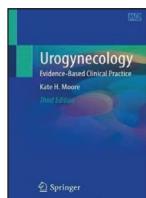


BOOK REVIEW

Urogynecology: Evidence-based Clinical Practice, 3rd Edition

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ISBN: 9783030933661, 259 pages

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Rating: ★★★★☆ (five stars out of five)

Description

This is the third edition of this pocket-sized reference designed for primarily urogynecology trainees and those with no formal urogynecology training looking for a concise but comprehensive urogynecology text. The second edition was published in 2013, and this update serves to further accomplish the author's objectives.

Purpose

The author successfully updates this reference by including topics of colpocleisis, management of mesh complications, and mechanism of beta-3 agonists. This book continues to be an excellent pocket-sized reference due to its small size, well-organized and to-the-point topics, and clear diagrams/tables/illustrations. The author's objective for this book to be a reference for trainees and those without formal urogynecology training is very much needed, and she has done a fantastic job at meeting this objective.

Audience

This book is for trainees of all levels (medical students, residents, fellows) who have not completed a formal urogynecology training program. The author is an expert in this field, and the book meets the needs of its intended audience.

Features

This book gives a broad overview of urogynecology from assessing a patient, overviews of common pelvic floor dysfunction disease states, and management and outcome measurement of these disorders. This book serves as a "how-to" guide to give readers an overview of managing these patients in a well-organized, evidence-based approach using clear diagrams, photographs, and tables, which provide immense value to the readers.

Assessment

This book continues to be a relevant text in the field of urogynecology designed for trainees and those without formal urogynecology training. It fills the unique niche in the literature given that it is a pocket-sized reference, and the updates included in this edition were necessary given the rapidly changing nature of this field.

Score

Weighted Numerical Score: 98 - *****

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