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[**Health Case Studies**](https://open.bccampus.ca/browse-our-collection/find-open-textbooks/?uuid=de69ac1b-efb2-4575-941f-0e096fc738d6&contributor=&keyword=&subject=)

Author(s): Glynda Rees, Rob Kruger, Janet Morrison; British Columbia Institute of Technology

Health Case Studies is composed of eight separate health case studies that align with the open textbooks Clinical Procedures for Safer Patient Care and Anatomy and Physiology: OpenStax.

#### [Creative Clinical Teaching in the Health Professions](https://open.bccampus.ca/browse-our-collection/find-open-textbooks/?uuid=c6d0e9bd-ba6b-4548-82d6-afbd0f166b65&contributor=&keyword=&subject=)

Author(s): Sherri Melrose PhD, RN, Athabasca University, Caroline Park PhD, RN, Athabasca University, Beth Perry PhD, RN, Athabasca University

This peer reviewed e-book is a must-read for nurses and other health professionals who strive to teach with creativity and excellence in clinical settings.

#### [Handbook of eHealth Evaluation: An Evidence-based Approach](https://open.bccampus.ca/browse-our-collection/find-open-textbooks/?uuid=f1a0a087-fabe-42fd-b3b4-2a28b5425b2a&contributor=&keyword=&subject=)

Author(s): Edited by Francis Lau, Craig Kuziemsky

This handbook presents the science and practice of eHealth evaluation based on empirical evidence gathered over many years within the health informatics discipline.

#### [Medicines by Design](https://open.bccampus.ca/browse-our-collection/find-open-textbooks/?uuid=81f9ddbb-b946-400e-ac10-9afd71c47e32&contributor=&keyword=&subject=)

Author(s): US Department of Health and Human Services, National Institute of Health, National Institute of General Medical Sciences

Medicines By Design aims to explain how scientists unravel the many different ways medicines work in the body and how this information guides the hunt for drugs of the future.

#### [Clinical Procedures for Safer Patient Care](https://open.bccampus.ca/browse-our-collection/find-open-textbooks/?uuid=fbbb4840-eda5-4265-9f1c-d6d8008402a9&contributor=&keyword=&subject=)

Author(s): Glynda Rees Doyle, British Columbia Institute of Technology, Jodie Anita McCutcheon, British Columbia Institute of Technology

This open educational resource (OER) was developed to ensure best practice and quality care based on the latest evidence, and to address inconsistencies in how clinical health care skills are taught and practised in the clinical setting.

#### [Vital Sign Measurement Across the Lifespan - 1st Canadian Edition](https://open.bccampus.ca/browse-our-collection/find-open-textbooks/?uuid=feacda80-4fc1-40a5-b713-d6be6a73abe4&contributor=&keyword=&subject=)

Author(s): Jennifer L. Lapum, Margaret Verkuyl, Wendy Garcia, Oona St-Amant, Andy Tan, Ryerson University

The purpose of this textbook is to help learners develop best practices in vital sign measurement.

#### [Microbiology](https://open.bccampus.ca/browse-our-collection/find-open-textbooks/?uuid=23534637-e4c4-49fd-91b0-a9fa6bd5e69f&contributor=&keyword=&subject=)

Author(s): Peggy O'Sullivan

This Microbiology textbook, adapted from the Boundless version, is intended to provide health care professionals with a working knowledge of infectious disease.

#### [Microbiology (OpenStax)](https://open.bccampus.ca/browse-our-collection/find-open-textbooks/?uuid=04bb119f-6daf-435a-a4cb-b5da7c3c7e7a&contributor=&keyword=&subject=)

Author(s): Nina Parker, Mark Schneegurt, Anh-Hue Thi Tu, Brian M. Forster, et al.

Microbiology covers the scope and sequence requirements for a single-semester microbiology course for non-majors.

#### [Anatomy and Physiology (OpenStax)](https://open.bccampus.ca/browse-our-collection/find-open-textbooks/?uuid=f4873e49-e09c-469e-9ee8-9f14ca5a4e00&contributor=&keyword=&subject=)

Author(s): J. Gordon Betts, Tyler Junior College, Eddie Johnson, Central Oregon Community College, James A. Wise, Hampton University, Kelly A. Young, California State University, Long Beach, et al.

Anatomy and Physiology is a dynamic textbook for the two-semester human anatomy and physiology course for life science and allied health majors.

#### [Nursing Care at the End of Life: What Every Clinician Should Know](https://open.bccampus.ca/browse-our-collection/find-open-textbooks/?uuid=59c5ac0b-d3f8-4274-9345-0a3c2fb64caf&contributor=&keyword=&subject=)

Author(s): Susan E. Lowey, The College at Brockport, SUNY

Nursing Care at the End of Life: What Every Clinician Should Know should be an essential component of basic educational preparation for the professional registered nurse student.

#### [Supporting Individuals with Intellectual Disabilities & Mental Illness](https://open.bccampus.ca/browse-our-collection/find-open-textbooks/?uuid=5872a030-f5d9-4ea3-a9d2-696a99c005dc&contributor=&keyword=&subject=Support/Caregiving)

Author(s): Sherri Melrose, Debra Dusome, John Simpson, Cheryl Crocker, Elizabeth Athens

This multidisciplinary resource develops topics of interest to all those who care about and for individuals with co-occurring intellectual disabilities and mental illness.