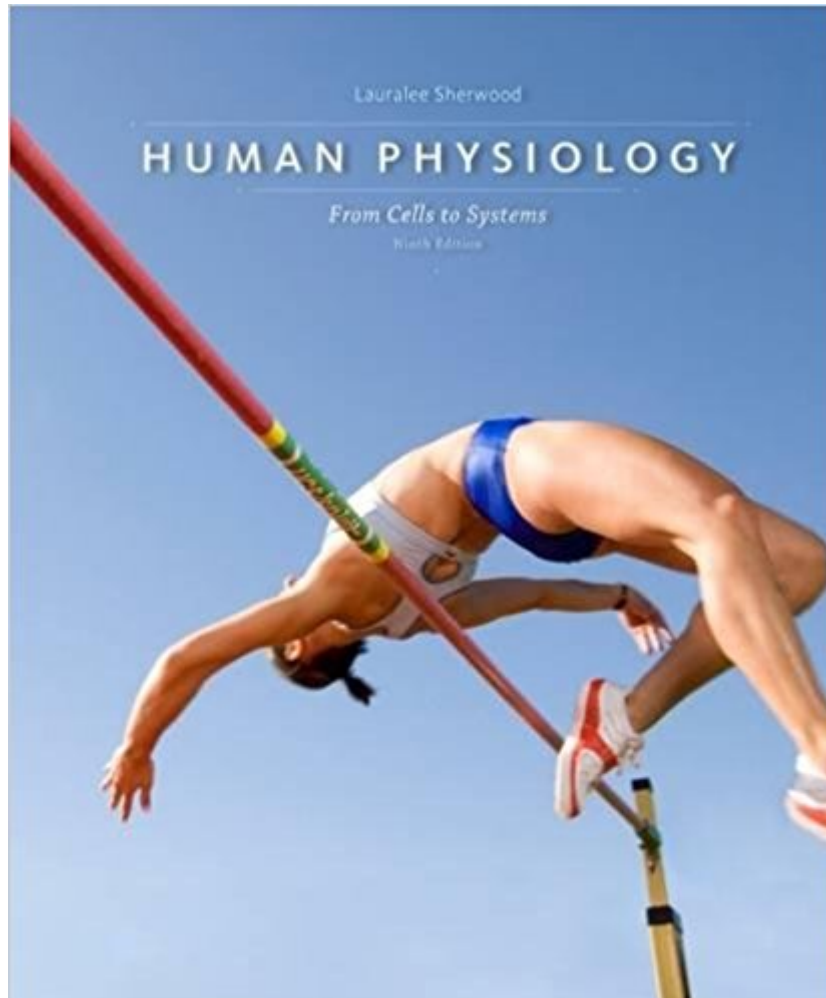




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Following graduation from Michigan State University in 1966, Dr. Lauralee Sherwood joined the faculty at West Virginia University, where she is currently a Professor in the Department of Physiology and Pharmacology, School of Medicine. For the past 40 years, Professor Sherwood has taught an average of over 400 students each year in physiology courses for pharmacy, medical technology, physical therapy, occupational therapy, nursing, medical, dental, dental hygiene, nutrition, exercise physiology, and athletic training majors. She has authored three physiology textbooks: HUMAN PHYSIOLOGY: FROM CELLS TO SYSTEMS, FUNDAMENTALS OF HUMAN

PHYSIOLOGY, and ANIMAL PHYSIOLOGY: FROM GENES TO ORGANISMS, all published by Cengage Learning/Brooks/Cole. Dr. Sherwood has received numerous teaching awards, including an Amoco Foundation Outstanding Teacher Award, a Golden Key National Honor Society Outstanding Faculty Award, two listings in Who's Who Among America's Teachers, and the Dean's Award of Excellence in Education.

This book explains physiology well in an easy-to-understand manner. When I would get lost in lecture, this book helped clear things up! Definitely my best companion in the course. Illustrations are great, text is concise, and the authors are thorough. Highly recommend.

this book over explains concepts a lot. No need for 5 chapters about a simple concept.. Just because you can write more on a subject doesn't make it better.

I bought this book as a required text in a pathophysiology course. Almost every page has a great illustration to demonstrate the concept being taught. Easy to follow for the in-depth level of teaching it provides. Each chapter has practice questions at the end with answers in the back of the book. My favorite feature is the tear-out study cards located at the end of the book-these pages provide a breakdown/summary of the keypoints of each chapter and have really helped with my studying.

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