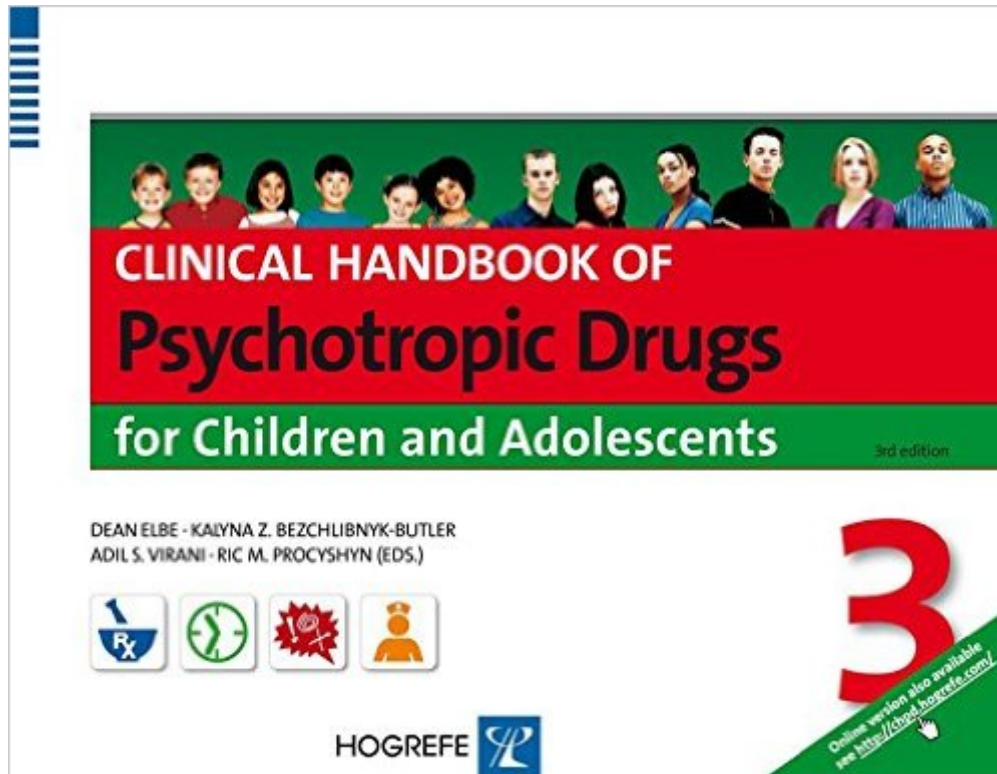


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# Clinical Handbook Of Psychotropic Drugs For Children And Adolescents



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Very helpful, lots of information, though some's generalized into drug classes rather than individual meds. It's publication date is 2015, and it's DSM-5 oriented, so that's a big plus. It reports all the FDA approvals at which ages, etc

As a PMHNP, this book has come in handy many times. It is a great resource for prescribed medications as well as OTC options. It has everything from the mechanism of actions, side effects, nursing tips, and charts. The spiral binding makes it easy to keep your page.

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