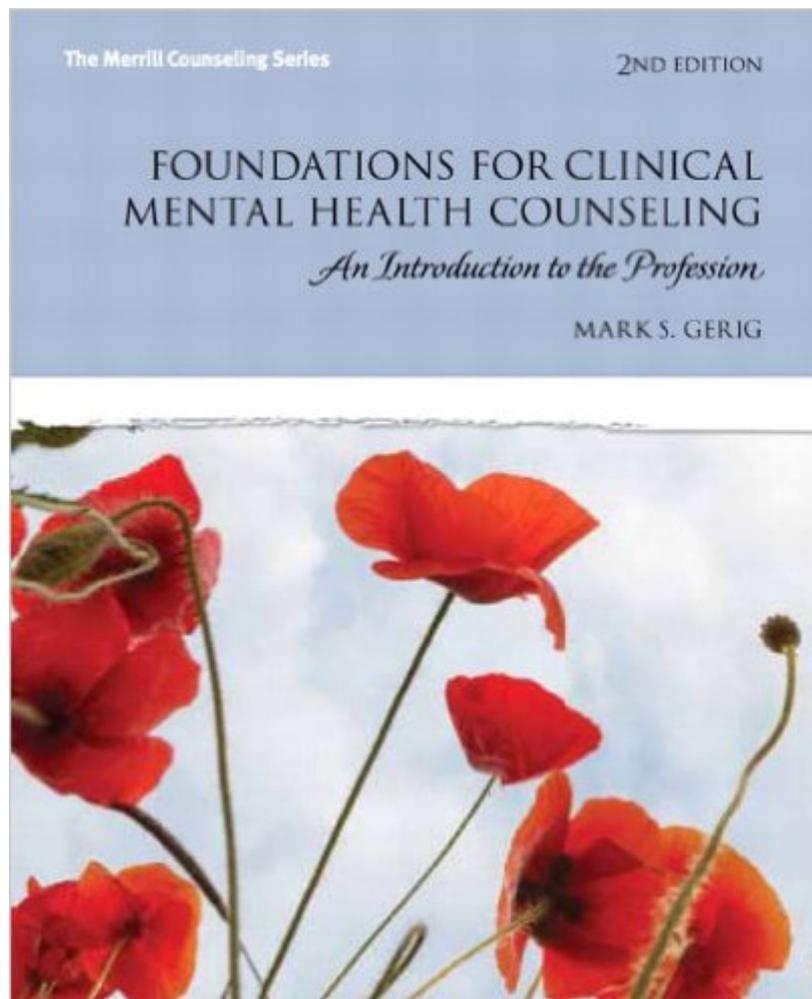


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Surprisingly, I found this book to be anything but dry. The chapters were short and held my attention. The writing style is user friendly and straightforward. This book almost covered my entire Masters degree in a nutshell and was used as my "Intro to Community Counseling" class.

I bought this book as a requirement for my class. I actually do enjoy the way the author writes the book. It's easy to read and the information is very informative! Most questions you have about how to make the most of a degree in clinical mental health counseling are answered in this book!!

This book gets the job done if you are getting it for a class. It has a lot of information in it about the field but I found it incredibly dry to read. I also think the font of the book and the way the paragraphs

are spaced out makes it tedious on your eyes and the overall layout of the book is bland. Luckily, the chapters are not that long and the author is direct and to the point.

One of the best textbooks I've ever read! It reads easily and still manages to convey a lot of information. I bought it for my Foundations of Counseling graduate course and found it very helpful. It is well written and something that I intend to keep on my shelves for licensure and reference.

The service provided through is great! I have been an Prime member for over 2 years and have no complaints. There were a few items I had to return, such as this book because my curriculum has changed but experienced no problems with this service provided. I would rate as either the best or among the best in customer service.

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