# Alexander's Care of the Patient in Surgery: A Comprehensive Guide for Perioperative Nurses

Alexander's Care of the Patient in Surgery is the definitive text for perioperative nurses, providing comprehensive coverage of all aspects of patient care in the surgical setting. This 15th edition has been thoroughly updated to reflect the latest standards and advances in surgical care, and includes new chapters on patient safety and quality improvement.



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The book is divided into four main sections:

- 1. **Preoperative Care**: This section covers the assessment of surgical patients, preoperative planning, and the role of the perioperative nurse in the preoperative setting.
- Intraoperative Care: This section covers the care of surgical patients during surgery, including the role of the perioperative nurse in the operating room.

- 3. **Postoperative Care**: This section covers the care of surgical patients after surgery, including pain management, wound care, and the role of the perioperative nurse in the recovery room.
- 4. **Special Considerations**: This section covers special considerations in the care of surgical patients, such as the care of the elderly, obese, and critically ill patients.

Alexander's Care of the Patient in Surgery is a must-have resource for perioperative nurses, and is highly recommended for all nurses who care for surgical patients.

## **Key Features of the 15th Edition**

- Thoroughly updated to reflect the latest standards and advances in surgical care
- Includes new chapters on patient safety and quality improvement
- Provides comprehensive coverage of all aspects of patient care in the surgical setting
- Written by a team of experts in perioperative nursing
- Features hundreds of illustrations and tables

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#### **Reviews**

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-Susan C. Anderson, RN, PhD, CNOR, FAAN, Past President, Association of periOperative Registered Nurses

"Alexander's Care of the Patient in Surgery is an essential resource for perioperative nurses. It provides comprehensive coverage of all aspects of patient care in the surgical setting, and is written in a clear and concise style. I highly recommend this book to all perioperative nurses."

—Linda Groah, RN, BSN, CNOR, Director of Perioperative Services, Methodist Hospital, Indianapolis, IN



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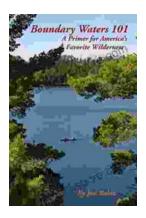
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