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an illustrated guide to the myofascial system how it works how it supports the body and its importance to any bodywork practice the result of more than two decades of research and practice the endless presents in clear readable language a comprehensive guide to understanding and working effectively with the myofascial system the packing material of the body myofascia is a flexible network of tissue that surrounds cushions and supports muscles bones and organs it also acts as a riverbed containing the flow of interstitial fluid and is a critical influence on the immune and hormonal systems in daily life this connective tissue is an underlying determinant of movement quality mood alertness and general well being the endless is a fully illustrated guide to understanding how myofascia works its supportive role within the body s anatomy and how gentle manipulation of the myofascial tissue is central to lasting therapeutic intervention and how it can be integrated into any bodywork practice

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Fascial and Membrane Technique

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the fascial and membrane technique developed by peter schwind combines the fundamental thoughts from ida rolf's structural integration with concepts of osteopathy creating a successful combination of form stabilizing and mobilizing techniques the book emphasizes diagnosis and treatment of the breathing patterns manifest in the myofascial system minimalistic as well as global application joint techniques visceral techniques in the myofascial context special treatment techniques in the craniosacral area and care of the upper jaw includes comprehensive information on therapy from head to foot with descriptions of the anatomic correlations clearly describes the theoretical and practical principles so difficult concepts are easily understandable detailed easily transposed instructions about treatments allow the reader to put the concepts into practice with ease photographically documented movements show real examples of topics discussed

Functional Atlas of the Human Fascial System

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principally based on dissections of hundreds of un embalmed human cadavers over the past decade functional atlas of the human fascial system presents a new vision of the human fascial system using anatomical and histological photographs along with microscopic analysis and biomechanical evaluation prof carla stecco orthopaedic surgeon and professor of anatomy and sport activities brings together the research of a multi specialist team of researchers and clinicians consisting of anatomists biomechanical engineers physiotherapists osteopaths and plastic surgeons in this atlas prof stecco presents for the first time a global view of fasciae and the actual connections that describe the myofascial kinetic chains these descriptions help to explain how fascia plays a part in myofascial dysfunction and disease as well as how it may alter muscle function and disturb proprioceptive input prof stecco also highlights the continuity of the fascial planes explaining the function of the fasciae and their connection between muscles nerves and blood vessels this understanding will help guide the practitioner in selecting the proper technique for a specific fascial problem with a view to enhancing manual therapy methods functional atlas of the human fascial system opens with the first chapter classifying connective tissue and explaining its composition in terms of percentages of fibres cells and extracellular matrix the second chapter goes on to describe the general characteristics of the superficial fascia from a macroscopic and microscopic point of view while the third analyzes the deep fascia

in the same manner the subsequent five chapters describe the fasciae from a topographical perspective in this part of the atlas common anatomical terminology is used throughout to refer to the various fasciae but it also stresses the continuity of fasciae between the different bodily regions over 300 unique photographs which show fascia on fresh not embalmed cadavers demonstrates the composition form and function of the fascial system highlights the role of the deep fascia for proprioception and peripheral motor coordination companion website atlasfascial.com with videos showing how fascia connects with ligaments

Modalities for Massage and Bodywork - E-Book

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ideal for both classroom and practice modalities for massage bodywork 2nd edition presents 23 modalities of bodywork their history development effects benefits contraindications basic curricula and certification requirements updated photos and illustrations critical thinking questions and flash cards give you a better picture of today s massage best practices evolve companion website provides matching activities flash cards answers to multiple choice questions weblinks and video demonstrations of various modalities covered in the text to make learning more interactive case histories in each chapter illustrate the effects of the modality within a therapeutic context creating the opportunity for integrative clinical reasoning that helps prepare you for work in the various modalities student objectives and key terms at the start of each chapter provides a framework for what to expect and what to focus on with each chapter in my experience boxes provide personal insights about specific techniques from experts in the field full color design and techniques shown with photos and illustrations enhance understanding and comprehension of each modality multiple choice test questions at the end of each chapter with answers on the evolve website help you measure your understanding of the modality and obtain instant feedback from the answer key that includes rationales suggested readings resources and references in each chapter offer robust resources for you to further research each modality clinically relevant boxes and tables highlight important information new modalities chapters provide you with a greater awareness of the opportunities and options available as they pursue a massage therapy career and practitioners with more practical information they can apply to their work new student resources on evolve supplement the classroom experience and ensures you retain the material in the text 23 different body techniques are introduced to help you learn about different modalities you may want to pursue and reaffirm your knowledge of techniques more than 2 hours of video on the evolve website bring the modalities to life and help put the text instructions in perspective new updated content photos and illustrations equip you with the latest information and visuals on modalities from experts in the field that reflect current practices in the field and the needs and wants of massage therapy practitioners and students new critical thinking questions added to each chapter actively engage and challenge your reasoning skills new additional review questions added to each chapter supply you with more opportunities to review what you have learned and test your knowledge

