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the newest edition of best selling chronic illness continues to focus on the various aspects of chronic illness that influence both patients and their families topics include the sociological psychological ethical organizational and financial factors as well as individual and system outcomes this book is designed to teach students about the whole client or patient versus the physical status of the client with chronic illness the study questions at the end of each chapter and the case studies help the students apply the information to real life evidence based practice references are included in almost every chapter

chronic conditions such as arthritis heart disease and parkinson disease are the principal cause of all sickness and death in the united states and represent the vast majority of health care expenditures although we now live in a world dominated by chronic conditions health care is still organized around a commitment to treating acute illnesses meeting the challenge of chronic illness examines current deficiencies in chronic illness care and explores ways to improve it addressing the challenges of shifting from the primacy of acute illnesses to the predominance of chronic conditions the authors identify the components necessary to reorganize and reform health care properly prepared health care workers involved patients and families appropriate use of new technologies especially information systems an appropriate role for prevention and the creation of funding approaches that will provide necessary incentives this book calls on policy makers health care providers and educators to address one of the greatest challenges facing the health care system

in the united states chronic diseases currently account for 70 percent of all deaths and close to 48 million americans report a disability related to a chronic condition today about one in four americans have multiple diseases and the prevalence and burden of chronic disease in the elderly and racial ethnic minorities are notably disproportionate chronic disease has now emerged as a major public health problem and it threatens not only population health but our social and economic welfare living well with chronic disease identifies the population based public health actions that can help reduce disability and improve functioning and quality of life among individuals who are at risk of developing a chronic disease and those with one or more diseases the book recommends that all major

federally funded programmatic and research initiatives in health include an evaluation on health related quality of life and functional status also the book recommends increasing support for implementation research on how to disseminate effective longterm lifestyle interventions in community based settings that improve living well with chronic disease living well with chronic disease uses three frameworks and considers diseases such as heart disease and stroke diabetes depression and respiratory problems the book s recommendations will inform policy makers concerned with health reform in public and private sectors and also managers of communitybased and public health intervention programs private and public research funders and patients living with one or more chronic conditions

this book has been written to acquaint readers with some of the enormous range of experiences associated with chronic illness contents part one problems of living with chronic illness 1 preventing and managing medical crises 2 management of regimens 3 symptom control 4 reordering of time 5 managing the trajectory 6 social isolation 7 a basic strategy normalizing 8 the family in the picture part two specific chronic conditions and their implications 9 the burden of rheumatoid arthritis carolyn l wiener 10 ulcerative colitis strategies for managing life laura reif 11 childhood diabetes the commonplace in living becomes uncommon jeanne quint benoliel 12 getting around with emphysema shizuko fagerhaug 13 chronic renal failure and the problem of funding barbara suczek 14 dying in hospitals barney glaser and anselm strauss part three the health care system and chronic illness 15 providing better care 16 public policy and chronic illness

describing how chronic illness affects one s self image friends and family this book shares the experiences of people with serious chronic illnesses and shows how they find the strength to carry on

overall the book walks a delicate balance between evidence and advocacy regarding the care of people with chronic conditions nolte and mckee conclude the volume with the following a first step is to recognize that something must be done a second which we hope will be facilitated by the evidence provided in this book is to realize that something actually can be done and that they can do it p 240 the overarching desire to match the need for evidence with the reality that advocates including policy makers need a reasoned voice makes the book well suited to health policy deliberations international journal of integrated

care the complex nature of many chronic diseases which affect people many different ways requires a multifaceted response that will meet the needs of the individual patient yet while everyone agrees that the traditional relationship between an individual patient and a single doctor is inappropriate there is much less agreement about what should replace it many countries are now experimenting with new approaches to delivering care in ways that do meet the complex needs of people with chronic disorders redesigning delivery systems to coordinate activities across the continuum of care yet while integration and coordination have an intuitive appeal policy makers have had little to help them decide how to move forward the book systematically examines some of the key issues involved in the care of those with chronic diseases it synthesises the evidence on what we know works or does not in different circumstances from an international perspective it addresses the prerequisites for effective policies and management of chronic disease taking a whole systems approach the book describes the burden of chronic disease in europe explores the economic case for investing in chronic disease management examines key challenges posed by the growing complexity in healthcare including prevention the role of self management the healthcare workforce and decision support examines systems for financing chronic care analyses the prerequisites for effective policies for chronic care caring for people with chronic conditions is key reading for health policy makers and health care professionals as well as postgraduate students studying health policy health services research health economics public policy and management contributors reinhard busse elisabeth chan anna dixon carl ardy dubois isabelle durand zaleski daragh k fahey nicholas glasgow monique hejmans izzat jiwani martyn jones cécile knai nicholas mays martin mckee ellen nolte thomas e novotny joceline pomerleau mieke rijken dhigna rubiano debbie singh marc suhrcke

