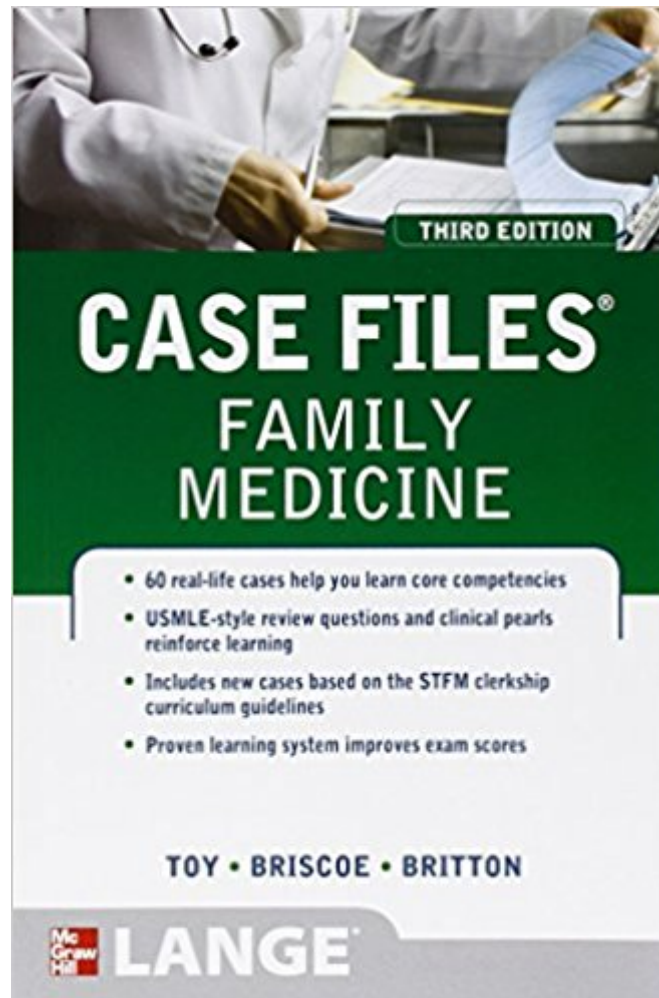




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I really like the organization and to the point presentation. It was very well done. However, some of the recommendations are already out of date (i.e., JNC-7). The vast majority is still relevant, but it may be time to consider an upgrade.

I'm finishing an FNP program now and this has been a nice refresher/ reference for clinical. It seems mostly up to date with current guidelines and although it doesn't have much in the way of specifics, it covers a broad range of general complaints that do (at least in my case) come up in clinical. The cases are short and concise so you can even go through them over lunch.

Not the best prep for shelf. One or two cases were helpful, but overall I would recommend the Step-Up book over this one if you want to learn useful things for your shelf.

Book is a wall of text. Did not help for family med shelf exam because i couldn't read good. Doing practice questions and seeing patients was a better way to study for shelf exam.

I just completed my family medicine shelf exam. I read through this book in its entirety during the clerkship. It provided some good basics on a wide variety of conditions. No, it doesn't cover absolutely everything you may see in clinic or be asked on a test, but no book will. The questions are nice. Some are a little too simple, but maybe skipping them until a few days later would be better than doing them immediately after reading the section. It's a pretty easy read and can easily be finished if you divide it up over the 6 weeks.

Great book for board review!

Great resource for FNP students. It is meant for MD's and residents, but for a nurse practitioner it is a great tool to have.

I studied almost all the books in this series for the USMLE exams and I found them very useful. This book is very much up-to-date with all the latest recommendations regarding screening tests. It also covers health maintenance visits, a topic you would be hard-pressed to find in a classic internal

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