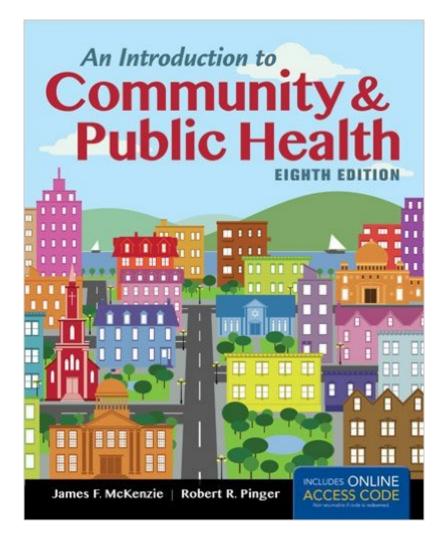
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# An Introduction To Community & Public Health





# Synopsis

Now with a new full color design and art program, the Eighth Edition of An Introduction to Community & Public Health provides the latest trends and statistics in community health. With an emphasis on developing the knowledge and skills necessary for a career in health education, this best-selling introductory text covers such topics as epidemiology, community organization, program planning, minority health, health care, mental health, environmental health, drugs, safety, and occupational health. A robust pedagogy and online companion Website help students understand and retain key learning objectives and better prepare for class. New and Key Features: - A new full color design and art program provides a modern, fresh look to the text - A fully revised chapter on Health Care Policy provides students with the latest data in this changing field - Includes the latest updates related to Healthy People 2020, ADA, and MyPlate - Each chapter includes a short scenario that helps students relate chapter content to their everyday lives, identifies key ideas in the chapter, and highlights learning objectives - Key terms are placed in boldfaced type and defined both in the margins of the text and in the glossary - Web activities encourage students to further explore content by visiting relevant community/public health websites - Suggested activities help students apply what they have learned in the text or research it further Receive FREE eBook Access with your print copy when using ISBN-13: 978-1-284-06739-2!

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Well, the book is good, but it could be better. I loved some parts of it, such as the chapters about

epidemiology and women. But other subjects were a little bit dry. Still recommend it for those taking principles of community health. Just make sure to have a peace of paper to write down the most important dates when it comes to public health improvement.

I loved this book, well as much as someone could love a textbook. I really enjoyed the course that went along with this book. It helped me fall in love with the field of Public and Community Health. This book is an incredible resource for those interested in learning about what they can do to really help their community, and what needs to happen for the eradication of certain public health crisis. Great read.

Overall, the textbook itself is boring, bland, and vague to read. Does not use that many illustrations or graphs to help explain the text, some terms or concepts not clear and not enough examples. Would recommend renting the book unless your class utilizes the online access code also. Serves as a good introduction and foundation though if new to the subject.

This textbook was required for my Community Health class. It is a very dry book in the sense that it's reading on reading on reading. Not a lot of photos or illustrations to supplement the text. I love to read, but I found some parts of this book unbearable. I realize that things that are health related are necessary to learn, but I think that the delivery in this book could have been way better. I got an A in the course, so the author did something right!

It is a great book at a great rental price. Lot to learn. Definitely would recommend it to someone going into a health field.

this is excellent book for Public health

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It was awesome and the best thing is that I got my item in exact time!!

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