

Varney's Midwifery, Fifth Edition

Dedication

The first sentence should read: "Helen Varney Burst authored the first edition of this text, which was published in **1980...**"

Appendix 12A

Page 371: In item number 2 under the "Indications" heading, (≥ 5 mm) should read (**≥ 4 mm**).

Page 373: In item number 14, the reference numbers for the second sentence should be **10-11**.

Page 375: Under the "References" heading, the third reference should be: 3. Association of Professors of Gynecology and Obstetrics. Clinical Management of Abnormal Uterine Bleeding. APGO Educational Series on Women's Health Issues, Crofton, MD, 2002.

Page 375: Under "References", references 10 and 11 should be:

10. Goldstein, S. Modern evaluation of the endometrium. *Obstetrics & Gynecology*, 116, 168-176, 2010.

11. Kuntz, C. Endometrial biopsy. *Canadian Family Physician*, 53, 43-44, 2007.

Chapter 17

Page 509: There should be a trademark symbol following "CycleBeads" in Figure 17-5.

Chapter 21

Page 643: Table 21-6 should appear as follows:

Table 21-6. Detection and False Positive Rates for Currently Available Prenatal Tests^a

Test	^b Detection Rate	^c False Positive Rate
1 st Trimester Screening (NT and maternal serum)	90% Trisomy 21 88% Trisomy 18 85% Trisomy 13	5% Trisomy 21 5% Trisomy 18 & 13
2 nd Trimester Screening (maternal serum markers: Quad)	80% Trisomy 21 70% Trisomy 18 19% Trisomy 13 75-90% ONTDs 95% Anencephaly	5% Trisomy 21 0.2% (Trisomy 18 & 13) 2-5% ONTDs
Integrated Screen <i>without</i> NT (1 st and 2 nd trimester maternal serum markers)	88% Trisomy 21 86% Trisomy 18 49% Trisomy 13	1-2% Trisomy 21 < 0.5% Trisomy 18
Chorionic Villus Sampling (CVS)	98% Aneuploidy	< 0.04
Amniocentesis	99.5% Aneuploidy 96-99% ONTD	< 0.04 2% ONTD

Non Invasive Prenatal Testing (trisomy 21, 18, 13)	99% Trisomy 21 & 18 92% for trisomy 13	0.3 to 1%
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Direct DNA testing: Saliva, blood, placental, or skin cell sample for identification of genetic mutation and carrier status	99.9%	< 0.04%
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NT Nuchal Translucency

ONTD Open Neural Tube Defects

^aDetection and false positive rates can vary dependent on population risk, and risk cutoff used in testing

^bDetection rate reflects test sensitivity, the “accuracy” or ability of a test to correctly identify those who have a disorder.

^cFalse positive rate reflects test specificity, the ability of a test to correctly identify those who do not have a disorder.

Page 647: The first sentence in the third paragraph under the “Diagnostic Testing in the Second Trimester” heading should read: “During a **CVS** test...”

Chapter 22

Page 660, Table 22-1: The definition of Gravida/para two-digit nomenclature should include: “G2P1: A woman who is currently pregnant, and she had one pregnancy that resulted in an infant born at 38 weeks’ gestation.”

Page 660, Table 22-1: The last bullet under Gravida/para TPAL four-digit nomenclature should read: G3P1103: A woman who is currently pregnant. She gave birth to one full-term infant and preterm twins. All three offspring are alive.

Page 661, Table 22-2: “Quickening” should be listed under the Presumptive Signs of Pregnancy (Reported by a Woman on History).

Chapter 23

Page 747: Under “HELLP Syndrome” the first sentence should read: “HELLP Syndrome—which is an acronym for **hemolysis**, elevated liver enzymes, and low platelets...”

Chapter 25

Page 797: In the second paragraph under the “Endocrinology of Onset of Labor” heading, the word oxytocin should be **oxytocin**.

Chapter 28

Page 889: In the last sentence of the continued paragraph in the second column, under the “Childbirth Education and Labor Experiences” heading, the sentence should read “The researchers found that women in **the group that received childbirth education** were more likely to be admitted in the active phase of labor and less likely to request epidural analgesia for labor.”

Page 890: In line 5 of the first full paragraph in the second column, the sentence should read, “The latent phase of labor is an ideal time to assess a woman’s understanding about the **labor process**...”

Page 901: In the third sentence under the “Inhaled Analgesics: 50:50 Nitrous Oxide/Oxygen” heading, the word anagesia should be **analgesia**.

Chapter 30

Page 985: The last sentence in the first paragraph under the “Amniotomy” heading should read: “On the other hand, for women who are being induced, early amniotomy (before 4 cms dilatation) may shorten labor by 2 hours or more.”

Page 991: In the fourth paragraph under the “Hypotonic Labor: Protracted Active Phase”, the second sentence should read: “Large clinical trials have found that when amniotomy is performed labor is accelerated.”

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Page 1275: The entry for HELLP Syndrome should read: “**hemolysis**, elevated liver enzymes, and...”

Page 1227: The entry for hypertension, elevated liver enzymes, and low platelets (HELLP) syndrome should be: “**hemolysis**, elevated liver enzymes, and low platelets (HELLP) syndrome.