

**Medical-Surgical Nursing (04)
Reference List
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A number of authoritative texts, such as those listed, are used to develop this certification examination. The list is provided to help you prepare for the examination and is not intended to be all inclusive. The hyperlinks are included to help you locate the resources. Please note that editions listed below include copyright dates, not published dates.

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