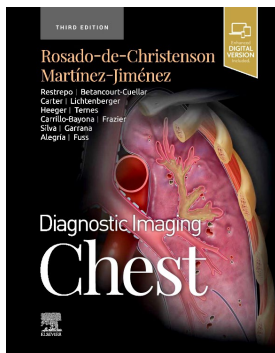


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Book reviewed by Dr Colin Turnbull, consultant radiologist, Western General Hospital, Edinburgh.

I had an immediate sense of déjà vu on receiving this textbook on diagnostic imaging of the chest, because it is by the same authors and in the same style and design as the previous *ExpertDDX Chest* book I so much enjoyed and reviewed in *RAD Magazine* in July 2021.

It has the same layout, with colour-coded pages for each of the 13 sections, titled from An overview of chest imaging to Chest wall and diaphragm, and covers every conceivable chest imaging appearance and abnormality in between. It now includes the chest manifestations of infection by COVID-19, and is considerably longer and more comprehensive at 1,021 pages compared with 441.

Each section has numerous subsections covering various chest conditions, all laid out in the same familiar, easy to access, bullet pointed subheadings of key facts, terminology, imaging, top differential diagnoses, pathology and clinical issues, followed by selective references, making it very easy to look up and use for reference and teaching.

Compared with the second edition, there are updated sections on thoracic imaging terminology, post-treatment changes, the effects of novel therapies including immunotherapy and ablation procedures, and new chapters on emerging diseases, including e-cigarette and vaping use-associated lung injury.

There are, in all, 2,640 images in the book and 2,536 online only images (accessed via a supplied unique code), that include radiographic, CT, MR and PETCT images as well as gross photographs and photomicrographs, where appropriate.

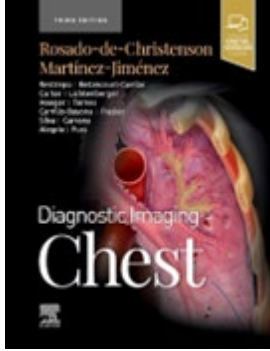
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Inevitably, because of the number of illustrations, these are small, but clear, well produced and comprehensively annotated but can be accessed in more magnified detail by online access via a scanned QR code.

The main authors and their 24 international contributing authors are to be congratulated on producing such an up-to-date, amazingly comprehensive, well illustrated and very easily accessible textbook, covering an enormous breadth and depth of knowledge of diagnostic chest imaging for the 21st century, which should be available to consult in all chest imaging departments.

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