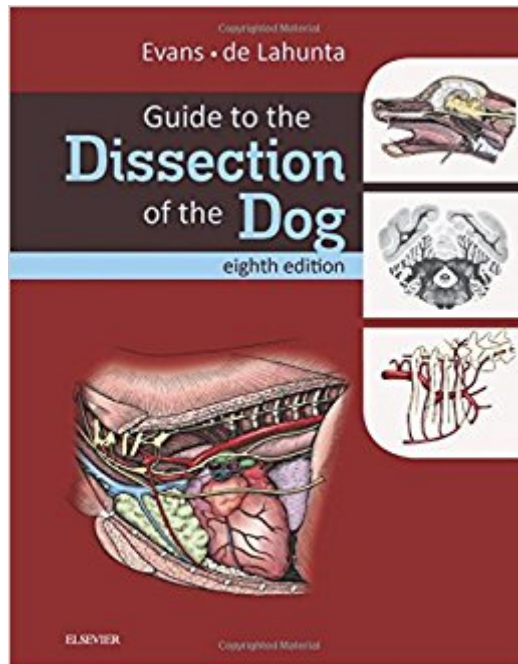




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# Guide To The Dissection Of The Dog



## Synopsis

Get an up-close look at canine anatomy with the only complete guide to the dissection of the dog. Utilizing detailed descriptions and more than 300 high-quality color anatomic drawings, *Guide to the Dissection of the Dog*, 8th Edition walks you through how to perform precise canine dissections while developing your understanding of basic mammalian structure and specific canine features. Each chapter offers self-contained guidance on the dissection of a specific body part, allowing you to perform dissections in whatever sequence you choose. Other helpful features include: an emphasis on the anatomical knowledge and terminology from the *Nomina Anatomica Veterinaria*; a comprehensive list of all figures and tables; and an extensive list of references for further research. In all, this one-of-a-kind canine dissection manual is the resource you need to better understand and review what you are learning in your first-year dissection course. The only hands-on canine dissection guide available reinforces the information that you learn in your mandatory first-year dissection course. Body part organization follows the order of dissection commonly taught in veterinary schools and enables you to perform dissections in any sequence. More than 300 high-quality color anatomic drawings guide each step-by-step dissection procedure. Radiographs, CAT scans and MR images appear throughout the text where relevant to help you visualize internal anatomic features that can only be revealed through these diagnostic methods. Comprehensive list of tables and figures makes it easy to find key images and information at a glance. Detailed descriptions of anatomical structures ensure the most thorough, precise canine dissections. Clear and easy-to-follow instructions guide you in properly performing dissection techniques. Option of a digital book on Pageburst offers high-resolution illustrations that are directly linked to the text – letting you search for any text work or anatomic clue and discover any instance of what you want to read more about. NEW! High-resolution digital images have been added throughout the book to provide a clinical context for the drawings and to highlight internal anatomic structures with excellent contrast resolution. NEW! Additional transverse sections of the brain give you the anatomic knowledge you need to accurately interpret MR images. NEW! Updated figure labels and text adhere to the latest *Nomina Anatomica Veterinaria*.

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## Customer Reviews

I bought this book for veterinary school as it was a required textbook. I was so pleased to find this on as it is much more expensive to buy in the bookstore. I really enjoyed this book. As far as medical books go, I thought this one was easy to understand. It does a great job at explaining things and was a perfect supplementation to my class. This really help understand lectures and notes. It helped even more when I needed to study for the test as this is what I reference the most. I was very pleased by the book.

For the most part it reads in a logical way that allows groups to have one person read and the others follow instructions fairly easily. There are some nice diagrams for some sections like the muscles. These diagrams depict medial, lateral, cranial, and caudal views as well as cross section views. This is very helpful. The diagrams on nerves and arteries are okay. These are a little harder to follow because exact location may vary by dog and these don't always set as neat as muscles. The heart section is sparse. You will need some other book/notes to properly orient yourself with various internal structures of the heart. The abdominal section is pretty well done with good pictures and directions. The cranial dissection is hit and miss and I deviated from many of the directions because they didn't follow well. It's not a book that I really use to study from. I might use it as a quick reference, but our class notes provide better exam information. This is a very basic directional book that you'll likely deviate from to find the structures you're looking for.

Why places require certain outdated materials for class is beyond me other than just being lazy. Book has moderate helpful info, much better books you can find that are not out of date. Sure, a hip is not going to change location but so many other books are more helpful than this one. If you have

to have it for a class, see if you can get it from a library than go out and get a really helpful book. . Unfortunately this copy reeks horribly of mildew, you can even see it on the pages. Tried leaving outside, spraying then ziplock it shut, nothing has worked.

This book was recommended as part of my course curriculum. There are some nice images, but the dissection steps aren't always clear for first time dissectors. I found myself using Miller's way more often, and I actually lost my copy of Dissection of the Dog halfway through first semester of vet school.

Was a required text for a veterinary anatomy course. The images are very intricate and have proven to be a huge help in future classes (i.e. surgery). This is definitely one book that will help through your dissection and through the rest of the curriculum. However, for the future library, I'd recommend picking up the companion book, "Miller's Guide" to the anatomy of the dog.

This book was wonderful for my canine anatomy class. The pictures are well done so that you can learn muscles, arteries, nerves, veins, etc. easily and often looked like my cadaver. I personally did not follow the dissection directions, but they appeared easy to follow. It was just easy for my group and me to identify the muscles, arteries, nerves, veins etc. via the diagrams.

Not only will you use this book during dissection, but will look back to it over and over again. Great organization, great drawings. Good to have for Neuroanatomy as well. The newer version has color pictures, which is nice... but I bought this version and colored the pictures myself to help me review.

My dog didn't enjoy this book as much as I did. He's such a cut up!

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