Basic Ophthalmology, 9th Ed.
Synopsis

This concise text is an ideal complement to the medical student curriculum and is an important text for primary care residents and physicians. It features practical information on the diagnosis, management and referral of common ocular disorders and summarizes important ophthalmic concepts, techniques and facts with annotated resources for additional information. This new edition includes updates on neuro-ophthalmology, ocular manifestations of systemic diseases, and drugs and the eye. Additional topics include eye examination, acute and chronic visual loss, the red eye, ocular and orbital injuries, and amblyopia and strabismus.

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For those who are already ophthalmologists or are more senior ophthalmology residents and have a sound basis in the field, this book is not for you. However, medical students, non-ophthalmologists physicians or allied health professionals in primary care fields, or even ophthalmology first- or second-year residents will learn much from this book. To better understand what subjects are covered, here are the chapter titles:

Chapter 1: The Eye Examination
Chapter 2: Acute Visual Loss
Chapter 3: Chronic Visual Loss
Chapter 4: The Red Eye
Chapter 5: Ocular and Orbital Injuries
Chapter 6: Amblyopia and Strabismus
Chapter 7: Neuro-Ophthalmology
Chapter 8: Ocular Manifestations of Systemic Disease
Chapter 9: Drugs and the Eye

The book itself is in full-color with pictures of the eye and fundoscopic examination where applicable. The text is written in plain English and avoids overly-technical terms. An easy read.
This book provides excellent needed Data to family physician and is not "basic"! Every page I learned 1-2 very important points. Even recent images and studies that I had not got the concept in residency and or imaging techniques that have just come to provide care was presented. Very easy to read and has excellent diagrams and explains things in my language. Even has easy tests in the end of each chapter. Thank you very much. I am reading the book for second time.

Actually, my 30 year old son is switching careers from computer Information Security (IS) to, hopefully, a Physicians Assistant (PA). Someplace I have to get the him the ability to use the online student guides that go along with the book! But to quote him, pun and all, "it has been a real eye opener). Robert Ellenwood Son is James Robert Ellenwood. Prefers "JR Ellenwood"

Very good book for medical student, has well defined concept and is very easy to read. Every student interested in ophthalmology should read this book, together with ophthobook and ophtho:ridiculous. Very good.

hi there i am Claudio A.G.Monteiro Filho, M.D. and I was in Toronto last year, and I picked up this book from their university bookstore, Somebody told me there, that it's the main book that they used over there, for medical students, At the University of Toronto in Canada. At any rate, Every book from the American Academy of ophthalmology is great in general to me, this book i would say is pretty basic, but it's very neat, well organized and straight to the point, I'm from Recife in Brazil South America, and I really recommend this book for the beginning medical Student.

Good reference, great pics, exam pearls. Recommended for PGY 1-3 non ophthalmology students/residents

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