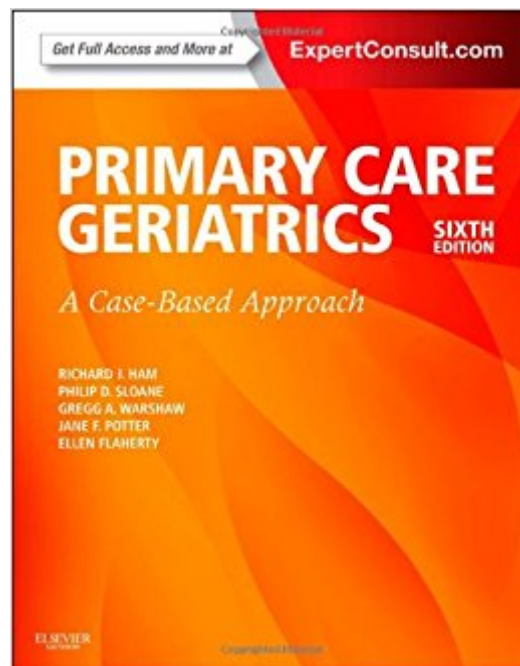




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Very good book. I'm a MSN FNP student who took a theory class on the care of older adults. Often information on Medscape or Epocrates was more current, but this book was published in 2013 so that is not surprising. It did not have all topics I was looking for but most of them. It was very helpful for writing papers and doing presentations. We had two texts for this theory class and this was my preferred resource.

Great condition upon receipt.

I love the case-based approach used by the book though the chapter occasionally draws from information gained from outside sources that the reader may be unfamiliar with.

Well organized, easily readable. It would benefit from a more comprehensive index but all these books would benefit from that.

Easy read.

Solid guide for those caring for the geriatric person.

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