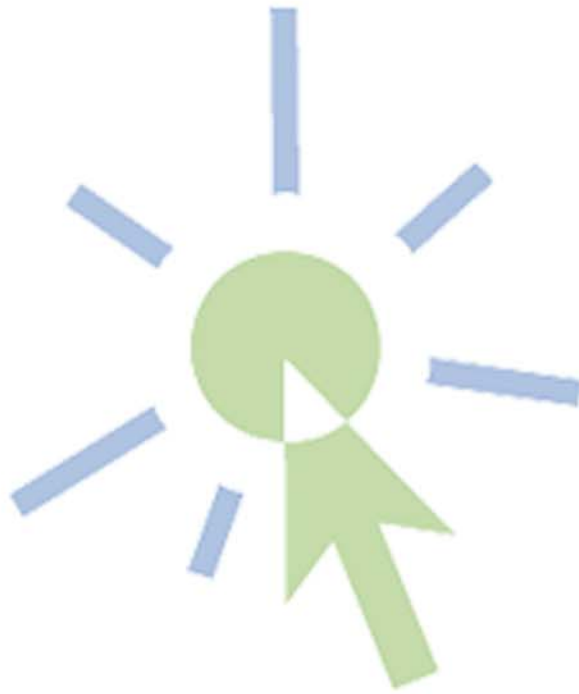


thePoint for Students



Welcome to **thePoint**

Providing superior content in an easily accessible online format.



thePoint offers you a host of online resources in easy-to-use formats. Whether you're looking to search online content or download student resources, **thePoint** offers you the flexibility to find the best content to fit your learning needs.



Getting Started

Before accessing the online content that came with your text, you need to complete two quick and easy steps:

1. Register for **thePoint**.
2. Enter the *Access Code* that can be found on the front cover of your text under the silver, scratch-off box.

Registering for thePoint

1. Open an internet browser and select: <http://thePoint.lww.com>.
2. Click on one of the *Registration* links found on the left-hand navigation panel or on the top right-hand corner of the home page.



3. Fill out the registration fields and create the user name and password you will use to access the site going forward.

Registering for thePoint (Continued)

Your user name must contain between 6 and 20 alphanumeric characters containing no dots or spaces. It is recommended for your own security that you do not use the same user name and password.

4. Click the *Submit* button at the bottom of the page once you have completed all information and you will be directed to a confirmation page.

Enter your book's Access Code

1. Open the front cover of your textbook and carefully scratch off the gray sticker found on the inside cover.
2. Return to **thePoint** and select the **Enter Book Access Code** link found at the bottom of the registration confirmation page.
3. Enter the 12-digit access code and select **Submit Code** once complete.

You are now ready to access all of the great online student resources that came with your purchase. Select a link found next to your title on the *Code Activation Successful* page and you will have instantaneous access to your online products.



Returning Users

Once you have completed the registration process and book code activation, you will have access to your book's online resources. Simply return to <http://thePoint.lww.com> whenever you want and input your user name and password on the top left-hand corner of the home page.

You will then be directed to the **My Books** page where you can:

- Access the online text or student resources.
- Enter new access codes for additional online products.
- Browse other specialty areas that interest you.

Downloading Student Ancillaries

1. Login to **thePoint** at <http://thePoint.lww.com> to access the *My Books* page.
2. Select the **Student Resources** link found next to the cover of the title you wish to access.

My Books

Have a new access code? Enter the new code(s) to gain access to your new product(s). If you've already entered a code, the link to access that product should appear in the list below.

Enter New Access Code:

My Books

You currently have access to:

Bates' Guide to Physical Examination and History Taking, 9th Edition
Lynn Beckley, MD; Peter Szilagyi, MD, MPH
[Full Text Online](#)
[Student Resources](#)

Brunner and Suddarth's Textbook of Medical-Surgical Nursing, 11th Edition
Suzanne C. Smeltzer RN, EdD, FAAN; Brenda G. Bare RN, MSN; Janice L. Hinkle PhD, RN, CNRN; Kerry H. Cheever PhD, RN
[Full Text Online](#)
[Student Resources](#)

Trying to enter an access code? Enter each of your access codes into the field at the left and click "Submit Code."

Instructors: For all code issues, contact LWW Equality Service.

Students: For code issues or support, contact Customer Service, or call (800) 638-3030 (US) (301) 222-3300 (others) Mon-Fri 8:30am - 5:00pm

3. On the **Student Ancillary Content** page, navigate and select the link under the ancillary product you wish to download.
4. **Select File** ⇨ **Save As** (or click on the Save icon) located at the top of your screen.
5. Navigate to a location of your choice and select **Save**.



Some ancillary products such as videos and image banks may be unable to download. To access these items, simply login to thePoint and click on the Student Resource you wish to access.

Entering additional Access Codes

1. Login to **thePoint** at <http://thePoint.lww.com> to access the *My Books* page.
2. Enter the 12-digit access code of the new product you wish to view.
3. Click on **Submit Code** and you will have access to the new products on the *Code Activation Successful* page.

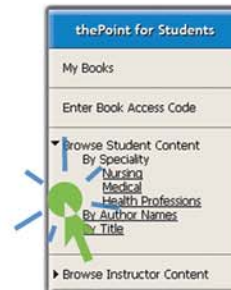
*All of your electronic products will appear on the **My Books** page after you login. You can add new Access Codes to this page at any time.*

Browsing items of Interest

To research other titles, follow these easy steps:

1. Login to thePoint at <http://thePoint.lww.com> to access the *My Books* page.

2. Select **Browse Student Content** and choose a specialty area from among *Nursing, Medicine, and Health Professions*.



3. Browse the titles listed under that specialty area.

If you know the author name or title of a specific book you are looking for, you can refine your search by selecting the appropriate link in the left-hand navigation panel.

Added Help

Should you have any questions or need assistance during your experience on **thePoint**, select the **Help** link found in the upper right-hand corner of every page. Or contact **thePoint** Online Support at **1-800-468-1128** if you are experiencing technical problems with the site.



*Best wishes for a successful semester
from Lippincott Williams & Wilkins and thePoint.
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