Mobilizing the Myofascial System

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fascia has become the new buzzword in the field of rehabilitation and movement re education until recently its contribution to musculoskeletal dysfunction had been underestimated we know now that fascia plays an important role in health wellbeing and mobility it transmits the power of the muscles communicates with the nervous system and serves as a sense organ many different groups of professionals are now exploring the world of fascia as evidenced by the explosion of research in this field however many physical therapists are still unfamiliar with fascia and continue to think of it as the dead packing material that is pushed aside during dissections in order to visualize the important stuff like muscles and nerves physical therapists with their varied skill set in manual therapy techniques are well placed to take on this important tissue mobilization of the myofascial system aims to help them to do that mobilization of the myofascial system mms the technique described in this book has its origins in manual physical therapy for the articular muscular and neural systems tom myers book anatomy trains which examines the myofascial meridians for manual and movement therapists has been the framework and inspiration for the development of mms in this book the author outlines the theory and pathophysiology of fascial dysfunctions a full description of the mms assessment and treatment approach is given as well as guidance on ways in which it may be integrated into the other methods normally used by manual therapists subsequent chapters offer full descriptions and color photos of the mms techniques the chapters are organized into various anatomical regions simply to facilitate learning these divisions are of course artificial as fascia is a continuum from the top of the head down to the toes mobilization of the myofascial system is primarily intended for physical therapists who have been trained in manual therapy but it will also be valuable for osteopaths chiropractors massage therapists structural integrators and other body workers who are seeking an alternative way to work with this important and fascinating tissue

Fascia, Function, and Medical Applications

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fascia function and medical applications is essential reading for medical and allied health practitioners who want to bring scientific insights of the importance of fascia to human health into their clinical practices fascia the biodynamic tissue that connects every muscle bone organ and nerve in the body is fast becoming the latest trend in healthcare and allied health modalities this book is edited by david lesondak university of pittsburgh medical center author of the international bestseller fascia what it is and why it matters and angeli maun akey md international physician educator and board certified in both internal and integrative medicine it contains contributions from a team of top researchers and expert practitioners including physicians clinicians therapists dissectors and surgeons fully illustrated in color this book presents the latest scientific knowledge of fascia and explains insights into problems like chronic pain and myriad musculoskeletal symptoms that may not respond to conventional treatments it gives practitioners the information they need to make better decisions to improve the health of patients often without pharmaceuticals or surgeries features provides comprehensive overview of how fascia as a tissue and a system affects various body functions and systems from musculoskeletal disorders to nervous system circulatory and auto immune function a section devoted to medical applications highlights a comprehensive and critical overview of various fascial therapies gives practitioners the knowledge they need to refer or add as an adjunct therapy to their department or rehabilitation team this is a cutting edge practical guide that will appeal to researchers physicians and clinicians alike

Yoga for Sports Performance

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many sports people are interested in trying yoga techniques in the hope of improved flexibility strength breathing and concentration but many can be prevented from optimal results due to a lack of understanding on the part of yoga teachers of the specific physical requirements of their sport this is a manual for professionals who work with athletes of all disciplines and shows them how to adapt yoga practice for swimmers cyclists runners tennis players and more this bridge between evidence based modern sports medicine and the ancient practices of yoga provides solid training guidance as well as offers psychological wisdom to help control and refine the actions of the mind essential reading for yoga therapists and teachers athletic coaches and bodywork professionals who work with athletes

Fascia: The Tensional Network of the Human Body - E-Book

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the role of the fascia in musculoskeletal conditions and as a body wide communication system is now well established fascia the tensional network of the human body constitutes the most comprehensive foundational textbook available that also provides the latest research theory and science around fascia and their function this book is unique in offering consensus from scientists and clinicians from across the world and brings together the work of the group behind the international fascia research congress it is ideal for advanced sports physiotherapists physical therapists musculoskeletal orthopaedic medicine practitioners as well as all professionals with an interest in fascia and human movement the comprehensive contents lay the foundations of understanding about fascia covering current scientific understanding of physiology and anatomy fascial related disorders and associated therapies and recently developed research techniques full colour illustrations clearly show fascia in context new content based on latest research evidence critical evaluation of fascia oriented therapies by internationally trusted experts chapter outlines key points and summary features to aid navigation accompanying e book version include instructional videos created by clinicians

