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DESCRIPTION

The ABNS primary examination is an important step in the certification process, designed to evaluate candidates' knowledge and provide direction for continued learning. It requires many months of preparation, and passing it is a significant accomplishment integral to becoming board certified. *Neurosurgery Primary Board Review* by Ross Puffer presents an up-to-date question bank designed to prepare neurosurgeons for the ABNS written examination. The comprehensive question bank encompasses the seven sections on the neurosurgery primary examination: neuroanatomy, neurosciences, neuropathology, neuroimaging, clinical neurology, neurosurgery, critical care/fundamental clinical skills, and core competencies.

The question bank consists of more than 1,500 multidisciplinary questions with answers, 600 of which are featured in the book. The remaining questions, links to cited references, and a comprehensive 375-question standalone exam are posted on MedOne Neurosurgery, Thieme's outstanding online collection of neurosurgical content. The multiple-choice format and question categories replicate the ABNS exam format, priming residents and neurosurgeons for taking the exam.

SALES HOOKS

- The book's questions have short answers within the text and citations to longer explanations
- More than 1,500 questions in the book include a standalone 375 question exam that simulates the actual exam
- Questions throughout the book are separated into the nine sections tested on the ABNS

COMPETITION

Psarros, *Intensive Neurosurgery Board Review: Neurological Surgery Q&A, 2nd Edition*, 2005, \$99.99, 328 pp., 9781405104791, LWW.

Shah et al., *Neurosurgery Self-Assessment: Questions and Answers*, 2016, \$89.99, 520 pp., 9780323374804, Elsevier.

Colen, *Colen Flash Review: Neurosurgery Board Review Cards, 3rd Edition*, 2011, \$198, 713 pp., Colen Publishing.

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