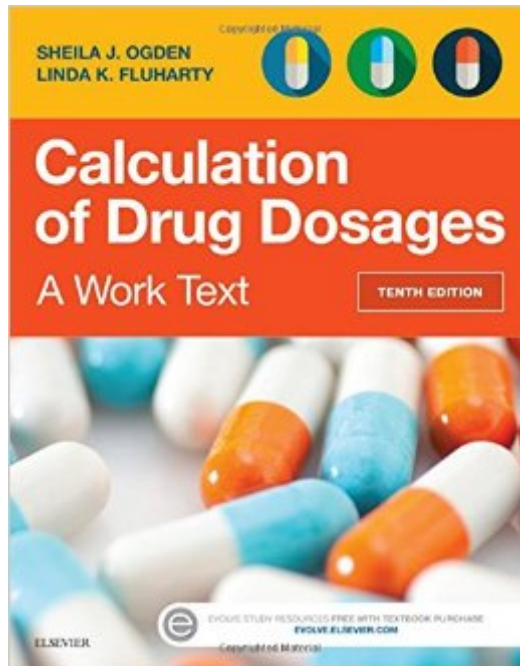


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# Calculation Of Drug Dosages: A Work Text, 10e



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Known for its textbook/workbook format, *Calculation of Drug Dosages*, 10th Edition makes it easy to master the ratio and proportion, formula, and dimensional analysis methods for drug calculation. A basic review of mathematics refreshes your math skills, and plenty of practice problems help you overcome any inexperience or weaknesses you may have. Written by nursing experts Sheila Ogden and Linda Fluharty, this resource helps you calculate drug dosages accurately and with confidence. An extensive math review covers the basic math skills essential for accurate calculation of drug dosages and helps you identify your strengths and weaknesses. Over 1,800 practice problems reinforce your understanding of drug calculations. A logical structure is organized from simple to complex, making it easier to absorb and retain knowledge. Learning objectives keep you focused and explain what you should accomplish upon completion of each chapter. An Alert box highlights information crucial to math calculation and patient safety. Chapter worksheets allow you to practice solving realistic problems. Post-tests at the end of each chapter let you assess your understanding of content. A comprehensive post-test at the end of the book offers additional practice and accurately gauges your overall understanding. Over 600 practice problems on the Evolve companion website cover ratio-proportion, formula, and dimensional analysis methods. 25 flash cards on Evolve contain abbreviations, formulas, and conversions from the book, allowing you to study at your own pace.

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This was one of the BEST books out there to help learn to convert and calculate dosages of medication. I would highly recommend this book to anyone in the nursing program. It starts out with very easy and simple conversions and gets harder as you work your way through the book. Its a very easy to follow and apply method and easy to understand.

This book helped touch up some on my math skills, as I related them to med calculations. I would give this book 5 stars if it had supplemental online content, such as more practice exams, or just more exams in the book all together. I went through most the chapters in one night and made a 100 on my med calculations test the next day. I have to say that I generally enjoy math, just needed a brush up, so if someone was needing more extensive help, this book may not work.

If you need help with dosage calculations, this book is a decent resource--but if you have a basic understanding of chemistry and conversions, you probably will not need this book. This book was recommended for med calc for nursing school. I opened it once and briefly flipped through the first few chapters. It was a complete waste of money for me because I had taken organic and biochem and was very familiar with equations, calculations, and conversions. I passed med calc with no issues.

Over all its a helpful book for my sibling. I am pretty sure they could not update the version every few years. Great condition when received. shipping was delayed. but got what i paid for. used it all semester.

I love this book. It goes step by step on how to do the calculations and the book also explains it in a couple of ways. At the end of each chapter, there's additional practices that you can try and the answers are on the back too. This book have really helped me pass through the math part of my nursing school and it is very helpful too.

I bought this for my girlfriend who is entering an accelerated nursing program. She needed to read the first 5 chapters and take an entrance exam on it. It's a good book with decent explanations as to

how to do basic 5th grade math (that we all forgot). I gave it a 4/5 because I explained some of the math to her and it was easier my way than the way the book was showing her to do it. Other than that, it was a good book and informative. Refreshes your memory for how to do basic math.

I am starting a nursing program in September of this year and have to take a test on the second day of school (need to get 100%). I am unable to take the course that was offered over this summer, therefore have to rely on my own abilities with this book. This book has been a godsend!! Math is definitely my weakness so I was worried as to how I'd do. I am doing really well!! Each chapter has a pretest, review, worksheets, and posttest. Very self-explanatory and to the point....Can't say enough....Thanks to this book, I am confident that I will be ready for the test!

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