Fascial Release for Structural Balance, Revised Edition

2017-06-27

this thoroughly revised edition of the authoritative reference fascial release for structural balance brings the book up to date with all of the most current research on the role of fascia and myofascia in the body and how treatment affects it this edition takes advantage of more sophisticated testing to explore in greater detail the relationship between anatomical structure and function making it an even more essential guide offering a detailed introduction to structural anatomy and fascial release therapy including postural analysis complete technique descriptions and the art of proper assessment of a patient through bodyreading the book features 150 color photographs that clearly demonstrate each technique the authors both respected bodywork professionals give any bodywork practitioner using manual therapy including physiotherapists osteopaths chiropractors myofascial and trigger point therapists and massage therapists the information they need to deliver effective treatments and create long lasting systemic change in clients shape and structure fascia the soft tissue surrounding muscles bones and organs plays a crucial role in supporting the body by learning to intelligently manipulate it a bodyworker or therapist can help with many chronic conditions that their clients suffer from providing immediate pain relief as well as reducing the strains that may contribute to the patient s ongoing aches and pains leading to rapid effective and lasting pain relief james earls and thomas meyers argue that approaching the fascia requires a different eye a different touch and tissue specific techniques

The Heart of WATSU®

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watsu is an innovative water based therapy with roots in japanese zen shiatsu each chapter in this book enlightens practitioners on the ways in which watsu is being used clinically by experts across the globe in a variety of therapeutic settings its primary purpose is to provide anecdotal practical and clinical tools to integrate the heart and science of watsu for special needs populations watsu s unique movements breathwork intention embodiment and heart are steeped in a unifying theme of adaptation across a plethora of therapeutic spectrums using frameworks that are within the realms of aquatic rehabilitation integrative medicine and wellness program models the authors discuss the current research that is being documented they explain how therapists can dive into practice with a deep understanding of this unique form of water therapy and use these techniques with clients with ptsd chronic pain and neuromuscular disorders as well as in palliative and hospice care and pediatric settings

Your Body's Brilliant Design

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want to know the key to eliminating chronic pain from your life it s not more rigorous exercise medical interventions or expensive therapies it turns out you have had the key all along your body and its natural brilliant design for years we have been overlooking a crucial element of the body fascia that holds the key to allowing you to live pain free many of us think of the human body as a static mechanical system of muscles attached to a skeleton what is missing from this picture is the tissue that unites all the parts the fascia a seamless web of dynamic connective tissue that surrounds all muscles bones organs and even cells when one part of the fluid fascial web moves the rest of the body responds when we learn how to connect to this system through subtle movements we open up a world of understanding of how our bodies are designed to work with us not against us to support an easy and pain free life this book will teach you how to feel and embody this new anatomy by connecting to your dynamic center of gravity or the core hug and to a vertical line of muscles and fascia that runs deep through the body the vertical core when you connect to the core hug and the deep vertical core using movement your body is able to suspend itself and sustain that suspension over time your body is already brilliantly designed to support you the architecture is within you the key is to access that brilliant design and work with it through stunning imagery and simple movement techniques this book teaches you how to use the natural architecture of your body bones fascia and movement to align balance and support you so that you can move with ease and live without pain

Handbook of Sustainability Science in the Future

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humanity will have to cope with many problems in the coming decades for instance the world population is likely grow to to 8 8 billion people by 2035 also changing climate conditions are negatively affecting the livelihoods of millions of people in particular environmental disasters are causing substantial damages to properties from a social perspective the inequalities between rich and poor nations are becoming even deeper and in many countries conflicts between national and international interest groups are intensifying the above state of affairs suggest that a broader understanding of the trends which may lead to a more sustainable world is needed especially those which may pave the way for future developments in other words we need to pave the way for sustainable futures consistent with this reality the proposed encyclopedia of sustainability futures aims to identify document and disseminate ideas experiences and visions from scientists member of nongovernmental organisations decision makers industry representatives and citizens on themes and issues which will be important in pursuing sustainable future scenarios in particular the publication will focus on scientific aspects as well as on social and economic ones also considering matters related to financing and infra structures which are important in pursuing a sustainable future the encyclopedia of sustainability futures will involve the contributing authors in line with the principle of co generation from across a wide range of disciplines e g education and social sciences natural sciences engineering the arts languages etc with papers adopting a long term sustainability perspective with a time horizon until 2050 the focus will be on themes which are felt as important in the future and the chapters are expected to interest and motivate a world audience this book is part of the 100 papers to accelerate the implementation of the un sustainable development goals initiative

