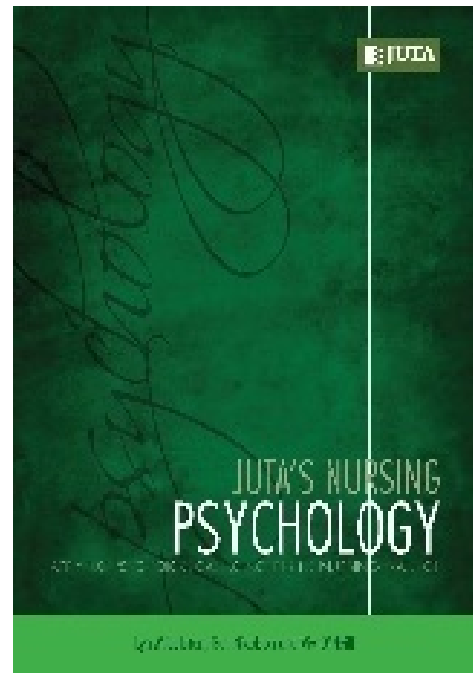


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- the biological basis of human behaviour
- human development across the lifespan, including the social context
- psychological approaches to health and ill-health
- an introduction to counselling.

Key Features

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- Numerous, relevant case studies that encourage discussion and explain how psychological theories inform daily nursing practice
- Discussions and short-answer questions at the end of each chapter to further enhance knowledge
- A section on web-based resources for further research at the end of each chapter
- Access to lecturer support material for the busy lecturer

Contents Include:

- Development from conception to the end of childhood
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- Stress, resilience and coping
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