the new edition of best selling chronic illness impact and intervention continues to focus on the various aspects of chronic illness that influence both patients and their families topics include the sociological psychological ethical organizational and financial factors as well as individual and system outcomes the seventh edition has been completely revised and updated and includes new chapters on models of care culture psychosocial adjustment self care health promotion and symptom management key features include chapter introductions chapter study questions case studies evidence based practice boxes list of websites appropriate to each chapter individual and system outcomes

stemming from environmental genetic and situational factors chronic disease is a critical concern in modern medicine managing treatment and controlling symptoms is imperative to the longevity and quality of life of patients with such diseases chronic illness and long term care breakthroughs in research and practice features current research on the diagnosis monitoring management and treatment of chronic diseases such as diabetes parkinson s disease autoimmune disorders and many more highlighting a range of topics such as medication management quality of life issues and sustainable health this publication is an ideal reference source for hospital administrators healthcare professionals academicians researchers and graduate level students interested in the latest research on chronic diseases and long term care

this valuable book combines psychological theories of health with the lived experience of coping with chronic health conditions focusing on the ill person as an actor of their own development it draws on perspectives from developmental and health psychology alongside the author s personal experience of chronic illness bonino considers all aspects of living with illness from issues that impact on everyday functioning such as pain and fatigue to the rebuilding of identity through meaningful new goals and effective actions and the development of therapeutic relationships psychological theories are interwoven with descriptions of lived encounters to center the experience of the person living alongside illness and provide insightful points of reference that everyone could try to use when facing the challenges of chronic disease in the course of their daily lives coping with chronic illness is important reading for those living with chronic health conditions as well as for healthcare professionals looking to gain awareness of the psychological issues caused by living with illness it is also of interest for postgraduate students of health psychology

excellent choices choice on dying newsletter toombs barnard and carson have organized and edited a valuable series of papers that provide a rare perspective on the impact of chronic illness beginning with the person who is experiencing the chronic condition they are able to weave an important blend of personal social and policy themes choice this volume of collected essays is a solid contribution to the medical humanities literature on chronic illness the contributors have produced a cohesive systematic and sensitive examination of issues in chronic illness and disability medical humanities review although it may seem to be intended largely for health care providers this thought provoking volume

has much that will interest a wider lay audience medical and health annual an often moving exploration of the human moral and policy aspects of a health issue that affects each of us through first person accounts and the perspectives of literature medicine philosophy and religion this book explores what it means to live with chronic illness and the implications of this experience for social policy health care bioethics and the professions

chronic diseases have become predominant in western societies and in many developing countries they affect quality of life and daily activities and require regular medical care this unique monograph will bring readers up to date with chronic disease research with a focus on health related quality of life and patient perception of the impact of the diseases and health intervention as well as psychological adaptation to the disease it considers the application of concepts and measures in medical and psychological clinical practice and in public health policies informed by theory philosophy history and empirical research chapters will indicate how readers might advance their own thinking learning practice and research the book is intended to be provocative and challenging to enhance discussion about theory as a key component of research and practice perceived health and adaptation in chronic disease will be of interest to researchers and academics alike it boasts a wide range of contributions from leading international specialists from australia canada denmark france germany the netherlands spain sweden the uk and the usa this has also allowed the book to provide readers with a multidisciplinary approach

this book brings together the approaches adopted by eight countries to address the policy issues necessary to provide high quality and affordable health and social care for people suffering from chronic disease

in this ground breaking new work patrick j mcevoy connects with healthcare professionals patients and illness to presenting an entirely new way to address chronic disease management by reflecting on the very nature of chronic disease rather than focusing on its consequences the book sheds new light on the complex realities of general practice

many healthcare professionals are focusing their concerns on controlling symptoms and minimizing physical distress while failing to deal with the social and psychological factors related to living with long term chronic illness ariela royer makes an important contribution

to the study of health and illness behavior by showing the various strategies chronically ill people use to manage their symptoms and overcome the consequences of their particular illness so they can live the most normal life possible and maintain their self esteem in spite of a popular belief linking chronic illness mainly to aging most chronic problems extend across the life span one of every seven men and one of every eight women between the ages of 17 and 44 are limited in their major activity their ability to work keep house or go to school because of a chronic condition at ages 65 and over nearly three fifths of men and two fifths of women are handicapped dr royer shows various strategies the chronically ill may use to live with the uncertainty inherent in chronic illness she also discusses how one might try to overcome or to minimize the salient social consequences of chronic illness such as stigma and social isolation in order to get on with their lives

