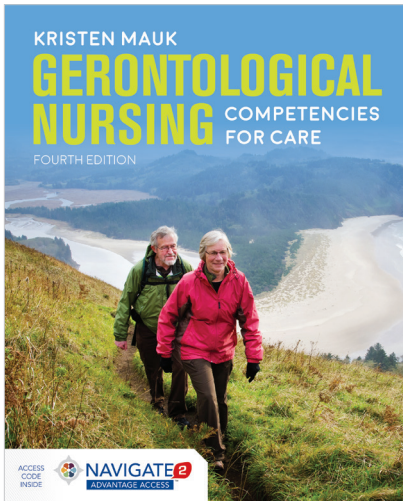


# TRANSITION GUIDE



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This transition guide serves to outline the updates and new content found in **Gerontological Nursing: Competencies for Care, Fourth Edition**.

## SUMMARY

**Gerontological Nursing: Competencies for Care, Fourth Edition** focuses on caring for the elderly by employing a holistic and inter-disciplinary approach. The *Fourth Edition* will feature a greater emphasis on healthy aging and continues to follow the framework of the Core Competencies of the American Association of Colleges of Nursing (AACN) and the John A. Hartford Foundation Institute for Geriatric Nursing. This framework allows students to learn and develop all aspects of nursing care in a familiar and structured learning platform.

## OUTSTANDING FEATURES:

- New chapter on disaster preparedness
- Expanded content on nutrition, sexuality, dementia and caregiving
- Coverage of nutrition and substance abuse
- Navigate 2 Advantage Access

## CHAPTER UPDATES:

- New: Chapter 26, "Disasters"

## INSTRUCTOR RESOURCES:

- Test Bank
- Slides in PowerPoint format
- Learning Objectives
- Lecture Outlines
- Discussion Questions
- Flashcards
- Glossary

## APPLICABLE COURSES:

- Gerontological Nursing
- Care of the Older Adult
- Elder Care



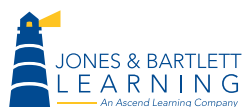
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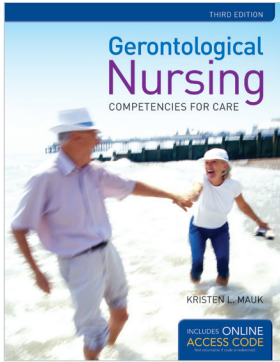
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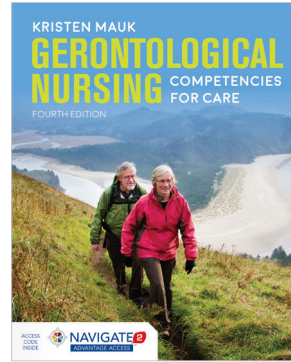
## CHAPTER OUTLINE

This chapter outline comparison has been created to help you easily transition to the *Fourth Edition*. Note that chapter content from the *Third Edition* may now be found in a different chapter in the *Fourth Edition*. Also note that chapter numbers and titles may have been updated.



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		Chapter 4: Review of the Aging of Physiological Systems
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Chapter 6: Comprehensive Assessment of the Older Adult		
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