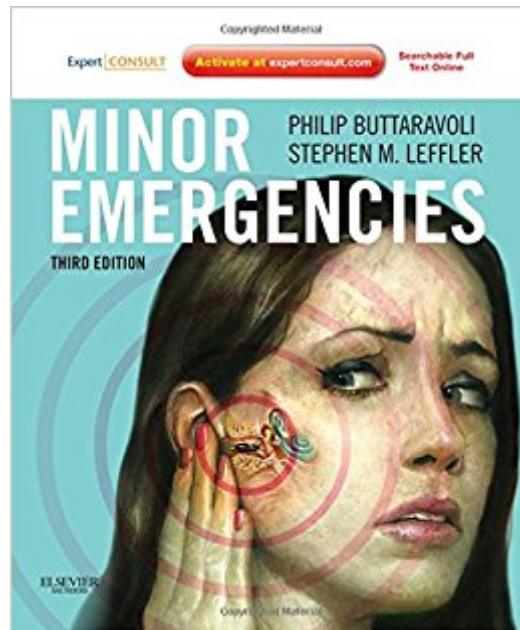


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"Minor Emergencies follows a simple format in the form of a brief introduction to a topic, bulleted points on things the physician should do (and things the physician should not do), and a concluding

evidence-based discussion. Most chapters are brief and heavily illustrated with helpful figures. One of the best features of this book is the associated videos that can be accessed using a Quick Response scanner from a mobile device. A list at the beginning of the book contains all the video Quick Response codes in order, and a quick mobile device scan brings up a 2-3 minute video of specific techniques or procedures. These can be easily accessed on a clinical shift just before starting a procedure. There are multiple techniques, photographs, and videos in each chapter to ensure that the practitioner will find something that works. I particularly enjoyed the chapter on removal of fishhooks because it contains several videos to illustrate the appropriate techniques. Overall, Minor Emergencies makes a fantastic companion for any emergency department shift. It will offer something for even the most experienced physician and is a great resource for medical students or residents just starting their career in emergency medicine." -Peter Moffett, MD, Annals of Emergency Medicine, July 2013 "Distills literally decades of experience by the author into concisely written guides to almost two hundred minor complaints." -Journal of Emergency Medicine, review of the first edition "This is an excellent resource to have in an office, urgent care setting, or emergency department. There are few other books that simplify the approach to these minor emergencies and provide short, to-the-point instructional guidance. Shortening the title to Minor Emergencies also conveys better what the book covers. Overall, it will help readers remember the steps to take with the plethora of minor emergencies they see on a regular basis and refresh their memory about treatment of minor emergencies they don't often see."- Russell Stroud, MSN, BSN, ACNP-BC (University of Arkansas) 3 star Doody rating!

New to Urgent Care after years as FP - great review, procedures nicely done - easy to follow. Nearly any problem likely to be encountered is included with a clinical synopsis and very specific recommendations for treatment (dosing, alternatives etc) and references. Will keep with me at all times!

The title is a bit misleading, I wouldn't call all of these "emergencies" minor or otherwise but this is a super compendium of all sorts of very common problems in primary care approached with a no-nonsense practicality. Excellent format, art work, high quality paper and binding. This may be a "must have" for the primary care library.

As a new PA-C working in the urgent care, this book has come in handy countless times for a quick refresher on procedures and treatments. I have found it particularly handy when pulling out fish

hooks, treating cat bites where I was concerned about rabies exposure, puncture wounds, bee stings, eye issues, joint reductions. It has a vast array of topics that are frequent in the urgent care arena.

The authors are clear and concise regarding diagnosis and treatment. Organized and easy to find what you want. Great for the clinical setting, though I am currently studying through it page by page at home. I am a recent graduate. Although his references are sometimes outdated, the material matches current resources (such as "uptodate"). Book offers free access to videos showing procedures. The videos were helpful but poor quality (camera unsteady, which made me nauseated). I would recommend this book to beginner emergency professionals.

Very helpful in urgent care and up to date on care.

Well written, bulleted for convenience, sections divided into overviews with sub sections of what to do and what not to do plus pearls. Geared toward those working in FastTrack or Urgent Care settings. As a new urgent care PA, it definitely comes in handy on a daily basis. Love the ability to download to my Inkling app and make notes/highlight sections for faster reference.

I will echo what others have written here - this is a great resource in the clinical area, and also wonderful as a refresher. I am an adult nurse practitioner, and often consult this book. It is easy to read quickly, as the salient points are bulleted, but there is also a longer pathophysiology/background content if that is needed. I also like the "What not to do" lists as well. I highly recommend this book!

I am a brand-new physician assistant and needed a book to help me get through my first job in the ER. I love my Tintinalli's and my other text books but it's hard to translate that "book knowledge" into clinical practice at times. Sometimes I just want to know how to do a procedure, what the possible pitfalls are when I making a diagnosis, how I should approach a chief complaint, etc. this book does just that. It is 100% composed of knowledge that is applicable to practice. I love the detailed descriptions of how to do the procedures I never learned how to do on my rotations (sorry, I just never learned how to remove a rectal foreign body or treat someone with a dystonic drug reaction!). There are a few things in this book that I feel are missing. For example, there's nothing on asthma or an acute exacerbation of COPD which is kind of weird. Regardless -- I love it

and am so thankful to have this as a resource! Plus the access to Expert Consult is great -- I can access my book whenever I want, and I can also watch videos of all the procedures online.

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