Textbook of Remedial Massage

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textbook of remedial massage 2e is a comprehensive and practical book for students and practitioners of remedial massage written by sandra grace and jane graves the text provides expert instruction in commonly used and highly valued remedial massage techniques including trigger points muscle stretching and myofascial release each technique is accompanied by step by step illustrations and photographs physiological principles current evidence of efficacy contraindications and precautions detailed approach to assessments including red flags for serious conditions requiring referral evidence based approach to assessment and treatment comprehensive coverage of techniques that are included in remedial massage programs focus on functional anatomy assessment videos of major regions of the body and the integration of treatment techniques that are specific to the target tissue

Smarter Workouts

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smarter workouts the science of exercise made simple gives you the solution you need with efficient and effective workout programs that use only one piece of equipment you can work out in a short period of time without spending a lot of money on expensive equipment or gym memberships all while targeting your personal goals

Sentient Performativities of Embodiment

2016-05-05

this collection addresses the burgeoning interest in the body as a site of affective and somatic as well as sociocultural communication it explores what performers do with bodies in practice rehearsal and performance and how that translates to audiences and their sociopolitical contexts

Dynamic Balance

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athletes and fitness warriors in the west are constantly looking to train and recover better they gain muscle mass through weight training but find that their sports performance suffers they reach a target weight by following a strict diet but feel bloated or tired they appear to be in great shape but consistently underperform because of mental stress we need to know how to balance the different training variables available to us in order to achieve and sustain optimum fitness and performance in our lives in dynamic balance authors andy tsz chiu chan and stella yat kwan wong show why the rigors of western approaches to training often create imbalances in our physical and mental health they explain traditional chinese medicine tcm principles and techniques in simple terms and demonstrate how incorporating tcm into our lifestyle and workouts can help us perform at our best and be at our healthiest tcm is not a myth or weird alternative to real medicine but an ancient practice that s based in science and relevant to us today in this book you ll learn how to evaluate the current state of your body and figure out your constitution type find the root causes of your imbalances adapt your diet and workouts strengthen your breathing and develop harmony in your movements make better informed decisions about your health your body and fitness needs are dynamic and always changing as are the situations in the world around you dynamic balance will show you how to adjust your training diet and mentality to improve your performance live a healthier life and reach your goals

Back Pain - A Movement Problem E-Book

2010-03-08

back pain a movement problem is a practical manual to assist all students and clinicians concerned with the evaluation diagnosis and management of the movement related problems seen in those with spinal pain disorders it offers an integrative model of posturomovement dysfunction which describes the more commonly observed features and related key patterns of altered control this serves as a framework guiding the practitioner s assessment of the individual patient examines aspects of motor control and functional movement in the spine its development and explores probable reasons why it is altered in people with back pain maps the more common clinical patternsof presentation in those with spinal pain and provides a simple clinical classification system based upon posturomovement impairments integrates contemporary science with the insights of extensive clinical practice integrates manual and exercise therapy and provides guiding principles for more rational therapeutic interventions which patterns of movement in general need to be encouraged which to lessen and how to do so abundantly illustrated to present concepts and to illustrate the difference between so called normal and dysfunctrional presentations written by a practitioner for practitioners

The Bodymind Ballwork Method

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release stress and tension in the body using only rubber balls with this illustrated step by step guide yoga and bodywork teacher ellen saltonstall introduces a self directed gentle practice to help release tension in the body the bodymind ballwork method features the use of rubber balls in a range of sizes to support massage and stretch the body in specific places with clear instructions for techniques from head to toe an integrative body mind practice bodymind ballwork works to relieve soft tissue pain as well as emotional stress and trauma and is designed to empower readers to maintain their own health and mobility

Myofascial Massage

2007

this invaluable resource will help practitioners and students sort out differences and similarities between popular myofascial styles early chapters offer a solid review of anatomy and physiology as they relate to myofascial massage subsequent chapters focus on specific direct and indirect techniques and adjunctive self care recommendations for clients including the neuromuscular approach hatha yoga and exercise to support myofascial massage and the craniosacral approach you ll learn the proper procedure for each myofascial technique and understand how to integrate myofascial massage into your bodywork practice whether you re looking to broaden your perspective of massage or find the myofascial approach and technique that best suits you and your client myofascial massage is sure to help exquisite illustrations enhance learning and understanding by clarifying the techniques protocol boxes recommend sequences to follow during actual myofascial massage sessions guidelines provide useful strategies for implementing each myofascial approach and improving body mechanics and communication skills during your client sessions first person experiences will add to your overall understanding of the techniques and their uses massage implications included in each anatomy chapter chapters 2 4 help you to understand the influence of myofascial anatomy and physiology on practice questions for discussion and review at the end of each chapter encourage you test your comprehension of the materials and think critically

