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# 2002 Intravenous Medications: A Handbook For Nurses And Allied Health Professionals, 18e (Intervenous Medications, 18th Ed)



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Noted for its consistency, comprehensiveness, and accuracy, this complete, IV drug reference provides more than 350 drug monographs presented in a clinically useful format. The 2002 edition of this best-selling handbook includes 11 new monographs for FDA-approved IV drugs and hundreds of new drug facts new dosage adjustments, indications, interactions, side effects, precautions, and additional disease-specific dosages. It also provides the latest IV drug dilution and dosage charts, and incorporates a special "Alert" icon when additional material must be reviewed before proceeding. An impressive, new Intravenous Medications website supports the book with updated information on less frequently used diagnostic agents and provides links to additional information about drugs recently withdrawn from the market, new drug safety information, and other news related to intravenous therapy. (Includes FREE MERLIN website at: [www.harcourthealth.com/merlin/nursingdrugupdates/Gahart/](http://www.harcourthealth.com/merlin/nursingdrugupdates/Gahart/))

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This is a very handy spiral-bound handbook, at least for busy pharmacists who must make IV's like they knew everything. If I have a question, chances are, it's answered there- in less than a minute: How to make it, what it is used for, what to watch out for during therapy. My pharmacist hat is off to the nurses for this one.

2AM...in a pts home to begin therapy and who is up to help? This book answers all my questions ...I keep it in my car and have instant answers when confused and out there alone with a pt in their home and an IV pharmacist that is not responding to my page. LOVE IT!

As an ER RN, in my opinion this is the quintessential reference for anyone who requires fast, comprehensive information about IV meds. This yearly updated book is laid out alphabetically by generic drug name with multiple indexed cross referencing by classification and brand names. The staff in the ER consider it an indispensable tool on all relevant aspects of IV meds and their appropriate application. Awareness = improved patient care and safety.

As a hospital pharmacist, this is the book I have at my side at all times. Gives important information on infusion rates, stability, and usual dosages and concentrations. This information can be found elsewhere of course but I have been accustomed to looking here first.

I am a pharmacist with the Cleveland Clinic and need to have a reliable, thorough, and handy reference available at all times. This book is one of the best resources I have come by thus far in my career. It is a must have! Quick and easy look up to a wealth of organized information. All hospital pharmacists should not go without it!

This book is a great reference book for medical staff professionals. I work in a hospital and whenever I need to find out dosing, stability, or even description of an intravenous medication it's in this book. Also this book tells you all about how to store IV medication properly. This book really helps me a lot. It's also a great resource for pharmacy school as well.

This is the best IV Drug book on the market. I have tried other books in the past and I always return to this book. It is easy to find the information that you need in a hurry. This is the IV book that all the nurses grab first.

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