**Synopsis**

Updated throughout with the latest findings on the AIDS virus, the Seventh Edition provides readers with the most current information available on the biology of the virus and the impact it has on society. The Seventh Edition of this best-selling text provides readers with a solid overview of AIDS from both a biomedical and a psychosocial perspective. The authors cover the molecular and cellular aspects of the virus and the immune system’s response to it, and examine epidemiology and its role in understanding HIV and AIDS. The use of understandable vocabulary and clear illustrations, along with updated biomedical data and the most current statistics on AIDS available, makes AIDS: Science and Society an engaging resource for students, researchers, and general readers. Key Features: -Revised data throughout on the immune system and its response to new antigens. -New content on the mutation and evolution of HIV during infection -The latest data on research towards a cure and the treatment of infected individuals -Includes current epidemiological data throughout

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This book is very useful for those already familiar with HIV/AIDS, and for those who want to know. The book does get technical, of course. Immunology is very complicated as-is, and HIV/AIDS is complicated as well with how it attacks the immune system. The book gets some important details out there about how HIV is spread and how it can be contracted, thus clearing up some of the myths
of the disease. Therefore the book is useful for medical and biology students as well as the everyday person. It may take a couple reads to understand some of the concepts—it did for me, at least—but the time is worth it.

It was in the condition that was expected, maybe even more so because it felt like the book hasn’t been touched.

Excellent book for an overview of the biological and social aspects of HIV/AIDS.

Informative for non-professionals. A good cross-over book.

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