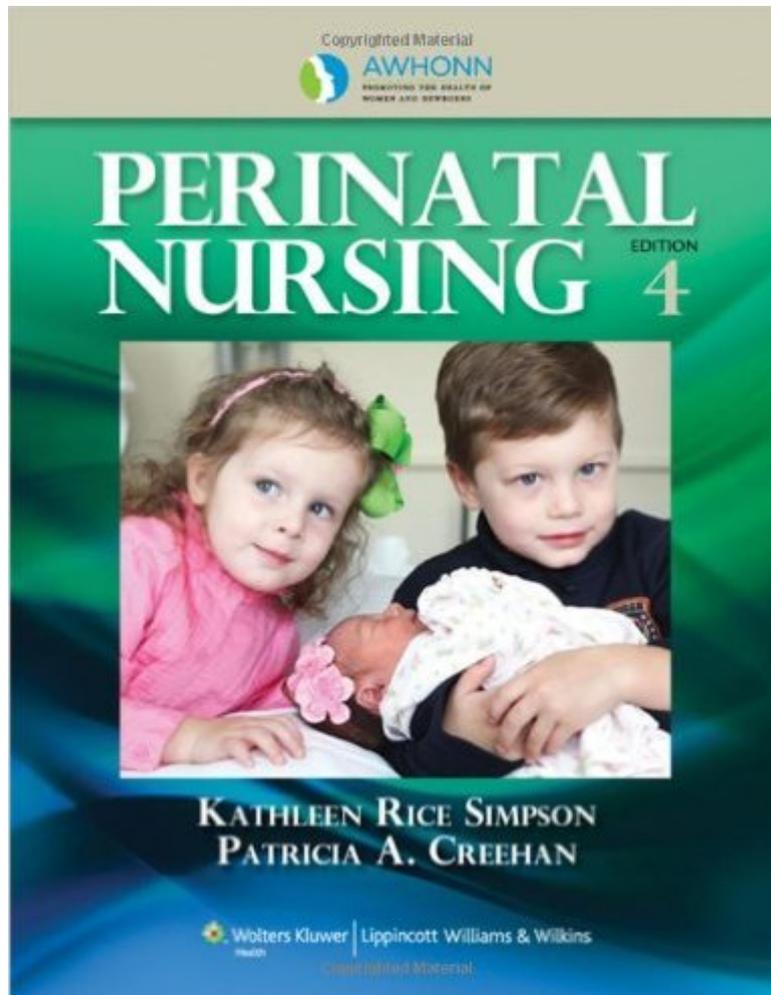


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Synopsis

An official publication of the Association of Women's Health, Obstetric and Neonatal Nurses (AWHONN), *Perinatal Nursing, Fourth Edition* presents up-to-date information based on the most rigorous evidence and offers suggestions for best practices. This new edition of the authoritative, comprehensive text used by perinatal nurses worldwide features a wealth of new content to keep practice current. You'll reach for this highly practical resource for: expanded coverage of high-risk pregnancy, from bleeding in pregnancy to preterm labor and birth, diabetes, cardiac disease, pulmonary complications, multiple gestation, and maternal-fetal transport. And, you'll expertly manage today's broader scope of perinatal nursing with . . . an all-new chapter on obesity in pregnancy covers risks to the mother and fetus, care from preconception to postpartum, as well as bariatric surgery. And, an expanded chapter on newborn nutrition includes new sections on the infant feeding decision, benefits of breastfeeding, nutritional components, and preterm milk and lactation. New chapters related to patient safety and the development of a highly reliable perinatal unit, inform nurses how to conduct team training and drills for obstetric emergencies, create checklists, and effectively handoff patients. Two experienced perinatal nurses team with the prestigious Association of Women's Health, Obstetric and Neonatal Nurses and more than 70 contributors and reviewers for an unbiased perspective. You'll know the best evidence and latest standards for all areas of your perinatal practice by drawing on a wealth of wisdom gathered into the brand new edition of *AWHONN's Perinatal Nursing, 4th edition*.

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this is a great study guide in preparation for certification in this area. The exam at the end of each chapter is wonderful so that you can ensure you have understood the chapters. This is a well written book and study guide.

AWHONN'S Perinatal Nursing is, for anyone who has used it I am sure, an incredible, informative and thorough text. I have a second edition of this text as well. The book itself is essential reading for all Labor and Delivery nurses, however I am distressed at the direction Obstetrics is going and the movement to medicalization of childbirth and the necessary education re: prevention of liability this entails in the workplace. Ms. Simpson does an excellent job of balancing the normalcy of pregnancy and childbirth with the required knowledge necessary to provide safe care in today's hospitals. I appreciate her historical perspective.

This book has a wealth of knowledge but the lack of a detailed index makes it very difficult to ferret out desired information. Common obstetrical terms aren't even included. Time to hire a professional indexer who could make this a much more user-friendly book!

A must have for Mother/Baby Nurses. I think L&D RN's would benefit a lot to. I got it for the RN MNN RNC exam and so far it has been great for resource and up to date standard of care information.. good investment

I use this book as a basis for education for new nurses and as a reference for competency skills. This is a good reference for updating policies and procedures.

Perfect book for Labor and Delivery Nurses. Only problem was the last part of the book's pages were connected and turned under. After unwrapping the book I found the book pages turned under. After bringing them together I found the pages extended beyond all other pages and we're connected by 2s and I had to carefully trim those pages.

This Kindle version fits my needs as a nurse in a High risk Perinatal unit. I have it downloaded to my desktop.

This is an excellent book for content and evidence -based practice! I used it to study for my

RNC-OB exam and it covered what I needed to know really well. The only downside was the index, which was terrible. I could never find anything I was looking for in there! For example, I was trying to find pyelonephritis and it wasn't in the index at all! I then looked under renal and when going to that section, there was nothing there on pyelo! I only found it when I got to the chapter on Postpartum Care! Not user friendly at all!

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