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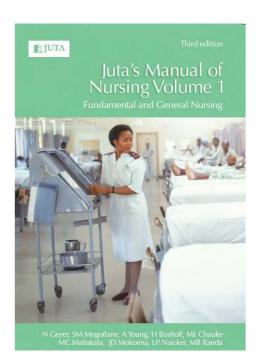
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About this Publication:

Completely updated to include the latest developments in the field of Nursing Science, the third edition of Juta's Manual of Nursing Vol. 1 covers the topics required for both Fundamental and General Nursing Science; this makes it suitable for the categories of Nursing Auxiliary, Staff Nurse and for the fundamentals of nursing for Professional Nurses.

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- This updated edition includes a chapter on the important topic of Informatics.
- The text is outcomes-based so that students understand the focus of each chapter.
- Numerous line drawings expand on difficult concepts.
- It covers the new curriculum; therefore lecturers can be assured the book will meet their needs.
- Summaries of key ethical and legal considerations in each chapter highlight these important aspects.
- The content encourages the development of problem-solving skills so that the nurse can deal with problems as they arise in the community/clinic environment.
- Self-assessment and discussion topics throughout the text test what has been learnt.

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Of Interest and Benefit to:

Introduces students to the cross-curricular special subjects and health care priorities that are covered as a prelude to specialisation courses. The topics have been carefully selected to be in line with developments in the nursing qualification and, more broadly, in health care.