Written by two authorities in pediatric orthopedics, this book is a complete, practical, and highly illustrated guide to handling difficult orthopedic problems in children.

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Throughout the book are guest appearances by "gurus," the leading experts and mentors in pediatric orthopedics, presenting essential unique tips on handling the special needs of children. To facilitate easy access for the busy clinician, information is provided in boxes and bulleted lists containing summary points, complications to avoid, surgical steps, and treatment recommendations by age.