

**Nursing Professional Development (24)
Reference List
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A number of authoritative texts, such as those listed, are used to develop this certification examination. The list is provided to help you prepare for the examination and is not intended to be all-inclusive. The hyperlinks are included to help you locate the resources. In the event that the publisher issues a new edition, the hyperlink may change, requiring you to conduct a search for the resource.

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