Using the Bowen Technique to Address Complex and Common Conditions

2014-08-21

the bowen technique resets and repairs the body restoring balance to relieve pain and improve energy this book shows how it can be particularly effective at alleviating conditions that are renowned for being difficult to treat as well as at enhancing performance in dance and other sports covering lower back pain frozen shoulder tennis elbow carpal tunnel hayfever asthma diabetes type 2 migraines stress and tension disorders fibromyalgia chronic fatigue palliative care performance enhancement and in pre and post natal care clinical case studies reveal bowen technique in action along with detailed explanations of how and why bowen is so effective for each of these different situations this is the perfect book for bowen practitioners and other complementary and alternative health practitioners and medical professionals wanting to know how and why the bowen technique can help their patients as well as patients interested in learning about what bowen can do for them

Tensional Responsiveness

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how we sense and move our bodies shapes how we relate with each other current socio economic practices are reducing generative qualities of relating doerte weig shows how bodily capacities for sensitive tensional responsiveness are relevant to re generative cultures the future of work lifelong learning sharing healing and well being she draws together her own experience of living with baka egalitarian foragers in north eastern gabon her corporate experience and her studies on bodying somatics and our connective tissue system fascia interweaving neurophysiological shifting sliding with a radically different ecosystemic awareness opens up potentials for bodying beyond current legal and political limits into enchantingly vibrant and ecosomatically alive futures

Yoga, Fascia, Anatomy and Movement, Second edition

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from anatomy to architecture from biomechanical to biomotional and from classical to connected speaks to all bodies in all modalities in a world seeking unity and connection more than ever yoga fascia anatomy and movement was written partly as an appeal for yoga teachers to appreciate the depth and breadth of yoga as a science a movement practice and a philosophy that fundamentally espouses wholeness as the basis of living anatomy and form yoga calls for unifying who and how we are and as teachers how we can help our clients who are all different move better classical anatomy in the west divides the body down into its component parts and traditionally unchanged for 400 years reduces its functionality to those parts usually described in a 2d iconic forms and founded in lever based mechanics in the east such reductionism was never espoused and yoga fascia anatomy and movement covers two huge bases to bridge the difference and upgrade understanding of yoga to 21st century anatomy the first is to recognise that the leading edge of fascia science changes all those reductionist views anatomically and biomechanically it is carefully explained in the first part of the book and shows how the new science of body architecture actually makes perfect sense of yogic philosophy of union and wholeness the second is to take this paradigm shift and apply it in practice to the subtle

understanding of the fascial architecture and how that helps us move better yoga fascia anatomy and movement attempts to ask questions find suitable research and make all this practical and applicable to teachers and practitioners of all types indeed it teaches posture profiling and creating class mandala s to support this it is a contemporary yoga teacher s bible

Cranial Intelligence

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at the deepest level of our physiology all living tissues and fluids expand and contract with the breath of life through gentle touch the skilled practitioner can interact with these subtle rhythms to address physical aches and pains acute or chronic disease emotional or psychological disturbances or simply to promote enduring health and vitality this new and important textbook demystifies the biodynamic approach to craniosacral therapy and shows how and why it can be so effective at bringing about a natural realignment towards optimal health the authors describe how to listen and respond appropriately to each client s system how to create a safe space for working with different kinds of trauma and how to address specific states of imbalance to support deep felt and lasting change throughout the book experiential exercises encourage the reader to practice their newly acquired skills and refine their knowledge of human anatomy and physiology a final chapter on practice development covers issues pertinent to practitioners trying to set up and maintain a successful practice this intensely practical textbook will transform the practice of craniosacral therapists and contains much that bodyworkers of all kinds will find useful

