

Features:

- **Coverage of small animal surgical nursing** provides a full review of the role and responsibilities of the veterinary technician in the surgical setting, including sterilization, protocols, gowning, gloving, anesthesia, wound management, and care of the animals before and after surgery.
- **Focus on exceptional clinical skills and practice tips** draws from the author's real-world experiences of what is most commonly encountered in the clinical setting.
- **Nearly 500 full-color illustrations and photographs** show surgical equipment, instruments, sterile techniques, suturing techniques, and wound management.
- **Attention to detail** ensures understanding of the skills covered in required veterinary technician surgical nursing courses.
- **Learning Objectives and Key Terms at the beginning of each chapter** identify the material that should be mastered in the upcoming chapter.
- **Key Points and Review Questions** at the end of each chapter facilitate study and reinforce understanding.
- **Quick Reference for Common IV Infusions and Analgesic Protocols appendix** helps students learn to work quickly and efficiently.

New To This Edition:

- **NEW! Updated content and new protocols and skills** ensure that students have the latest information available.
- **NEW! Updated and additional Review Questions** include multiple-choice, listing, and open-ended questions that challenge students to apply the knowledge they have learned in each chapter.

Περιεχόμενα:

1. Preoperative Room Considerations
2. Instruments
3. Anesthesia Machine
4. Preoperative Patient Considerations
5. Patient Preparation
6. Patient Monitoring
7. Asepsis
8. Operating Room Personnel
9. Surgical Assisting - Duties During Surgery
10. Surgical Procedures
11. The Postoperative Patient

12. The Technician's Role in Pain Management

13. Postoperative Cleaning

14. Client Education

Appendix: Quick Reference for Common IV Infusions and Analgesic Protocols

Glossary