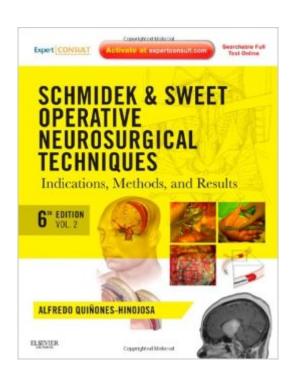
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This text has come a long long way since I bought it, third edition, as a resident. There are tons of gorgeous pictures, high quality MRI plates and online content that is worth the price all by itself. My only complaint is the garish and unattractive cover, but it's irrelevant when you need up to date clinical information. By the way, if you buy the physical copy of the book, you get access to a complete online version of the book which also has supplemental surgical videos. The videos are limited in number but having access to an online copy of the text anywhere anytime is awesome. I realize there is a "Kindle Edition", which is cheaper, but I personally prefer to have a physical copy of textbooks rather than just a copy on my e-reader.

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reminder of different neurosurgical techniques. One last comment, I think the book may benefit from more diagrams and pictures in the future edition, to add an atlas-like experience to this great text that is definitely a great addition to the distinguished legacy of the Schmidek and Sweet series.

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