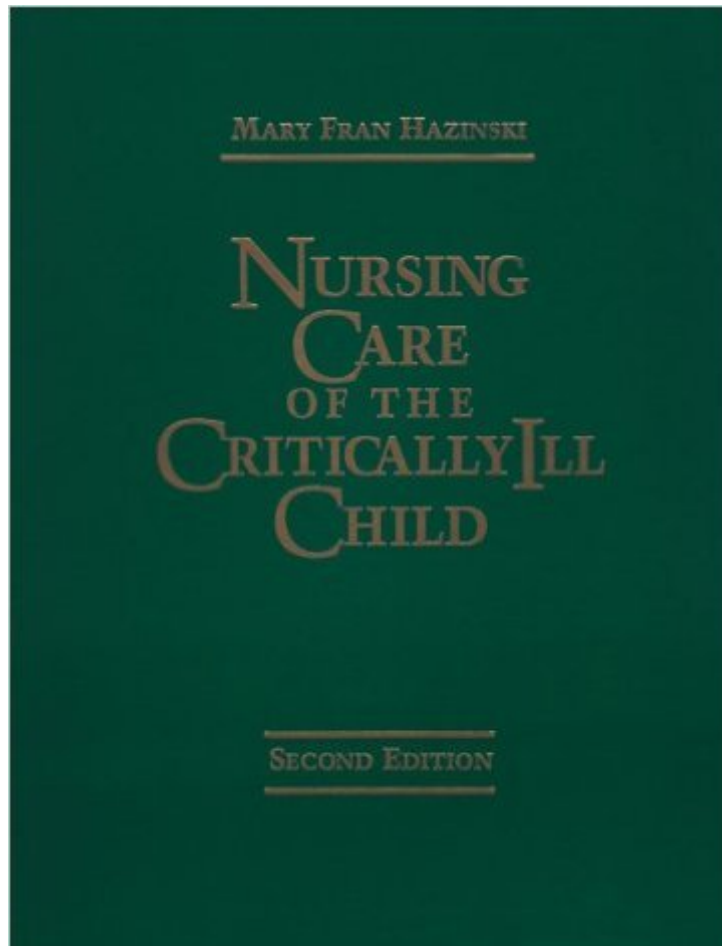


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# Nursing Care Of The Critically Ill Child, 2e



## Synopsis

Considered the definitive reference in paediatric critical care nursing, this book describes nursing care for a full range of disorders associated with various body systems. In addition, it effectively addresses such difficult topics as pain management, the dying child, trauma, burns and haematologic/oncologic emergencies.

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I am a 1-year experienced RN who is not only new to pediatrics, but also new to critical care, coming from adult med/surg. A friend of mine in the PICU lent me her Hazinski manual (the smaller edition) my first week in the PICU, calling it the "Bible". I have to say that I have dog-eared her book, referring to it practically every day when I get home. She has finally asked for it back, and so I now must get my own copy! It has been a Godsend to me. We have several copies of the larger edition on our unit, which is very comprehensive, so I have decided to purchase that one instead.

Additionally, many other nurses on our unit own one (it's contagious!). Just about everything you could want to know is in the book, and it doesn't speak to you as though you already know pediatrics; it is truly an educational book in the best sense of the word. The inner covers have quick charts to refer to vital information, heart rates, respiratory rates, BSA Nomogram, fluid maintenance, resuscitation equipment, etc. Our Education Department refers to them in orientation classes. The only thing I would love to see is a chapter on the very absolute basics, such as I&O's (which is included, but as part of chapters on dehydration, renal, cardiovascular, etc.), assessment

of the critically ill child, skills, the key things to look for and report to the physician, etc. Just one small chapter like this for the very beginner. It would have been very helpful to someone like me in my first few weeks, and I believe a solid foundation is the best ground upon which to learn. I hope anyone buying this book enjoys it as much as my colleagues and I do.

This book is amazing. Everything a PICU nurse needs to know. Covers in great detail pathophysiology and nursing care in intensive situations. I never write reviews but I had to because this book is so good. It covers pharm, picu procedures, ecmo, x-ray interpretation, and many other things that will make your PICU life easier. Very accurate information and probably the PICU bible for CCRN and nursing practice.

Comprehensive book detailing the diseases of chronically ill children broken down into understandable text. Highly suggest for those new to the field and old to brush up on certain diagnoses!

Very good reference for working with medically fragile children.

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