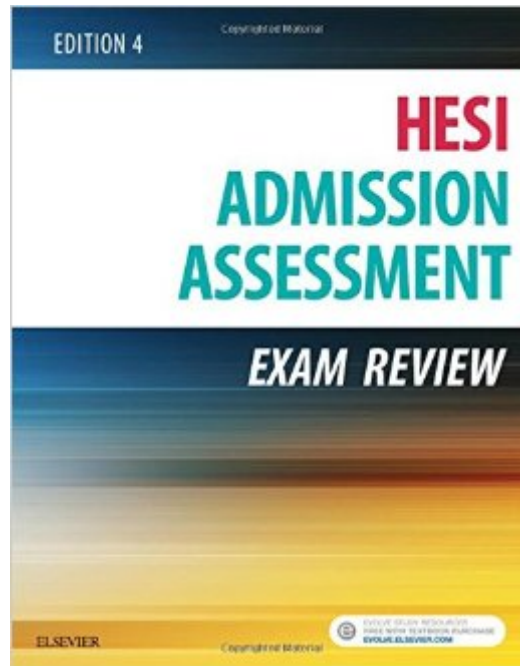


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## Customer Reviews

I used this book to study for my HESI A2 test in Illinois. First and foremost, I'll say I LOVE this book. It prepared me well. However, it is a little flimsy for a \$40+ price tag. The math section prepares you well, as does the grammar and vocab sections (vocabulary in this book was 100%, exactly what I found on the exam.) A&P could cover a little more, as could Biology. Biology went over mitosis and meiosis, but rather unclear and it didn't call the phases what it asks for on the exam, so learn those from another source (G1, etc.) A&P I supplemented with flash cards from quizlet. Don't be afraid to ask things that aren't in the book. Go online and find the answers. This book gives you the vague overview of what would be on the exam, and it's up to you to fill in the more detailed bits...which is ridiculous. If I'm paying the price of a cheapish textbook (\$60 with expedited shipping and it still took two days??) the least it could do was provide more information. The tests, I really enjoyed. It did contain chemistry and physics sections, but I didn't need those. Reading comp was a little wimpy. Honestly, what helped me even more was the android app "HESI A2 Exam Prep" By Pocket Prep, Inc. It's free, although you can unlock a full version for \$12 or \$13, I don't remember, and the practice tests are awesome. I was terrified to take the HESI and I ended up passing with a 95% composite score. The best thing you can actually do is get this book, get the app, and make sure to take some peppermints and earplugs with you because the clicky-clack of other people pressing mouses and computer keys WILL get on your nerves.

I purchased this book because it was recommended as a study guide to help prepare me for the HESI A2 exam in Texas. It contains mathematics, reading comprehension, vocabulary (basic medical terminology), grammar, biology, chemistry, anatomy and physiology, and physics. I found out that I will not be needing the chemistry or physics sections of the book, the HESI A2 in Texas does

not include those parts in the exam. It may be different for other states so always double check with your advisor. I did notice that some of the questions come off a little misleading and contain two possible answers. For example, one question in the biology section was: Which organelle would you expect to be present in a cell for detoxifying molecules? It offers multiple answers, two of them being smooth endoplasmic reticulum and lysosome. The Book only explains that smooth ER detoxifies molecules and that lysosomes are responsible for intercellular digestion, which are both true but lysosomes also detoxify. Just little details like that. Other than that, the book is good. It is a little pricey and you can probably find free practice exams online. I purchased this because I've been out of college for a couple of years and needed a crash course guide to cram in two weeks and so far it has helped.

It's okay, but I found two mistakes in the pretest alone, which doesn't exactly fill me with confidence.

This book was awesome... thoroughly explained everything I needed to know for the test. Just took the test today and made a great score. Many of the questions on the test were similar to what I had been practicing in this book.

I already have this book. It was the 2008 edition. I thought the material would be different or at least updated to fit the test. It was the exact same thing word for word, just a different year. Very useless to me.

This guide helped me tremendously! It does not cover all topics in detail (would be hundreds and hundreds of pages long), but it is an amazing refresher. A lot of the questions (if not all) in the HESI were covered in this book. I strongly recommend it!!! I passed all sections with 94 and above!

I really felt like this book helped. the math section was very thorough and helped me freshen up on somethings I hadn't done in a while. The vocabulary section was pretty much exactly like the test; however, there were words on the exam that wasn't in the book, but it was words I already knew or I could figure out. The biology and chemistry section was brief and to the point, so I probably would find another source to get more thorough info. My exam didn't require anatomy or physics, so I can't attest to the books usefulness for theses sections on the test. But overall the book help, and I got a 93% the first I took the exam.

I just passed my HESI A2 with a 94%! This book, along with other study materials helped me quite a bit. My school required chemistry, biology, math, reading comprehension, grammar, and vocabulary. This book was extremely helpful for all those subjects except chemistry. The chemistry chapter in this book is a good skeleton, or outline of what one should prepare or review, but doesn't go into much detail. The 'dummies' 1001 chemistry problems helped me build confidence with this material. However, everyone is different. This is a good source of information to put one at ease with test anxiety. I hope this was somewhat helpful. All the best :)

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