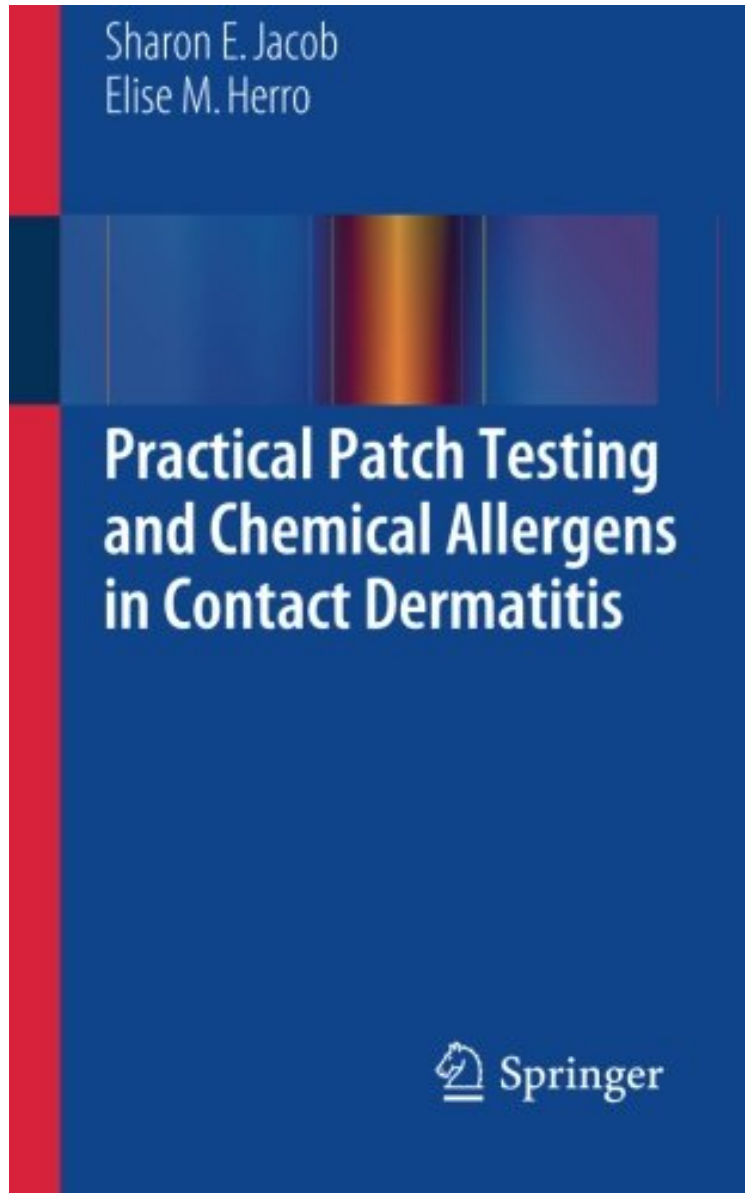


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0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Not what the title says it is. By interested reviewer I wrongly assumed that "Practical Patch Testing" meant that the book would go over the nuts and bolts of setting up patch testing for the dermatology practice. There was a very small section about patch testing in this tiny book. The remainder of the book discussed the allergens and clinical diagnosis of contact dermatitis, information that is easily obtained from other references. Sending the book back to and thanking for their excellent customer service. 1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. Five Stars By Customer Very nice and informative book 3 of 3 people found the following review helpful. Yes, Buy It By Thomas Barlow Concise and relevant, this is my go-to book for patch testing and contact allergy. It has practical how-to information that I didn't learn in residency, but needed once I was on my own. The section on the top 88 allergens gives just the information I need, and would be a great board exam study tool. As a solo dermatologist without good access to an environmental dermatology consultant, this helpful reference gets used as much as any book on my shelf.

Practical Patch Testing and Chemical Allergens in Contact Dermatitis covers the most relevant allergens in a concise and algorithmic fashion, with practical tips for patch testing. This book assists practitioners and trainees with educating patients on how to avoid their irritants and allergens to effectively manage contact dermatitis. Clinical pearls for patch testing of certain allergens are clearly outlined in this book to help providers avoid common pitfalls and reduce the risk of incorrect diagnoses, making it an essential reference for all involved in the treatment of contact dermatitis.

From the Back Cover The field of contact dermatitis is potentially frustrating given the complexity of the clinical decision-making process and the effect of false positives and negatives on patient expectations and management. Practical Patch Testing and Chemical Allergens in Contact Dermatitis outlines the most common allergens with practical tips for patch testing in a concise and algorithmic fashion. Children have different needs for patch testing and this handbook describes how to test them safely and manage their disease. Educating patients on how to avoid their irritants and allergens is also key to treatment in all types of contact dermatitis. The authors have incorporated concise reference material on where these chemicals are found and how patients can avoid them. Clinical pearls for patch testing of certain allergens are clearly outlined in this handbook to help providers avoid common pitfalls and reduce the risk of incorrect diagnoses. A frustrating clinical visit and a disappointed patient can potentially be avoided with the use of this book, and thus is an essential reference for trainees in dermatology and all involved in the management of patients with dermatitis.