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AACN Core Curriculum for Pediatric High Acuity, Progressive and Critical Care Nursing, 4th Ed. (2026)
By American Association of Critical Care Nurses
Publisher: Spring Publishing

Advanced Burn Life Support Course Provider Manual (2023)
Publisher: American Burn Association
To purchase the manual, please contact The American Burn Association:
Phone: 312.642.9260
Email: info@ameriburn.org

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
www.cdc.gov

Critical Care Nursing: Diagnosis and Management, 10th Ed. (2026)
By Urden, Stacy, and Lough
Publisher: Elsevier Mosby

Emergency Nursing Core Curriculum, 8th Ed. (2027)
By Emergency Nurses Association (ENA)
Publisher: Elsevier

Emergency Nursing Pediatric Course: Provider Manual, 6th Ed. (2023)
Publisher: Emergency Nurses Association (ENA)
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Mosby's 2026 Nursing Drug Reference, 39th Ed. (2026)
By Linda Skidmore-Roth
Publisher: Elsevier

Mosby's Diagnostic and Laboratory Test Reference, 17th Ed. (2025)
By Kathleen Pagana, Timothy Pagana, Theresa Pagana
Publisher: Elsevier Mosby

Nelson Essentials of Pediatrics, 9th Ed. (2023)
By Karen Marcdante and Rober Kliegman
Publisher: Elsevier

Pediatric Advanced Life Support Provider Manual (2020)
By The American Heart Association (AHA)
Publisher: AHA

Rapid Access Guide for Pediatric Emergencies: Providing Expert Nursing Care, 1st Ed. (2022)
By Deb Jeffries and Lynn Visser
Publisher: Springer Publishing

Sheehy's Emergency Nursing Principles and Practice, 7th Ed. (2020)
By Emergency Nurses Association (ENA)
Publisher: Elsevier Mosby

Sheehy's Manual of Emergency Care, 8th Ed. (2024)
By Emergency Nurses Association (ENA)
Publisher: Elsevier Mosby

Trauma Nursing from Resuscitation through Rehabilitation, 5th Ed. (2020)
By Karen McQuillan
Publisher: Elsevier Saunders

Trauma Nurse Core Course Provider Manual, 9th Ed. (2023)
Publisher: Emergency Nurses Association
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Wong's Nursing Care of Infants and Children, 12th Ed. (2024)
By Marilyn J. Hockenberry and David Wilson
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