MultiDimensional Healing

2007-05-03

my undergraduate training has been in the field of physical therapy but like many of you i have been participating in the school of life much longer as you incorporate the basic techniques included in this book into whatever your current healing practice is hopefully you too will experience the reward and joy of watching people change and heal themselves as i have following are the basic principles that have emerged for me through the years our bodies are all one piece and what affects any part of it affects the whole all layers of the body must be released to allow for full release of the whole body as parts of the body release and physical mobility changes mental and emotional agility increases to maintain these changes the central nervous system has to realize the new possibilities for movement and incorporate them into natural motor patterns to maintain the physical changes and new natural motor patterns the energetic body must change to reflect the physical changes as parts of the body release energy releases and flows more freely throughout the entire body as energy releases memories emerge for integration into consciousness and subsequent healing of past traumas as physical and energetic changes occur belief systems shift as individual s belief systems shift societal paradigms shift this is a wholistic model that i am calling multidimensional healing come join me on this exciting journey of discovering your unlimited potential for facilitating healing for yourself your clients your community the world respectfully submitted carrie cameron

Smarter Recovery

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many fitness and wellness resources stress the importance of getting in a good workout often overlooked is recovery without proper recovery you won t be fully prepared for your next session or reap the full benefits of your training smarter recovery changes that delivering evidence based information and practical advice to effectively integrate this essential step into your routine pete mccall renowned personal trainer and author of the top selling smarter workouts cuts through the hype to explain what you really need to maximize your recovery and feel your best with 58 exercises and stretches for recovery and mobility smarter recovery breaks down the most effective tools techniques and methods including these massage stick foam roller percussion gun static stretching mobility exercises low intensity strength exercises you ll also learn the importance of nutrition and sleep in recovery and how to create a long term plan to help you feel your best case studies further demonstrate how to use the information in applicable situations simply put smarter recovery takes the guesswork out of the process to help everyone from fitness professionals to weekend warriors and fitness enthusiasts identify the most effective recovery methods for their needs earn continuing education credits units a continuing education exam that uses this book is also available it may be purchased separately or as

part of a package that includes both the book and exam

The Harvard Medical School Guide to Tai Chi

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a longtime teacher and harvard researcher presents the latest science on the benefits of t ai chi as well as a practical daily program for practitioners of all ages conventional medical science on the chinese art of t ai chi now shows what t ai chi masters have known for centuries regular practice leads to more vigor and flexibility better balance and mobility and a sense of well being cutting edge research from harvard medical school also supports the long standing claims that t ai chi also has a beneficial impact on the health of the heart bones nerves and muscles immune system and the mind this research provides fascinating insight into the underlying physiological mechanisms that explain how t ai chi actually works dr peter m wayne a longtime t ai chi teacher and a researcher at harvard medical school developed and tested protocols similar to the simplified program he includes in this book which is suited to people of all ages and can be done in just a few minutes a day this book includes the basic program illustrated by more than 50 photographs practical tips for integrating t ai chi into everyday activities an introduction to the traditional principles of t ai chi up to date summaries of the research on the health benefits of t ai chi how t ai chi can enhance work productivity creativity and sports performance and much more

Fascia: The Tensional Network of the Human Body - E-Book

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this book is the product of an important collaboration between clinicians of the manual therapies and scientists in several disciplines that grew out of the three recent international fascia research congresses boston amsterdam and vancouver the book editors thomas findley md phd robert schleip phd peter huijing phd and leon chaitow do were major organizers of these congresses and used their extensive experience to select chapters and contributors for this book this volume therefore brings together contributors from diverse backgrounds who share the desire to bridge the gap between theory and practice in our current knowledge of the fascia and goes beyond the 2007 2009 and 2012 congresses to define the state of the art from both the clinical and scientific perspective prepared by over 100 specialists and researchers from throughout the world fascia the tensional network of the human body will be ideal for all professionals who have an interest in fascia and human movement physiotherapists osteopathic physicians osteopaths chiropractors structural integration practitioners manual therapists massage therapists acupuncturists yoga or pilates instructors exercise scientists and personal trainers as well as physicians involved with musculoskeletal medicine pain management and rehabilitation and basic scientists working in the field reflects the efforts of almost 100 scientists and clinicians from throughout the world offers comprehensive coverage ranging from anatomy and physiology clinical conditions and associated therapies to recently developed research techniques explores the role of fascia as a bodywide communication system presents the latest information available on myofascial force transmission which helps establish a scientific basis for given clinical experiences explores the importance of fascia as a sensory organ for example its important proprioceptive and nociceptive functions which have implications for the generation of low back pain describes new imaging methods which confirm the connectivity of organs and tissues designed to organize relevant information for professionals involved in the therapeutic manipulation of the body s connective tissue matrix fascia as well as for scientists involved in basic science research reflects the increasing need for information about the properties of fascia particularly for osteopaths massage therapists physiotherapists and other complementary health care professionals offers new insights on the fascial related foundations of traditional chinese medicine meridians and the fascial effects of acupuncture

