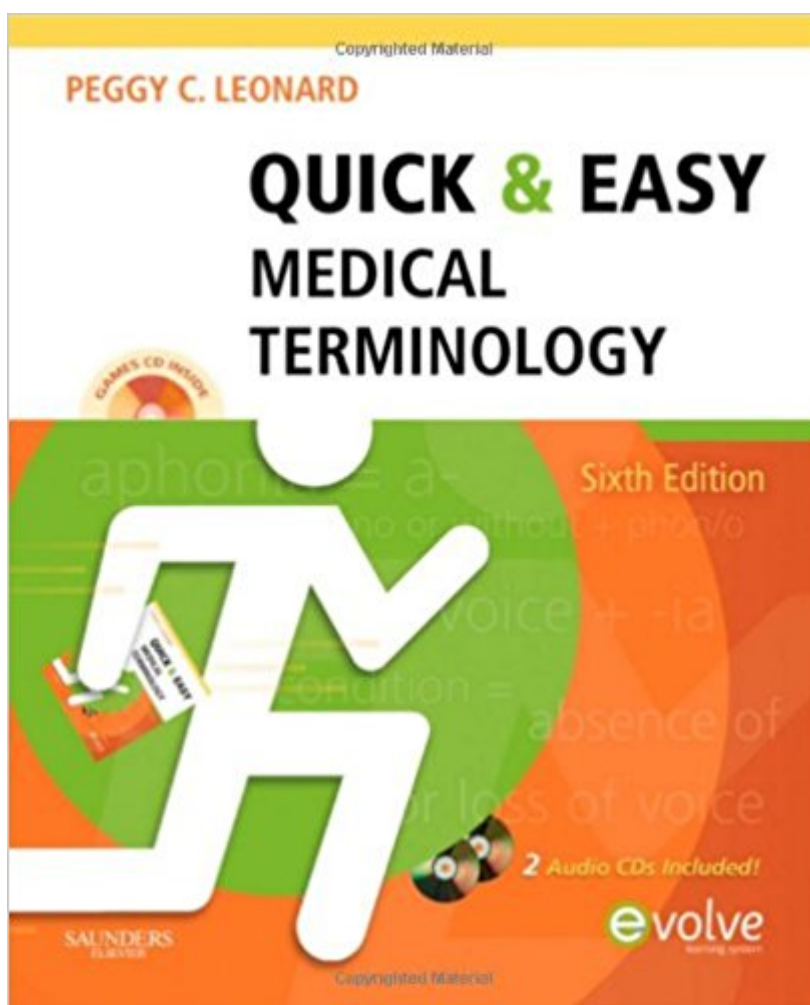


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Synopsis

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This book was required reading for my online Medical Terminology class. It is a wonderful tool for this type of class. It is easy to follow and concepts are explained fully. Lots of illustrations and "programmed reading" sections. And the answers are all in the back of the book, so it's very easy to study on your own. All my quizzes were open-book, but I imagine it would have been very difficult to memorize everything. The book covers a TON of information. If you have to take a medical terminology class, try to find one online that your program will accept for credit (as long as you have the commitment and discipline to do an online class). By the end of the semester, I actually had a better grasp of medical terminology than most of my mom's 4th-year nursing students!

Best book to help with Terminology.

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The book is a great way to learn Terminology quickly. The layout and exercises are perfect. I did not use the discs in the back as I didn't need to for my class. My book is in like new condition as I did not write in it. The quality of the book is very good, but there was some error in the spiral as some pages are stuck together at the spiral binding (for this I took away a star in the rating).

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