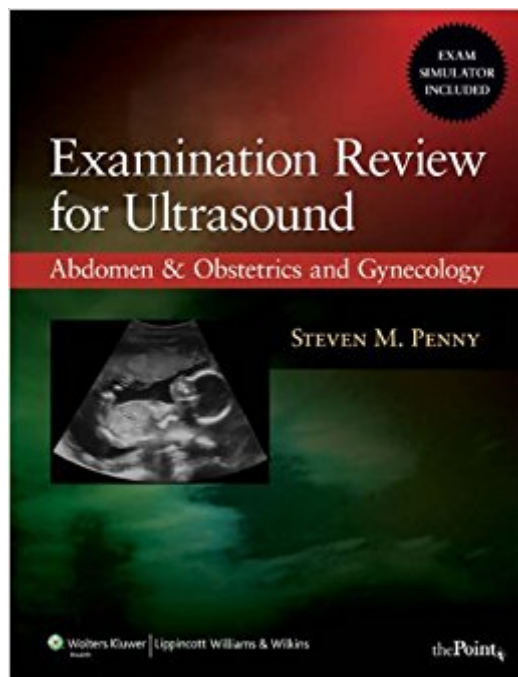


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This text is a narrative style exam review text for two of the most popular sonography certification exams in abdomen and obstetrics and gynecology by the ARDMS (American Registry of Diagnostic Medical Sonography) and ARRT (American Registry of Radiologic Technologists) certification granting bodies. This resource is ideal for ultrasound programs requiring a certification review manual for either a review course or for use throughout the curriculum, as well as any professional preparing for certification. Questions and answers are included within the text. A companion website offers an online exam simulation, customizable for both ARDMS and ARRT exam formats.

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Thanks for your interest in Examination Review for Ultrasound: Abdomen & Obstetrics and Gynecology. Though it contains information that may be used by educators in the classroom, students, sonographers, or interpreting physicians, the primary goal of this book is to provide individuals a tool to effectively prepare for the certification examinations offered by the ARDMS and ARRT in the specialties of Abdomen & Obstetrics and Gynecology (OB/GYN). In the front of each chapter you will find helpful terms with definitions. Throughout the chapters there are beneficial tables that contain both clinical and sonographic findings. This format

allows for a quick, and yet thorough review. The narrative is easy to read and only contains the most vital facts about the topics. Unlike many review books, it contains valuable diagrams and sonographic images as well. The book has review questions within it, and the online component consists of over 800 intense mock-registry questions with rationales, an image bank, and PowerPoint presentations for instructors. As a sonographer, I greatly value the goals you have set for yourself. I hope that, even if you do not choose to use this book, you achieve them. Steven M. Penny

Steven M. Penny is an author, educator, registered radiographer (ARRT), and registered sonographer (ARDMS). His specialties in sonography include Abdomen, Obstetrics & Gynecology, and Neurosonology. He has published multiple journal articles, including several in the Journal of Diagnostic Medical Sonography and Radiologic Technology, with subjects concerning neurosonology, pediatric sonography, pathology, and patient care. Mr. Penny is currently the Lead Instructor for the Medical Sonography program at Johnston Community College in Smithfield, North Carolina. He lives in Garner, North Carolina with his wife and children.

This book was very helpful in studying for the Abdomen Registry! It puts everything into short concise easy to understand sections. It has helpful charts at the end of each section which help you highlight the important information. If you want just ONE book to study from I would probably recommend this over Edelman cards because it goes more into depth and gives you a little background on each organ and topic, highlights and defines medical terms etc. However, I am not sure if using this book alone would be enough to pass. Although this book was extremely helpful and I would definitely recommend it (I passed my registry on the first try), I did not solely use this book. I also used Edelman's cards, Appleton and Lange questions (only) and looked at images from school. Although I did rely on this book heavily and it did it definitely helped me pass, after having taken the registry I see I could have been a little more prepared. I would definitely recommend this book if it was the only thing you were studying from because it summarizes everything very clearly so you do not need to go back and re-read all your notes and everything that you did in school. But in my opinion, if you want to be extra ready for the registry then you need to add another source besides this book. Overall definitely a THE GO-TO BOOK in order to pass, a good summary and a must to study for the registry!

I just completed my Abd/ OB/ Gyn exams and used this book solely for my preparation. It has great

charts for lab values, pathology findings, sonographic findings, definitions at the beginning of each chapter as well as a chapter review. One of the most helpful parts of purchasing this book is the access you receive to the online testing question bank. You will receive a scratch off code inside the front cover and have access to the testing material for 2 years!! These questions are different from the ones inside the book to give you extra preparation for the actual test. It has all sections of the registry to include protocols, physics, positioning, patient care, pathology, and anatomy. If you are looking for a to the point review book this is for you! No extra information to add to the confusion. All around useful tool!

Studied for my OB/GYN board using only this text and passed on the first try with no problem. I didn't find the need to refer back to school notes or other sources. If you just systematically move through each chapter and take the chapter review quiz after each one, you should be fine for the boards. If I had a chapter quiz score under 80% correct, I just re-read the chapter and took the quiz again to cement my understanding. Taking abdominal board next. I'll let you know how it goes. :)

I thought this paired well with my other review materials for the Abdomen exam - however DO NOT SOLEY rely on this book. I used 3 different books to study for Abdomen and I passed..however all the information on the test was not covered by any 1 particular source. If you are already in the field, then you probably can use just 1 source, but as a recent graduate I needed a lot of review and this definitely helped. The organization of the material is great and I love that the beginning of each chapter has vocabulary.

This review is decent. I passed my OB/GYN registry with room to spare. I did, however, supplement my studies with Edelman's review and noticed a few things missing from this book that Edelman included. Most all of my studying was done with this book though. The practice tests were helpful and long enough to make me feel like I got my money's worth. I even felt that the test review questions were somewhat harder than the actual registry questions. It's less pricey than some I've seen that weren't nearly as helpful. I have not taken my ABD yet and can not attest to it's helpfulness for that. In any case I would suggest pulling from various sources for the registries regardless of which you have and this one is a decent choice for OB/GYN.

I used this text book solely to take the OB registry exam and passed with quite a bit of room to spare. My friend used this book to study for and take the AB registry and she passed easily. The

book is laid out in a way that makes sense, and makes for easy studying. The online practice tests are the best though for preparing you for what the registry questions actually are.

I brought this book based upon the numerous positive reviews since I am going to be sitting for my OBGYN board very soon. Overall the book is good but I do feel it leaves out a lot of important info regarding normal measurements for uterus, ovaries, etc. So I wouldn't use this book by itself. I do like the layout and it does cover a lot of topics and it is easy to read and is straight to the point. I did pass my obgyn test 8/2015 !!

I absolutely loved this review book for Abdomen and OB/GYN boards. I passed both with no problems. I only used Penny for OB/GYN and I used Edelman to supplement for ABD.

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