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Special Features

• A practical guide on medical disorders written specifically for midwives

• Jointly written by medical and midwifery experts in the field
• Accessible reference style format makes information easy and quick to find

• Emphasis on inter-professional working

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• Added illustrations and algorithms to explain the physiology within each chapter

• References have been moved to the end of each chapter, rather than at the end of the book, to make it even more user-friendly

• Chapters have been expanded to ensure full coverage of key information - for instance, the chapter on neoplasia
• New topics have been added - for instance, cardiac transplant

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