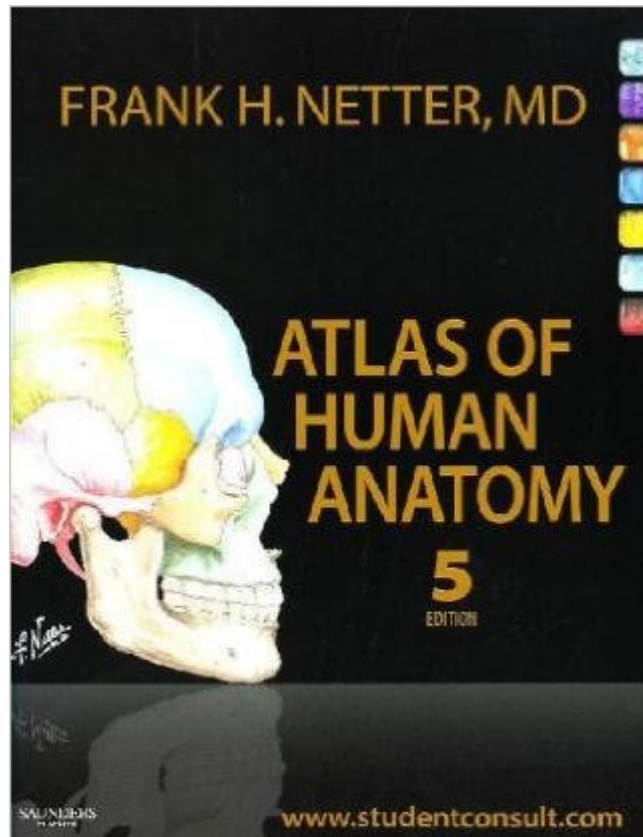


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Frank Netter's atlas compiles his paintings of every imaginable human body part, seen in various

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