Addiction Medicine (Oxford Specialist Handbooks)

Addiction Medicine is a concise and practical guide for students and practitioners of medicine, nursing, and other health professions. It provides practical information and clinical management advice for all who are involved in the care of persons with alcohol and other substance use disorders, and also behavioural and electronic addictions such as gambling and Internet use. The second edition of Addiction Medicine comprises 27 chapters and is in easy-to-read handbook form. The first three chapters cover the nature of addictive disorders, the epidemiology of psychoactive substance use, and the pharmacology of the major substance groups. Principles of diagnosis and management (including emergency situations) are then described. There follow chapters on the major substance groups, which present a comprehensive account of the clinical features, diagnosis, and management of disorders related to specific substances. The chapters cover tobacco, alcohol, cannabis, opioids, sedative-hypnotics, psychostimulants, hallucinogens and dissociative drugs, miscellaneous forms of substance use, and polydrug and injecting drug use. New chapters in the second edition cover the electronic and behavioural addictions, with specific chapters for gambling and on-line/electronic gaming. The remainder of the book covers the management of addictive disorders experienced by specific groups and in specific circumstances and settings, together with a summary of ethical and legal issues. The final chapter comprises a series of resources which cover diagnostic criteria for addictive disorders and practical tools to aid management, including screening and assessment questionnaires and withdrawal scales.

Acute Medicine (Oxford Desk Reference)
Richard Leach, Kevin Moore, and Derek Bell (eds)

This new edition of Acute Medicine allows easy access to evidence-based materials on commonly encountered acute medical problems to ensure the optimum management of the acutely unwell patient. Collating all the research-based guidelines and protocols in
one easily accessible place and presenting it in a uniform style, this practical resource is
hugely advantageous for a busy clinician who needs access to research-based guidelines and
protocols in the clinic. It is designed so that each subject forms a self-contained topic in its
own right, which makes the information simple to find, read, and absorb to enable optimum
management of a particular condition.

Oxford Handbook of Acute Medicine
Punit Ramrakha, Kevin Moore, and Amir Sam

This title is a practical and comprehensive guide to the management of the acutely ill
patient. It is a single source to the most up-to-date therapies and protocols. It presents
the most recent treatment guidelines and evidence-based content that is up-to-date with
the recent advances in clinical medicine. Topics covered include cardiac emergencies,
respiratory emergencies, gastroenterological emergencies, renal emergencies, shock,
neurological emergencies, infectious diseases, emergencies in human immunodeficiency
virus, diabetes and endocrine emergencies, haematological emergencies, rheumatological
emergencies, dermatological emergencies, psychiatric emergencies, drug overdoses, and
practical procedures in acute medicine.