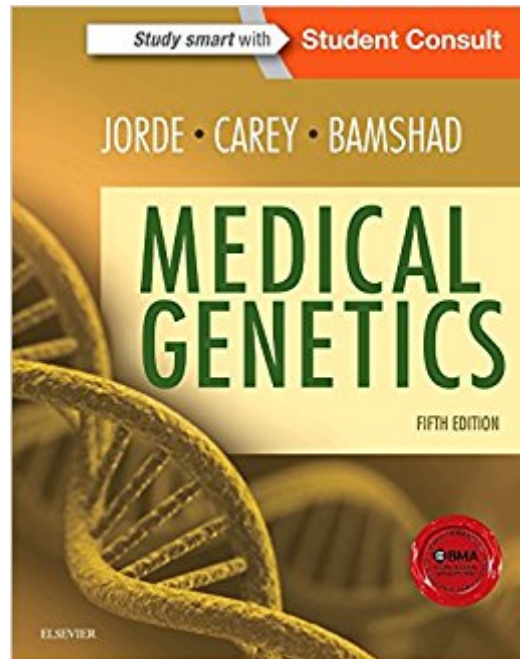




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I'm a first year med student. This book explains the subjects well without delving into too much detail. It has photos and diagrams that are helpful in understanding the text. I used it in conjunction to Robbins Basic Pathology.

Great book from my professor and medical students.

Good info in easy format.

very nice clear

This is a fascinating and enjoyable read. There's concepts in this text that I haven't encountered previously and the book is on quality paper with beautiful graphics. I bought a copy for my family member too so they could understand what I do! I would recommend this book not only to serious scientists and students, but because this textbook is so readable, I would also recommend this to high schoolers who may be inspired by the content and have an interest in pursuit of medical genetics. However Dr. Bamshad's portion of this book was inferior. Earlier editions that omitted his erroneous and errant input are much more accurate and enjoyable!

Was too broad in some areas where I would like to know more. Needs more detail and examples to be a medical school textbook.

The best textbook ever. It makes genetics learning very interesting. Sometimes it's difficult to stop reading it. Thank you Elsevier

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