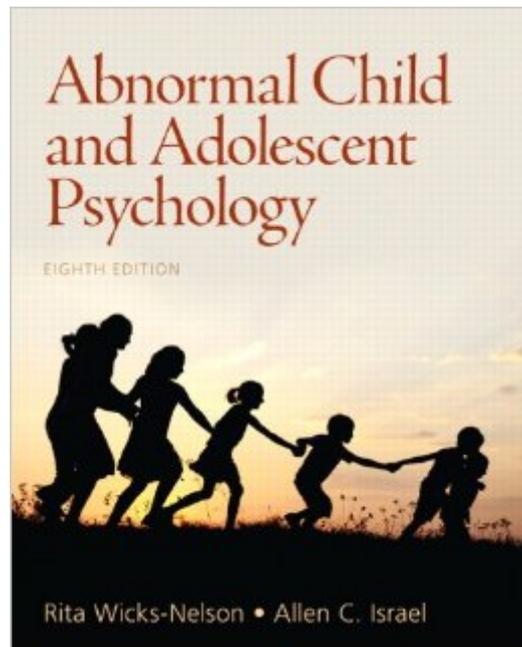


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A sensitive and thorough approach to childhood behavior disorders. *Abnormal Child and Adolescent Psychology* presents a comprehensive, research-based introduction to understanding child and adolescent psychopathology. The authors provide a logically formatted and easy to understand text that covers the central issues and theoretical and methodological foundations of childhood behavior disorders. Rich with illustrations and examples, this text highlights the newest areas of research and clinical work, stressing supported treatments and the prevention of behavior problems of youth.

**Learning Goals** Upon completing this book, readers will be able to:

- Understand the psychological problems found in children and adolescents
- Understand methods of treatment and prevention for childhood behavior disorders
- Discuss issues related to childhood behavior disorders

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Omg this book is not only so boring on what should be a very interesting topic (it rambles on and on and doesn't get to the point), the glossary doesn't have all the highlighted key terms from the chapters?! I mean the book more so gives an example of what may be occurring when a term is used but I feel it doesn't give an actual definition for the term, and when you go to look it up it's not there. All my other text books give both an example of how a term is being applied and also the

SPECIFIC definition of that term.

This book is currently in the 8th editions. While the subject matter is contemporary and relevant, this book has more typos in it than ANY other textbook I have ever used. After 8 editions they should have had time to clean these things up. When I bought this book there were not used books, or e-texts available, and honestly, nearly \$200 is too much to pay for what really is, less than a finished product. The typos are distracting and it is very frustrating to see them every few pages.

Out of the 548 pages this book has, only 410 pages is related to content. This book has some typos and repetitive wordings of the subjects being discussed. One example of this is clearly seen in chapter 9. In it, the acronym for Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder (ADHD) appears dozens of times in a single page; just imagine in the whole chapter. This redundant style of writing makes some chapters a little boring/tedious to read. Despite all these grammatical flaws, the information the book presents is very informative and useful.

This is required for my class has lots of useful information in it. Easy to read and follow the information.

Definitions were clear and easy to understand. Although, this could also be due to the material being on repeat since freshmen year that I already understood what Wicks-Nelson meant.

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