you purchase the electronic version. All that aside, this book is so easy to read, it provides great insight and is very accessible (if only it weren't so darned heavy to lug around)

I am a PA student going into primary care. I love ortho and came across this book online with its great reviews. Once I took my ortho module, and I got to use this book I realized how amazing it is! It explains things simply and has GREAT visuals. No regrets buying this. I am sure I will use it throughout the rest of my career.

This text is perfect for the beginner in Orthopaedics. Each joint is broken down into specific conditions, each with symptoms, treatment, redflags, etc. The only downfall is that it needs to be more specific for more advanced orthopaedic studies. All in all, a good book for basics!!

Nice update. Bought it to replaced a 10 year old version. Nicer pictures and much more information

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