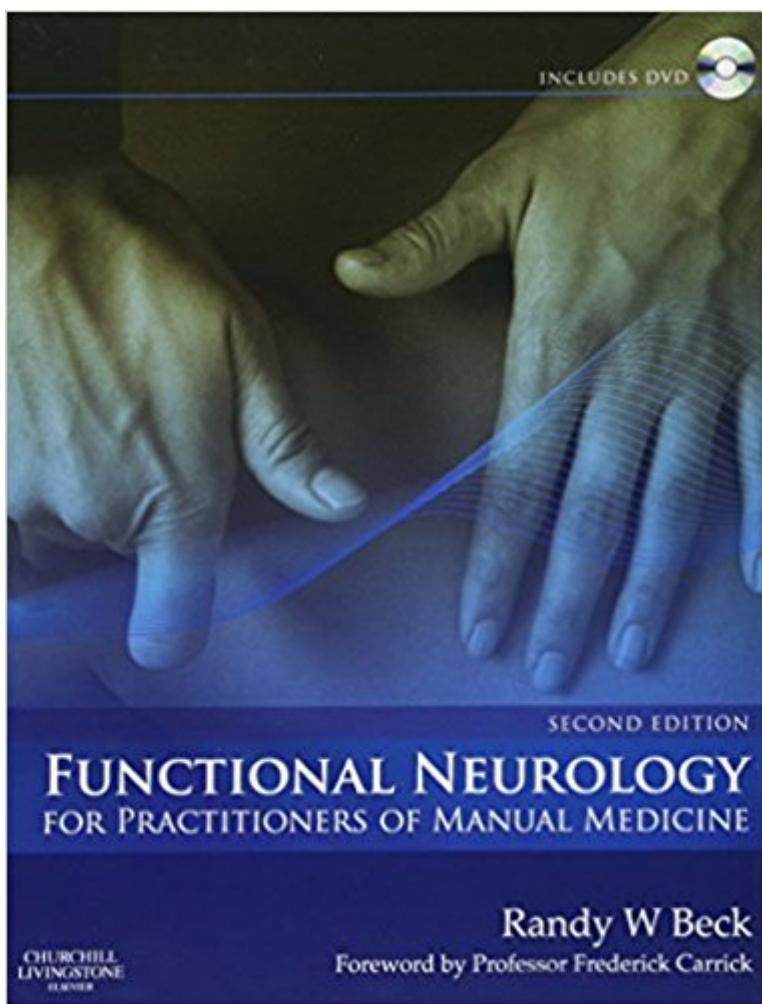


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# Functional Neurology For Practitioners Of Manual Medicine, 2e



## Synopsis

Functional Neurology for Practitioners of Manual Medicine takes the reader from the embryonic beginnings of the nervous system, through the biochemistry of receptor activation and on to the functional systems of the nervous system. Concepts, relationships and scientific mechanisms of the nervous system function are covered, and this aids the practitioner in developing their clinical approach to a wide variety of patient presentations. The text is fully referenced, which allows the reader to immediately apply the concepts to practice situations. New for this edition are new chapters on pain (including headache) and theoretical evidence, plus extensive electronic resources supporting the text. "Overall this text would be an excellent resource to any practising physiotherapist or health professional within musculoskeletal and orthopaedics from the new graduate to the experienced clinician." Reviewed by: Tracy Ward, MCSP, BSc (HONS), MSc, Senior Physiotherapist and Clinical Pilates Specialist, BMI Healthcare Albyn Hospital, Aberdeen Date: Aug 2014 Utilizes our understanding of how the nervous system works in the treatment of a variety of clinical conditions Demystifies the clinical results seen in the practice of Functional Neurology and scientifically validates its clinical success Addresses function rather than pathology, allowing the reader to gain a firm understanding of the neurological processes seen in health and disease Contains clinical cases which are designed to be read and answered before starting the chapter to allow the reader to gauge their current state of knowledge "Quick Facts" introduce new concepts or allow rapid review of information already presented in the text in a brief and succinct manner Contains a detailed overview of the concepts relating to our understanding of the development of emotion to demonstrate the link between physical health and the mind Contains abundant references to support controversial concepts

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Functional Neurology for Practitioners of Manual Medicine is the sine qua non book for any chiropractor, acupuncturist, naturopath, MD, DO, neurologically oriented physical therapist, OT, or anyone consumed by the subject. It along with its accompanying DVD, is an entire course into what will be the 21st century leap from restorative medicine into re-organizational healing. It is well written and thoughtfully presented, but is surely not for the dilettante. Drink deeply or taste not.

My issue really isn't with the textbook itself, but with the fact that it came without the first chapter. I guess this is the printers fault. I realized too late to return.

Great information and well written text. Great for every practitioner in the medical field with interest in neurology or a better understanding on physiology.

Very good book for practitioners , should be a student text for all health science/ medical courses to understand what is required functionally.

Great book

Great book if you have the background to apply it.

Highly valuable and well written.

This book is very helpful, especially if you're taking anything with Carrick. I have notes from seminars and this book is great for filling in the gaps that I had in my notes. Dr. Beck did a great job keeping things simple to understand and thorough enough to be a valuable clinical reference.

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