The need for hazardous materials emergency response has grown with the increased use of chemicals today and with OSHA's mandatory training of industry personnel. The second edition of *Emergency Care of Hazardous Materials Exposure* provides field recognition and management guidelines for hazardous material exposures and associated medical emergencies, including emergency care of exposed and contaminated patients. It is formulated as both a field and educational training reference for use by emergency medical responders, hazardous materials response teams, physicians, and nurses in the emergency and occupational health settings, as well as health and safety officers in the chemical industry and at hazardous waste clean-up sites.

Special features include:
- Cutting-edge information on responding to exposure/contamination emergencies
- 109 Guidelines, cross referenced to indexes, that provide essential information on hazard classes and specific chemicals and that have been expanded to include initial hospital considerations
- Enhanced treatment and drug protocols that incorporate new American Heart Association ACLS guidelines
- Standard operating procedures that provide responders with necessary information to safely and effectively respond to hazmat medical emergencies.