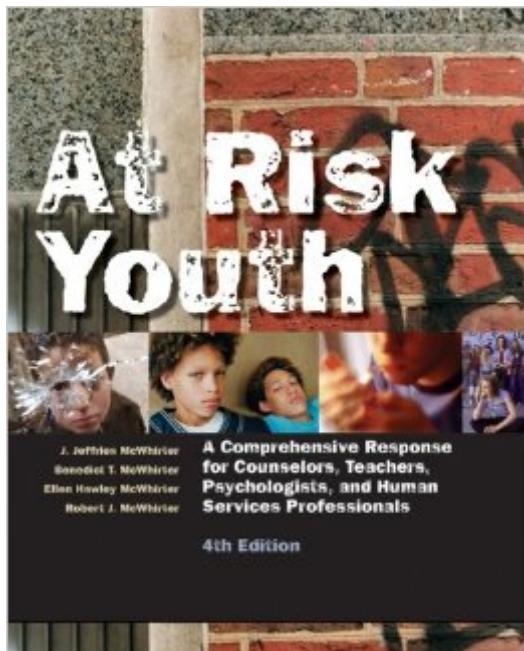


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# At Risk Youth: A Comprehensive Response For Counselors, Teachers, Psychologists, And Human Services Professionals



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I had to purchase this book for a class entitled, "Adolescent Issues", this book is very appropriate for the class I am taking and is hard to put down at times, totally AWESOME!

I am currently in a Social Work program and can not figure out why this textbook is being used. This book flings a cornucopia of statistics at the reader while giving little interpretation of the data presented. At Risk Yourh does not give adequate description of relevant developmental stages nor

the recommended therapeutic interventions suggested for treatment. I recommend this book for high school students only. This is the level in which the book is written. I suggest that all professionals not waste their time with this text.

Honestly, this book provides great resources for relating to at-risk youth and assisting them. However, it's over-priced. On an average, people who would like to assist at-risk youth are NOT RICH! They are individuals who see a need and have a heart-felt desire to help individuals with these issues. Of course, all good resources must cost "a cost" because of the detailed research which this book does possess. It proves that working with youths is a self-sacrificial job. I would recommend this book. It deals with important issues that youths are facing. It shows the development of behaviors and how different factors can increase negative outcomes or at-risk behaviors. Although, it is not very comprehensive, although it is comprehensive. It just fails to go deeper into different areas of the at-risk behaviors. I guess the term comprehensive is relative.

Absolutely too racist, blames everything on skin color instead of parental supervision, the truth is better than fiction. If we use race as an excuse what's next, age?

Great book. Used for a college class and it was everything I needed. Great read and I would advise to read it if the topic interests you.

I saved \$160.00. It's a older version of what I needed but it still had the same information I needed.

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