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* Expert contributions include conceptual chapters and descriptions of selected assessment instruments.
* Covers the full spectrum of need, including adults with mental health difficulties, behavioural problems, forensic needs and assessment of people with profound intellectual and multiple disabilities, and those suspected of developing dementia.