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As a first-year veterinary student, I needed my own dictionary to refer back to as I'm learning a whole new vocabulary. This dictionary is available in our library, tutor rooms, and now at my house, and is the most comprehensive veterinary dictionary that I've come across. Easy to navigate, pictures where appropriate, and great resources in the index. I've recommended it to many people, and for $40, you can't really go wrong!
Just purchased the 4th edition as my first Veterinary Medical Dictionary. Was pleased to find that this new edition now had word pronunciations, which seemed to be the chief complaint about previous editions.

This book is a life saver in the vet tech field! the print is large and easy to read with very nice color photos. BE PREPARED HOWEVER, his book is huge and weighs like 7 pounds... so it’s kind of a killer if you have to haul it in your backpack everyday to and from class...

I use this book to hold down my bookshelf most of the time, but I do occasionally pull it out when I’m not doing homework/research near my electronic devices. (GASP!) For its size, I wish sometimes that it was a hardback cover instead a paperback. If I didn’t already have a physical copy, I would’ve just bought the Kindle version and saved some space.

I purchased the Kindle version. The search function looks for every instance of the word, not the instance with the definition. When I finally find the definition it makes little sense and I end up using Google instead. I wish I hadn’t wasted my money!

Pretty much exactly what I expected and needed. Great for vet tech school to look up those things that your other books do not explain well, or as a quick reference. It’s really easy to look up words and terms with the way it is organized. The only reason it doesn’t get 5 stars is because my copy arrived with the front cover bent, which I’m kind of mad about because I paid upwards of $50 for it new from . I also wish it was a hard cover book rather than paperback - would make more sense with the amount of pages (and the bent cover wouldn’t have happened.)

I love this book. I am currently a first year in vet school and it has been a life saver to keep on my desk when I am reading through my notes and come across a word I have not seen. The book includes a list of muscles, actions, innervation, arteries, etc., which is extremely helpful for anatomy classes. A must have for any vet, pre-vet student. You basically learn a whole new language in your classes and this helps to understand it.

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