Recommended textbooks, readings, and resources for Emergency Medicine students and residents

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A. Major (and expensive) textbooks in Emergency Medicine (some of these are available at no charge on-line through hospitals or medical schools)
   1. Adams’ Emergency Medicine (Saunders/Elsevier), 2008

B. Textbooks for Students and Residents in EM (and off-service)
   3. Introduction to Emergency Medicine, Mitchell/Medzon, 2005
   5. Emergency Medicine: Just the Facts, 2/e (“review” Tintinalli) – Ma, Cline, 2004

C. Question books for EM
   1. Peer 7, ACEP publication
   2. Wagner MJ, Promes S: Last Minute Emergency Medicine, 2007
   5. Med-Challenger EM Comprehensive (CD-ROM questions and images)

D. Textbooks Relevant to EM Practice
   2. Wills Eye Manual: Office and Emergency Room Diagnosis and Treatment of Eye Disease (5th ed)
   3. Auerbach’s Wilderness Medicine, 5th ed., 2007
   6. Admission & Discharge Decisions in Emergency Medicine, Frank/Jobe, 2002
   14. ECGs for the Emergency Physician, Mattu/Brady, volumes 1, 2 (BMJ)
   15. ECG in Emergency Medicine and Acute Care, Chan et al, 2004
   16. Electrocardiography in Emergency Medicine, Mattu, Tabas, Barish, 2007 (ACEP)
   17. Emergency Ultrasound (several excellent books exist on this topic)
E. Emergency Medicine publications
1. Academic Emergency Medicine (SAEM-sponsored)
2. American Journal of Emergency Medicine
3. Annals of Emergency Medicine (ACEP-sponsored)
4. Critical Decisions in Emergency Medicine (ACEP publication)
5. Emergency Medicine Clinics of North America
6. Emergency Medicine Reports (not a journal, but nicely written)
7. Journal of Emergency Medicine (AAEM-sponsored)
8. Review articles on EM topics in quality peer-review journals, such as JAMA or NEJM

F. Internet Resources
1. Website addresses for EM organizations
   b. www.abem.org (American Board of Emergency Medicine)
   c. www.acep.org (American College of Emergency Physicians)
   d. www.emra.org (Emergency Medicine Residents’ Association)
   e. www.saem.org (Society for Academic Emergency Medicine)
2. Website addresses for EM topics
   a. www.embbs.com (Emergency Medicine & Primary Care Home Page)
   b. www.emedhome.com (sponsored by Comp Health, EM home page)
   c. www.emedicine.com (excellent on-line emergency medicine textbook)
   d. http://www.aaemrsma.org/resources/ (Medical Student Rules of the Road and other resources)
   e. www.ncemi.org (National Center for Emergency Medicine Informatics)
   f. www.cochrane.org (Cochrane collaborative database)
3. Web-based video collections (procedures, such as in NEJM or YouTube)

G. Miscellaneous resources
1. ECG resources
2. Radiology websites and resources
3. Antibiotic/pharmacologic references (includes Sanford, EMRA Antibiotic Guide, ePocrates, Tarascon pharmacopoeia)
4. Palm-based electronic textbooks and resources
5. Medical school resources
   i. Radiology teaching files/library
   ii. ECG teaching files
   iii. Dermatology photos
6. Mentors/Advisors - medical schools, residency programs, virtual advisor (SAEM, EMRA)

I hope this list is helpful to students. There are many other excellent resources available using PubMed, EM websites, and areas of information within EM organization links. Happy reading, Gus