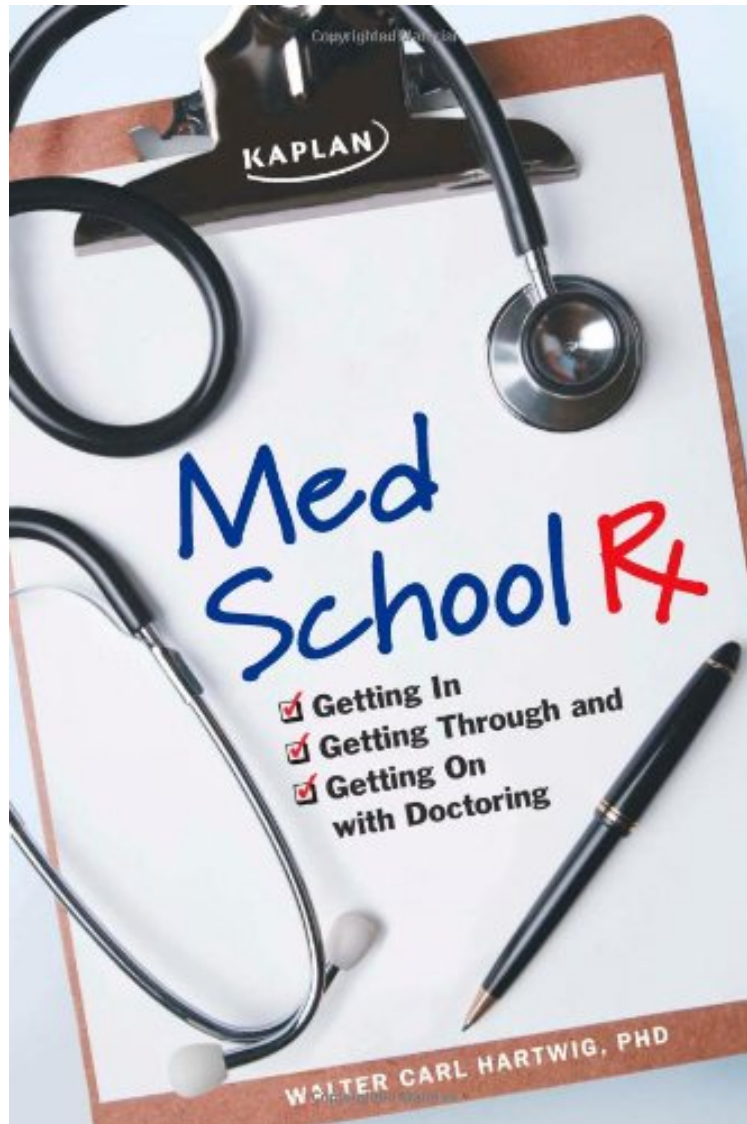


Med School Rx: Getting In, Getting Through, and Getting On with Doctoring

Walter Hartwig

DOC | *audiobook | ebooks | Download PDF | ePub



DOWNLOAD



READ ONLINE

#1933758 in Books Kaplan Publishing 2009-06-02 2009-06-02 Original language: English PDF # 1 9.00 x .90 x 6.00l, 1.02 #File Name: 1607140624336 pages | File size: 74.Mb

Walter Hartwig : Med School Rx: Getting In, Getting Through, and Getting On with Doctoring before purchasing it in order to gauge whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Med School Rx: Getting In, Getting Through, and Getting On with Doctoring:

1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. Book is truly a how-to-guide that made me a more confident and serious candidate By Hemant Kumar I feel like the current application cycle has gone a lot better for me thanks in great

part to this book. It's probably the best \$20 I have ever spent. Dr. Hartwig does more than educate the reader about process of being a premed and then eventually a doctor. He makes you think and reflect about yourself-- your past and future--in a way that makes it easy for you figure out exactly what you want to write for the primary and secondary application essays and also what you want to say during the interviews. It's not so much that he coaches you to say the right thing, whatever that may be, but rather gets you to present yourself in the best light possible. In other words, don't treat this book as a "Dummies Guide to Med School." A little background: I was a premed with mediocre GPA and a solid MCAT. Dr. Hartwig's book navigated me in a way that I could get the committees to see my strengths and why they should select me over over great candidates. So far all 4 of my interviews have been home runs! The book is very insightful, well written, and just great to read for anyone who wants to be a physician. 0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Five Stars By Teacher Excellent! 3 of 3 people found the following review helpful. Excellent, Easy Read. A Must Have for Aspiring Doctors By Dr. Osteopath Dr. Hartwig presents a concise yet thorough overview for any aspiring doctor from highschool to 4th year medical student. I had such a hard time getting into medical school, I wish I had known about this book before I started. There is a lot that goes in to the process besides just getting good grades test scores. Becoming a doctor is a huge process and the hoops are nearly endless. Dr. Hartwig does a great job of mapping them out here and guiding you through the overwhelming process. This book won't help you ace the MCAT or USMLE. It won't teach you pharmacology or anatomy. It will make the journey from undergrad to residency and everything in-between much less daunting and intimidating. This should be required reading for any pre-med and even most medial students.

What prospective medical students can expect before, during, and after medical school. Each year more and more people are entering medical school, yet many have little or no idea on how to get the most out of the programs offered. Students can now turn to Med School Rx, which will take them inside the minds of the admissions personnel, professors, examiners, and educators whom they will meet along their medical school journey. Written by Walter Carl Hartwig, a professional medical educator, Med School Rx is the essential reference guide for a comprehensive view of the medical school experience. Written from an insiders perspective, Med School Rx teaches prospective students how to navigate medical school. Through Hartwigs advice, students will discover how to improve their chances of gaining admission, how to be more successful as medical students, how to demystify the intense learning curve of medical science, and how to successfully transition from student to resident.

About the Author Walter C. Hartwig, PhD, a professional medical educator in the San Francisco Bay Area, has advised thousands of prospective and current medical students on the road into, through and beyond medical school. He has authored numerous research publications and a recent textbook, Fundamental Anatomy. Hartwig graduated summa cum laude from the University of Missouri then completed a PhD at University of California, Berkeley. He is currently a full Professor and Department Chair of Anatomy at Touro University in California. Excerpt. Reprinted by permission. All rights reserved. Chapter 1: Is Medicine Right for You? Everyone struggles with career decisions. But you may be surprised to hear that sometimes identifying what is not right for you is easier than knowing exactly what is right for you. Some of the most compelling applicants for medical school are older professionals who realize later in life that medicine is their true calling, and some of the least appealing applicants are zealous younger students who seem blind to the possibility of doing anything else in their lives. Two considerations may help you satisfy this question for yourself knowing exactly what medicine requires and knowing how to separate motivation from inspiration.