Essentials of Nursing
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for especially GNM and
Basic BSc (Nursing) Course
Foreword

It is indeed a great pleasure to write the foreword for the Essentials of Nursing by Ms Maheshwari L, Asst. Lecturer, KR Group of Institution. This book gives fundamental concepts about basic nursing in both theoretical aspects and procedural aspects of nursing. It serves as ready reference for basic students and beginning practitioners of nursing.

Contents of the book are relevant and brief. It is written in simple language for easy comprehension. She has been diligent student in her college days and an admired teacher. I congratulate her for this effort.

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Preface

The book *Essentials of Nursing* is designed to meet the basic requirements of general nursing course and Basic BSc(N) program. Even though the book recommends other textbooks, being conscious about the difficulties of an average student to go through the pages by pages of valuable books during examination time. I am glad to present this book as a note for the subject.

This book covers maximum topics in minimum numbers of pages. Its contents are compiled mainly from “Mosby” textbook. I have made presentation simple, short and without sacrificing basic principles.

It is my aim that this textbook will help the students a lot. Hope, the students will enjoy the text utmost.

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