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**Anatomic Sciences**
*Anatomy for Dental Medicine*, Baker, et al. (Thieme)
*Anatomy, Physiology, and Disease: An Interactive Journey for Health Professionals*, Colbert, et al. (Pearson)
*Barr’s The Human Nervous System: An Anatomical Viewpoint*, Kiernan and Rajakumar (Wolters Kluwer/Lippincott Williams & Wilkins)
*Clinically Oriented Anatomy*, Moore, et al. (Wolters Kluwer)
*Color Atlas and Text of Histology*, Gartner (Wolters Kluwer)
*The Developing Human: Clinically Oriented Embryology*, Moore, et al. (Elsevier)
*Essentials of Human Anatomy and Physiology*, Marieb and Keller (Pearson)
*Grant’s Atlas of Anatomy*, Agur and Dalley, (Wolters Kluwer)
*Illustrated Anatomy of the Head and Neck*, Fehrenbach and Herring (Elsevier)
*Illustrated Dental Embryology, Histology, and Anatomy*, Fehrenbach and Popowics (Elsevier/Saunders)
*Langman’s Medical Embryology*, Sadler (Wolters Kluwer)
*Moore’s Essential Clinical Anatomy*, Agur and Dalley (Wolters Kluwer/Lippincott Williams & Wilkins)
*Snell’s Clinical Neuroanatomy*, Splittergerber (Wolters Kluwer)
*Sobotta Atlas of Human Anatomy*, Paulsen and Waschke (Elsevier)
*Stevens and Lowe’s Human Histology*, Lowe and Anderson (Elsevier)
*Ten Cate’s Oral Histology*, Nanci (Elsevier)
*Textbook of Histology*, Gartner (Elsevier/Mosby)
*Thieme’s Atlas of Anatomy: Head, Neck, and Neuroanatomy*, Schuenke, et al. (Thieme)

**Biochemistry-Physiology**
*Berne and Levy Physiology*, Koeppen and Stanton (Elsevier)
*Biochemistry*, Berg, et al. (W.H. Freeman)
*Biochemistry*, Ferrier (Lippincott Illustrated Review)
*Guyton and Hall Textbook of Medical Physiology*, Hall (Elsevier)
*Lehninger Principles of Biochemistry*, Nelson and Cox (W.H. Freeman)
*Physiology*, Costanzo (Elsevier)
*Principles of Medical Biochemistry*, Meisenberg and Simmons (Elsevier)
*Textbook of Biochemistry with Clinical Correlations*, Devlin (John Wiley & Sons, Inc.)
*Vander’s Human Physiology*, Widmaier, et al. (McGraw Hill Education)

**Dental Anatomy and Occlusion**
*Wheeler’s Dental Anatomy, Physiology, and Occlusion*, Nelson (Elsevier/Saunders)
*Woelfel’s Dental Anatomy*, Schneid and Weiss (Wolters Kluwer)

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*Essential Microbiology for Dentistry*, Samaranayake (Elsevier)

*Janeway’s Immunobiology*, Murphy and Weaver (Garland Science)

*Jawetz, Melnick & Adelberg’s Medical Microbiology*, Riedel, et al. (McGraw Hill Education)

*Marsh & Martin’s Oral Microbiology*, Marsh, et al. (Elsevier)

*Medical Microbiology*, Murray, et al. (Elsevier)

*Lippincott Illustrated Reviews: Microbiology*, Harvey, et al. (Wolters Kluwer/Lippincott Williams & Wilkins)

*Molecular Biology of the Cell*, Alberts, et al. (Garland Science)

*Principles of Rubin’s Pathology*, Rubin and Reisner (Wolters Kluwer)

*Review of Medical Microbiology and Immunology*, Levinson, et al. (McGraw Hill Education)

*Robbins and Cotran Pathologic Basis of Disease*, Kumar, et al. (Elsevier/Saunders)

*Robbins Basic Pathology*, Kumar, et al. (Elsevier)

*Rubin’s Pathology: Mechanisms of Human Disease*, Strayer and Rubin (Wolters Kluwer)

*Schaechter’s Mechanisms of Microbial Disease*, Engleberg, et al. (Wolters Kluwer/Lippincott Williams & Wilkins)

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*Dental Ethics at Chairside: Professional Obligations and Practical Applications*, Ozar, et al. (Georgetown University Press)

*Medical Microbiology*, Murray, et al. (Elsevier)

*Physiology*, Costanzo (Elsevier)

*Preventing Medical Emergencies: Use of the Medical History in Dental Practice*, Pickett and Gurenlian (Wolters Kluwer)

*Woelfel’s Dental Anatomy*, Schneid and Weiss (Wolters Kluwer)