Embryogenesis

2000

embryogenesis is an unusual book in that it brings together a highly illustrated practical embryology book in simple language perfect for health practitioners with a fascinating read on the history and philosophy of biological science it discusses the various stages of embryonic development meiosis fertilization blastula development and gastrulation and then the embryology of each of the human organs and organ systems in detail it puts each of them in context both in terms of its phylogeny the evolutionary trajectory of cell organized systems on earth and its ontogeny the formation of individual

organisms in the modern world there are 24 color plates many of them commissioned uniquely for this volume and several hundred black and white illustrations the book is 950 pages hardcover 8 1 2 by 10 chapters include the original earth the materials of life the first beings the cell the genetic code sperm and egg fertilization the blastula gastrulation morphogenesis biological fields chaos fractals and deep structure ontogeny and phylogeny and biotechnology the origin of the nervous system the evolution of intelligence neurulation and the human brain organogenesis the musculoskeletal and hematopoietic systems mind the origin of sexuality and gender healing transsexuality intersexuality and the cultural basis of gender self and desire cosmogenesis and mortality

Yoga Anatomy Made Simple

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a fun introductory guide to yoga anatomy for new and experienced yoga teachers practitioners and enthusiasts knowledge of anatomy is a crucial part of every effective yoga practice but the subject can be dry and difficult yoga anatomy made simple provides a fun solution it s a go to guide to functional yoga anatomy written for yoga practitioners looking to jump in and start applying key concepts to their work here longtime yoga teacher stuart girling pairs his expertise with real life examples and colorful jaunty illustrations to create a book that serves as a playful introduction and refresher course for yogis teachers and trainers yoga anatomy made simple provides simple explanations of key yoga anatomy concepts like patterns variety breath and strength the illustrations are diverse body inclusive joyful and fun and mirror the author s own accessible unpretentious approach to practical yoga anatomy concepts are demonstrated on different body parts as well as the following posture groups forward bends hip rotations backbends twists postures involving the shoulders inversions arm balances girling ties everything together in a holistic framework with a playful touch on every page one that embraces each student s lifestyle environment and life history yoga teachers will learn to elevate their ability to analyze yoga postures from a physical perspective sequence more effectively avoid unnecessary injury and appreciate the importance of individuality within postural yoga

Orthopaedic Manual Physical Therapy

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take an eclectic evidence based approach to orthopaedic manual therapy from theory through practical application of soft tissue and joint mobilization techniques this comprehensive resource delivers the depth and breadth of coverage you need to optimize patient outcomes through informed clinical decision making as part of a comprehensive intervention regimen

The Alexander Technique

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our entire human structure is built for movement for all aspects of life this book offers a new theoretical framework for understanding integrated movement based on the latest scientific models and practical explorations presenting a new interpretation of how alexander developed his work easten covers twelve fundamentals of movement and shows how optimal movement is organised around sensory and spatial awareness and our focus and goals the book describes how to reawaken innate balanced movement possibilities up to date scientific research is woven into alexander s concepts to give a whole picture of how the human body feels perceives and self organises clarifying the functional anatomy that underpins the alexander technique this book explains how to utilize the power of the autonomic nervous system and spatial awareness to allow us to change old harmful movement habits and enable new body learning written accessibly and supported by illustrations and video demonstrations of techniques this book is ideal for alexander technique teachers and trainees movement educators and somatic therapists

Dental Sleep Medicine

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this book is designed to enable dentists to understand various aspects of dental sleep medicine and to recognize the signs and symptoms of sleep disorders in their patients it discusses potential negative impact of a sleep disorder on oral and systemic health and shows how to collaborate with others in order to implement appropriate patient management the first part of the book concentrated on the scientific background of sleep medicine in connection to dentistry covering the physiology of sleep classifications of sleep disorders their diagnosis as well as medical and dental comorbidities the second part of the book is dedicated to clinical applications like cpap therapy oral appliance therapy surgical procedures and adjunct therapies last the future of dental sleep medicine is discussed each chapter is written by specialized researchers and clinicians in the field making the book a useful guide for dental clinicians all around the world

Freeing Emotions and Energy Through Myofascial Release

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written for bodywork and manual therapy practitioners from a wide variety of disciplines as well as other healers who want to expand their skills this generously illustrated book explains how and where emotions and static energy are held in the body and how they can be released and rebalanced in therapies that challenge bodymindcore awareness



