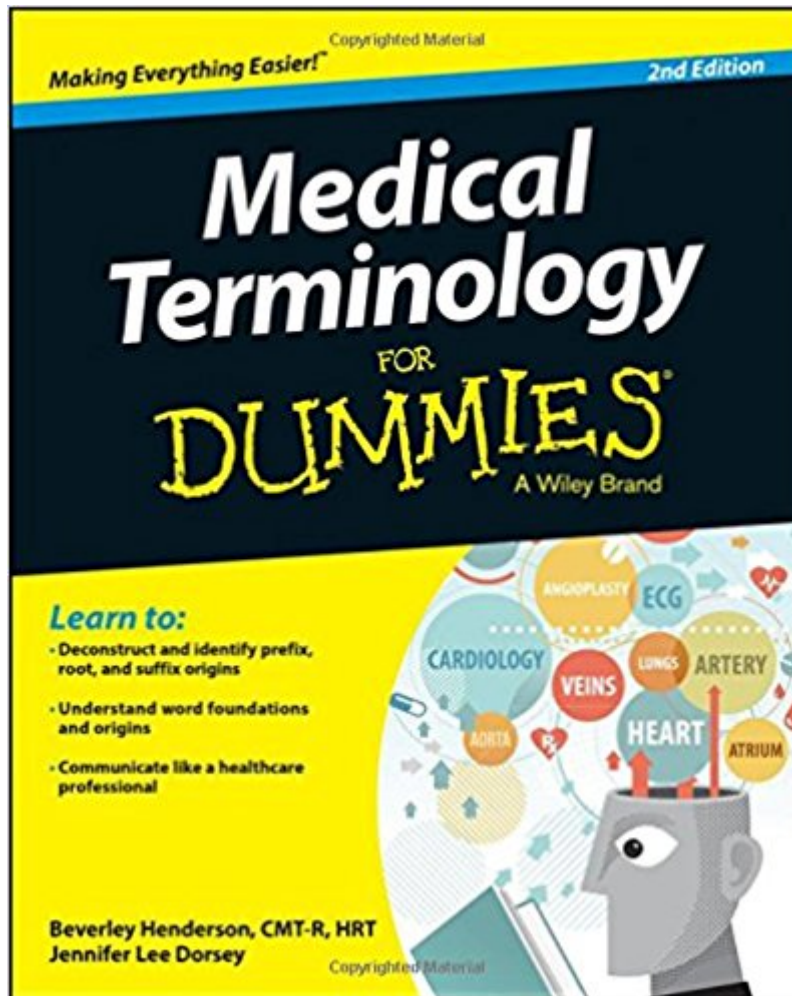




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Good reference book. Would have liked a sorted dictionary with page references, but good as a basic knowledge reference.

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