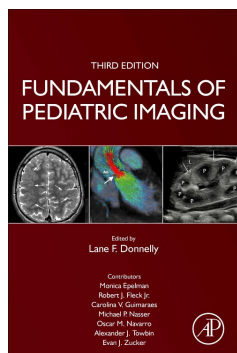


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*Book reviewed by Dr Karl Johnson, consultant paediatric radiologist, and Dr Qamar Sharif, radiology registrar, Birmingham Children's Hospital.*

The author describes this as a basic introductory text for radiology trainees or medical students beginning a rotation in paediatric radiology, a criteria that it definitely meets. The book is divided into chapters covering the main systems and is able to provide a concise overview of each system relating to imaging and common pathologies.

The first chapter provides a summary of how to approach paediatric radiology in general, common differences when compared with adults, as well as common logistical differences. The following chapters are then split into body systems including chest, cardiac, neuro, etc, each of which is authored by a doctor of the particular subspeciality. Chapters are arranged to highlight common radiological pathologies with descriptions and images in order to give an overview of how they can be detected using different imaging modalities such as CT and ultrasound. Tables are also used in order to provide a succinct overview of information such as important differential diagnoses to consider.

Images are annotated with key information, increasing their usefulness. This includes images from a diverse range of modalities including CT, MR, plain films etc. However, increasing the size and clarity of the images would likely aid better visualisation of the described pathology.

Overall this book delivers on what it promises; it provides an overview of common pathologies of paediatric radiology with well structured sections covering each topic and easy to digest supplementary information such as tables and images. This book would be valuable for those wanting to build a foundation or refresh paediatric radiology knowledge and would most benefit those radiology trainees about to begin a rotation or as preparation for postgraduate radiology examinations.

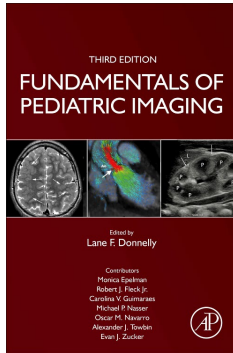
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In order to get the most out of the book it should be supplemented with more comprehensive texts on each topic in order to provide the depth of information needed.

It would be useful as a reference guide and is recommended as an introductory text for anyone who has an interest in paediatric radiology.

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