with the onset of chronic illness an individual and family s world previously taken for granted is often undone the actual and potential losses from illness impact on family friends physicians therapists nurses and others in profound and unexpected ways through his own honest personal account and the testimony of others robert shuman takes us inside the illness experience to help us better grasp the daily inner lives of the ailing person and his or her family as our aging population lives longer chronic illness touches more and more of us whether as patient or parent nurse or spouse colleague or therapist we need to have greater knowledge and understanding of the intricacies of chronic illness robert shuman maps out the many dimensions of illness and invites the reader to explore its challenging terrain in a way that provides opportunities for self discovery and reflection in lyrical prose he opens up new ways of thinking about the psychology of illness and healing he suggests for example that illness symptoms can have a generative effect on a person s imaginative and creative possibilities and that the socially despised events of illness and disability offer new ways of being once sought through the work of religion drawing on the fields of behavioral and family medicine medical anthropology and sociology moral and bioethical philosophies and family existential cognitive jungian and archetypal psychotherapies among others the psychology of chronic illness raises provocative questions for the professional caregiver as well as for those living with illness and disability this book will help anyone touched by illness personally or professionally to support those living with chronic illnesses and disabilities to cope with multiple impacts on work relationships social roles individual dreams and disappointments to listen to and

voice suffering and fears grief and anger questions of values and moral doubts and to acknowledge loss and mourning as a common ground that we all share this book offers specific resources to the caregiver and aids the professional in his or her ethical obligation to give moreover shuman s voice is one of compassion reminding us how to hold on to or recover hope meaning and morale during times of affliction and distress

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first published in 1988 living with chronic illness presents a vivid account of the reality of life with chronic illness from the perspective of patients and their families the authors look at the expectations priorities and problems of those most affected by chronic illness and examine the strategies they have developed to cope with their considerable disadvantages the experience of carers the ways in which their problems change over time are also major themes in the book the book looks at the everyday life of people with the following conditions stroke renal failure multiple sclerosis parkinson s disease arthritis heart attack epilepsy rectal cancer psoriasis and diabetes in each case an overview of the

consequences of a particular illness is presented before discussion of specific problems in daily life maintaining family relationships managing treatment regimes coping with work and home commitments and living with bodily change and social stigma this volume will be of importance to all those concerned with providing support and planning care for the chronically ill in the health and social services and in voluntary organizations students of medical sociology policy makers and planners will also find the insights and research presented here valuable in the understanding of the daily life of people with chronic illness it will also be of use for those in professional training in nursing social work general practice and related areas

the second edition of this popular textbook provides a comprehensive overview to chronic illness care which is the coordinated comprehensive and sustained response to chronic diseases and conditions by health care providers formal and informal caregivers healthcare systems and community based resources this unique resource uses an ecological framework to frame chronic illness care at multiple levels and includes sections on individual influences the role of family and community networks social and environmental determinants and health policy the book also orients how chronic care is provided across the spectrum of health care settings from home to clinic from the emergency department to the hospital and from hospitals to residential care facilities the fully revised and expanded edition of chronic illness care describes the operational frameworks and strategies that are needed to meet the care needsof chronically ill patients including behavioral health care management transitions of care and health information technology it also addresses the changing workforce needs in health care and the fiscal models and policies that are associated with chronic care several new chapters are included in the second edition and reflect the significant changes that have occurred in health care due to the covid 19 pandemic chapters covering vaccinations virtual care and care of covid 19 associated chronic conditions have been added the revised textbook builds on the first edition s content that covered providing care to special population groups such as children and adolescents older adults and adults with intellectual and developmental disabilities by including care approaches to adults with severe and persistent mental health disorders the lgbtq community incarcerated persons immigrants and refugees and military veterans finally chapters on important and emerging topics such as natural language processing and health inequities and structural racism have also been

added

in this much needed guide popular blogger ilana jacqueline writes poignantly about her experience living with two debilitating yet invisible autoimmune diseases and offers sound advice and practical tips for living with a chronic illness or disability that others can't see readers will learn to deal with doctors who don't understand are of little or no help or outright dismiss their condition they will also learn how to navigate friendships family relationships work and school overcome body image and self esteem issues become their own best advocate create a support system and live an engaged and values driven life

effective management of long term conditions is an important aspect of contemporary nursing policy and practice systematic and evidence based care which takes account of the expert patient and reduces unnecessary hospital admissions is vital to support those with long term conditions chronic diseases and those who care for them this book draws together the key issues in managing long term conditions and provides a practical and accessible guide for nurses and allied health professionals in the primary care environment it covers background context and policy in the uk and further afield as well as practical guidance for all key aspects of long term condition management including the physical and psychosocial impact of long term conditions effective case management self management and the expert patient behavioural change strategies and motivational counselling nutritional and medication management packed with helpful clearly written information managing long term conditions and chronic illness in primary care includes two chapters of case studies as well as key fact boxes and pointers for practice throughout it is suitable for pre registration students undertaking community placements and post registration students studying long term condition chronic disease management

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