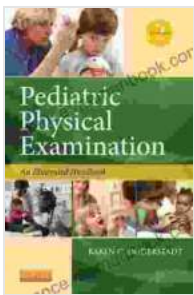


# A Comprehensive Guide to Pediatric Physical Examination: A Comprehensive Illustrated Handbook

Pediatric physical examination is an essential part of providing quality care to infants and children. A thorough physical examination can help to identify both acute and chronic health conditions, and can also help to establish a baseline for future health assessments.



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## **Chapter 1: General Examination**

The general examination provides a general overview of the child's health status. This includes assessment of the child's vital signs, nutritional status, and overall appearance. The general examination also includes screening for common developmental problems, such as motor delays and speech delays.

## **Chapter 2: Head and Neck**

The head and neck examination assesses the child's head, face, eyes, ears, nose, and throat. This examination can help to identify a variety of health conditions, including congenital anomalies, infections, and injuries.

## **Chapter 3: Respiratory System**

The respiratory system examination assesses the child's lungs, chest wall, and airway. This examination can help to identify a variety of respiratory conditions, including pneumonia, asthma, and bronchiolitis.

## **Chapter 4: Cardiovascular System**

The cardiovascular system examination assesses the child's heart and blood vessels. This examination can help to identify a variety of cardiovascular conditions, including congenital heart defects, arrhythmias, and hypertension.

## **Chapter 5: Gastrointestinal System**

The gastrointestinal system examination assesses the child's abdomen, liver, and gastrointestinal tract. This examination can help to identify a variety of gastrointestinal conditions, including abdominal pain, diarrhea, and constipation.

## **Chapter 6: Genitourinary System**

The genitourinary system examination assesses the child's kidneys, bladder, and genitals. This examination can help to identify a variety of genitourinary conditions, including urinary tract infections, kidney stones, and undescended testicles.

## **Chapter 7: Musculoskeletal System**

The musculoskeletal system examination assesses the child's bones, joints, and muscles. This examination can help to identify a variety of musculoskeletal conditions, including fractures, dislocations, and muscle strains.

## **Chapter 8: Neurological System**

The neurological system examination assesses the child's brain, spinal cord, and nerves. This examination can help to identify a variety of neurological conditions, including seizures, cerebral palsy, and spina bifida.

## **Chapter 9: Skin**

The skin examination assesses the child's skin, hair, and nails. This examination can help to identify a variety of skin conditions, including eczema, psoriasis, and acne.

## **Chapter 10: Eyes**

The eye examination assesses the child's eyes and vision. This examination can help to identify a variety of eye conditions, including refractive errors, strabismus, and amblyopia.

## **Chapter 11: Ears**

The ear examination assesses the child's ears and hearing. This examination can help to identify a variety of ear conditions, including otitis media, hearing loss, and tinnitus.

## **Chapter 12: Nose**

The nose examination assesses the child's nose and sinuses. This examination can help to identify a variety of nose and sinus conditions, including rhinitis, sinusitis, and nasal polyps.

## **Chapter 13: Throat**

The throat examination assesses the child's throat and tonsils. This examination can help to identify a variety of throat conditions, including tonsillitis, pharyngitis, and laryngitis.

## **Chapter 14: Neck**

The neck examination assesses the child's neck and lymph nodes. This examination can help to identify a variety of neck conditions, including lymphadenopathy, torticollis, and goiter.

## **Chapter 15: Abdomen**

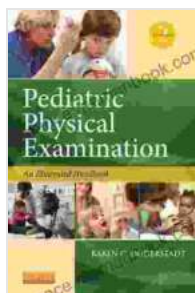
The abdominal examination assesses the child's abdomen and its contents. This examination can help to identify a variety of abdominal conditions, including abdominal pain, diarrhea, and constipation.

## **Chapter 16: Back**

The back examination assesses the child's back and spine. This examination can help to identify a variety of back conditions, including scoliosis, kyphosis, and lordosis.

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This book is an essential resource for pediatricians, family physicians, and other healthcare providers who care for infants and children. The book is also a valuable resource for parents and caregivers who want to learn more about the physical examination of their children.

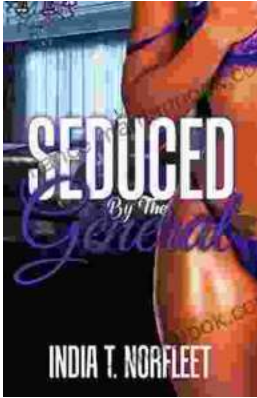


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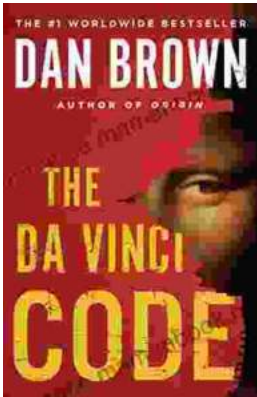
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