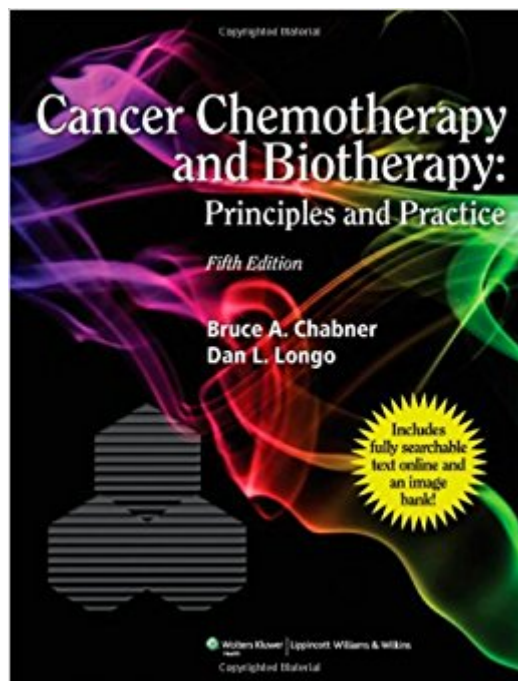




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This book is a great, in-depth look at chemotherapy and the pharma involved with each drug. It has a little bit of the molecular targeted therapies, but was written just as these were coming on the market. It is far too detailed for someone just looking for general information but great for practicing oncologists looking for MOAs.

Great product as described. Thank you A++++

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