1998

healing by hand presents the first cross cultural perspective on manual medicine studies the practice of body therapists that is routinely overlooked by medical practitioners and social scientists the authors describe how manual medicine is one of the primary providers of traditional medicine it takes numerous forms across the world s communities and represents beliefs and practices about healing physical and psychological states and the relation between culture and health this volume is a valuable resource for manual practitioners of western medicine including massage therapists physical therapists chiropractors and osteopaths as well as those with traditional training it is especially recommended for courses such as medical anthropology health and human culture technology and the developing world sociology of health international health and health care systems

Healing by Hand

2004

michael shea one of the foremost experts on myofascial release presents straightforward practical instructions for dramatically releasing pain and restriction of motion in the body s fascia muscles and connective tissue he introduces a soft tissue hands on approach for massage therapists physical therapists and other healthcare practitioners that reduces tension and stress in their clients entire myofascial systems as well as their musculoskeletal and cardiovascular systems therapists with little or no background in myofascial release and deep tissue reorganization can follow this book s easy guidelines in order to facilitate substantial orthopedic changes and pain reduction in their clients illustrated with 70 black and white photos myofascial release therapy includes an at a glance section that provides a step by step procedure for quick reference each photo is supplemented with instructions as well as with arrows for easy reference in the clinic this book provides the first integration of the verbal visceral and palpation skills of the therapist it also includes work on the viscera as a way of integrating soft tissue work through the abdomen and pelvis while manuals on the bones muscles and viscera have previously been divided into separate volumes this book combines them into one the author offers specific tools and protocols for helping patients destructure past somatic experience and

reform it into something healthier he illuminates the interconnectedness between bodies and their relationships to the outside world including how sensations feelings and emotions are organized in the body and how they are coupled to meaning and memory the result of many years of experience and knowledge this book provides compelling evidence that myofascial release therapy encourages more rapid healing response of injured tissue

Myofascial Release Therapy

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the role played by the venolymphatic system in osteopathy and elsewhere is a central one venolymphatic drainage therapy an osteopathic and manual therapy approach offers accessible and clinically relevant coverage of the subject encompassing the thorax abdomen pelvis and limbs which includes principles of examination and the effective treatment of underlying disorders prepared in an easy to follow practical format the first part of the volume explores the anatomy physiology embryology and biomechanics of the venolymphatic system the volume then presents a variety of effective treatment options which range from the treatment of functional disorders of the diaphragm the intraosseous fluid system the spleen liver and gallbladder kidneys and ureters to the management of problems connected with the abdominal mesenteries and abdominal organs richly illustrated with an abundance of artworks and photographs throughout this volume will be ideal for osteopaths chiropractors physical therapists physiotherapists and massage therapists worldwide clear writing style excellent organisation and the effective use of line drawings photographs and tables make learning easy explains the causes of oedema and its subsequent physiological pathway including the role of the excretory organs in its dissipation uniquely explores the importance of the deep lymphatic and venous systems in the context of treating lymph disorders via physical methods explores the treatment of oedema arising from deep venous and myofascial obstruction demonstrates how enhanced lymphatic flow may improve pharmacokinetic activity presents a philosophy of gentleness which emphasises patient centred individual and holistic care designed to enhance clinical decision making and technical skills which will allow the practitioner to develop an effective and safe treatment approach ideal for experienced practitioners as well as those taking undergraduate and postgraduate courses in manual and related therapies

Venolymphatic Drainage Therapy - E-Book

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this textbook on sports massage was created specifically for massage therapists certified athletic trainers and physical therapists who work with athletes the author is an experienced massage therapy and athletic training educator and practitioner and provides instruction on how to apply clinical massage techniques to athletes the text is uniquely focused on the use and integration of basic sports massage myofascial neuromuscular and lymphatic facilitation to enhance an athlete s performance potential and treat common athletic injuries and conditions the book includes numerous diagrams and pictures of techniques to help readers visualize specific concepts and procedures from the field boxes contain quotes from professionals who practice sports massage case studies present common athletic injury scenarios and descriptions of treatment protocols

Therapeutic Massage in Athletics

2007

a headache in the pelvis is a description of a revolutionary new treatment for pelvic pain affecting millions of men and women developed at stanford university this book describes a new treatment for a very difficult problem that heretofore has had no solution the authors of the book have published in the world s best journals reporting that the protocol described in a headache in the pelvis helps over 70 of men for whom no other treatment has helped

A Headache in the Pelvis, a New Expanded 6th Edition

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