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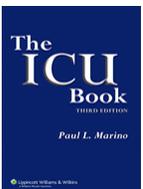
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## STAT!Ref Bookshelf



The STAT!Ref Bookshelf link provides access to the full text of 22 book titles, including the 3rd edition (2007) of *The ICU Book* by Paul L. Marino. This book provides a general overview and basic information for all adult intensive care units.

STAT!Ref database is available through HUBNET at <http://hubnet.buffalo.edu/>.

## Use of Mobile Devices in Healthcare

Mobile devices such as iPhones, iPads, tablets, and laptops are increasingly common in healthcare institutions. Mobile applications available through app stores can improve communication between practitioners and patients. They can also provide bedside access to drug information, medical texts, journal articles, evidence based practice recommendations, patient education materials, and much more. While some apps are free, others charge a one-time fee or may require a subscription.

If you would like copies of any of these articles, or if you would like additional information on this or any topic, please contact any Werner Library team member.

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## Healthcare Apps Available Through Your Library

Several medical, nursing, and pharmaceutical apps are available free to RGHS team members through your medical library, including **UpToDate**, **VisualDX**, **Lexicomp**, **Nursing Reference Center**, and **STAT!Ref**. Instructions for downloading these apps can be found on page 2, or you can call or visit the library for help downloading these and other apps.

<b>Database</b>	<b>Directions</b>
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<p><b>Nursing Reference Center</b></p> <p>Evidence-based clinical resources for nurses &amp; allied health care professionals.</p>	<p>Access NRC from an RGHS networked computer. Go to bottom of page. Click on “NRC iPhone/iPod Touch Application.” You will be prompted for your email address.</p> <p>Check email on your mobile device for instructions on downloading the app.</p> <p><i>You must click the activation link in the email within 24 hours.</i></p>
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