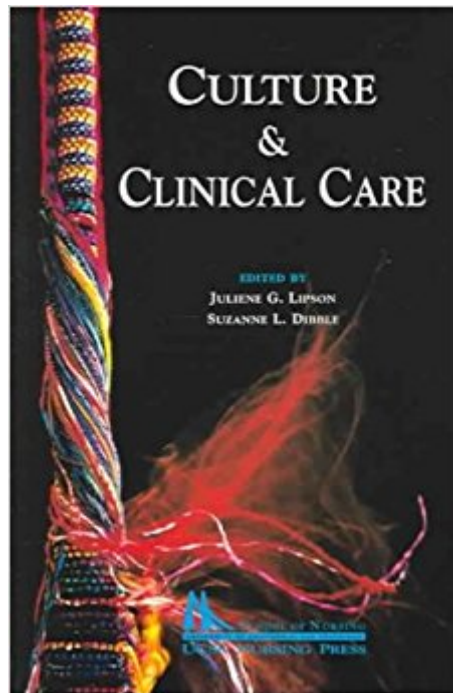




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Certainly informative when dealing with mult-cultural peoples.

I bought this as a reference book for my Transcultural Nursing course. The information was good but the copyright date is 2005 so not recent enough to use as a reference for my papers. It does have good information however.

As a graduate student in psychology, this book is a must have! This book was not required by my professor, but was highly recommended. It provides information on how different cultures view different clinical (mental and physical) problems and offers the best way to approach people from many different cultures. I would recommend this book to anyone in the helping professions!

Splendid "cookbook" of transcultural nursing that covers more than the usual cultural groups. Yes, one has to avoid the "cookbook" application of information to individuals of ethnic groups, but first one needs a starting point, and this book provides a great starting point covering many aspects of cultural variation

This is the 2nd edition and should be required for all nursing students and on every nursing unit. I still have the 1st edition and call both my culture bible

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This is an excellent resource to aid in understanding patient culture and providing care with cultural relevance. Guy C. Lamunyon MSN, RN Adjunct Faculty Northern Arizona University

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