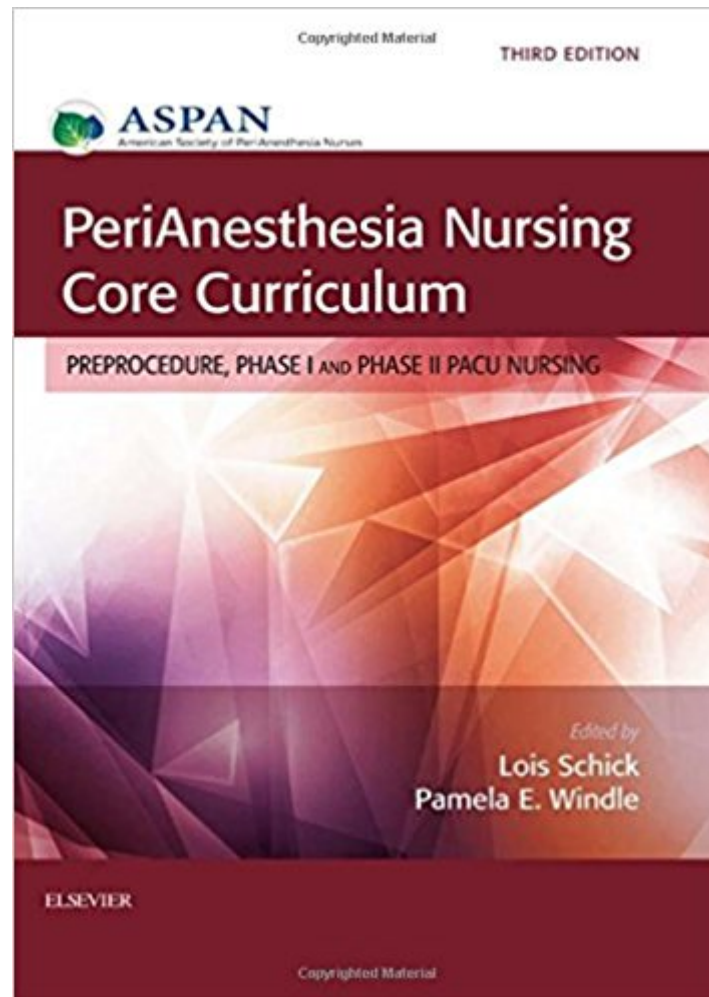


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# PeriAnesthesia Nursing Core Curriculum: Preprocedure, Phase I And Phase II PACU Nursing, 3e



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Great book excellent review for for capa or cpan Â nd a great refrence to have.

Great book for studying for the perioperative certification.

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