

Program Design For Personal Trainers

This book is "the most comprehensive and authoritative resource for you as a personal trainer, whether you are a newcomer to the field or have a well-established business. The book is truly a complete resource - it's full of information about working with clients and designing programs, and it's a practical guide to all aspects of the personal training business. [It] will help you in all aspects of your profession: learn applicable information on fitness testing and assessment ; identify your clients' goals and create fitness tests specifically for them ; learn how to develop cardiovascular, strength and flexibility training programs ; properly train and help special populations ; understand the business side of personal training, including marketing yourself as a trainer, getting and retaining clients, and learning time management ; learn how to expand your business." - back cover.

Secrets of Successful Program Design teaches you how to properly assess clients, design effective training programs, and progress and regress exercises based on individual client goals.

Begin a Work-at-Home Career with the Training and Education You Need! Train at Home to Work at Home This unique guide provides comprehensive resources on more than 200 distance-learning programs that can teach you 27 of the most popular and profitable work-at-home careers. Distance-learning programs have exploded in the last few years--courses are now available online, via e-mail, via teleclass, through the mail, on audiotape, on videotape, and even on CD-ROM. You can learn: graphic design at UCLA professional writing at Washington State University life coaching at CoachU Web site design at Penn State financial planning at University of Alabama interior design at the Art Institute International medical transcription at the Health Professions Institute and many more. Plus, extensive resource lists (organizations, books, and Web sites) complete each section. Full contact information, tuition rates, and course descriptions make comparisons and contrasts a breeze.

NPTI's Fundamentals of Fitness and Personal Training makes the principles and theories of fitness accessible for all readers. Written in a conversational tone with real-life examples, this text helps students understand how the body works and responds to exercise. Readers will learn how to create exercise programs that allow their future clients to accomplish individual fitness goals. This book combines technical detail with practical application in an engaging manner. Anatomical illustrations and photos provide further guidance on the science of personal training, complete with coverage of specific muscle systems and how to train them. Extensive information on essential nutrients, coupled with guidance on helping clients burn fat and build strength, helps future trainers take the sessions beyond simple workouts. Stories and examples lend insight into the scientific concepts, helping students to understand more complex topics. Legal considerations, including how to assess and classify clients and minimize risk, prepare readers for the realities of a career in personal training. Step-by-step coverage of exercise program design takes the guesswork out of developing workouts and helps readers modify programs for special populations and clients dealing with injuries. Sample workouts designed by expert personal trainers cover key fitness training concepts and offer unique training ideas to keep exercise fun and effective for clients. Study questions at the end of each chapter help students assess their understanding of

the material, and online access to a list of more than 3,000 references extends learning beyond the classroom. An instructor guide and presentation package plus image bank are available to instructors, helping them explore concepts from the text in the classroom. NPTI's Fundamentals of Fitness and Personal Training has been endorsed by the National Personal Training Institute (NPTI), the nation's largest system of schools devoted to personal training education. NPTI's mission is to prepare students to become personal trainers and fitness professionals. NPTI strives to provide a high-quality education experience that each student values and would recommend to peers.

Personal Trainer Client Log Book - Blank Lined Journal For PT Clients As a personal trainer you need a notebook because you want to remember the important bits about your clients when at the gym away from your laptop, business tasks, ideas, program design etc. This Personal Trainer Journal / Notebook Is Perfect For: Writing ideas about Personal Training Your Personal Trainer program Your client notes Reflecting on the PT session or even your own gratitude journal Personal Trainer notebook - nothing happens in your Personal Trainer business until it is put onto paper and actioned. This notebook contains 118 blank wide ruled pages ideal for Personal Trainer day to day, business ideas, and even journaling your day's achievements. This Personal Trainer notebook is also ideal for writing about your clients. There is room for copious notes, writing and journaling. It is the perfect size for keeping handy on your desk, gym or studio, mobile personal training or when you get home, or in your bag. This Personal Trainer journal is in fact ideal for a PT looking specifically to get organized and confident in using lists etc to get things done - sometimes it is great to get off the laptop and put pen to paper! Filled with 118 pages, this notebook makes a useful PT gift for personal trainers. With the full-color matt paperback cover, this deeply coloured Personal Trainer writing notebook could come in very handy for general day to day use, or for a specific project such as notes and sketches about the gym you're opening, or workout ideas. With custom sized pages 6x9 inch this notebook also has plenty of room for journaling, taking notes or doodling - however you wish to structure your Personal Training business. Give your Personal Trainer a gift as a token of appreciation. This Personal Trainer notebook: Personal Trainer Gifts Personal Trainer Journal Blank Ruled Notebook Attractive Deep Colour Matte Front Cover Personal Trainer Networking Notebook Personal Trainer planner Personal Trainer gift

Designing Resistance Training Programs, Fourth Edition, is a guide to developing individualized training programs for both serious athletes and fitness enthusiasts. In this updated and expanded fourth edition, two of the world's leading experts on strength training explore how to design scientifically based resistance training programs, modify and adapt programs to meet the needs of special populations, and apply the elements of program design in the real world. Fleck and Kraemer provide readers with a thorough understanding of the process of designing resistance training programs from both scientific and practical perspectives. As with previous editions, the fourth edition includes comprehensive tables that compare data and conclusions from research on core topics related to design of resistance training programs. By summarizing research and content for the reader, these tables offer a study guide, on-the-job reference, or starting point for further research. Designing Resistance Training Programs, Fourth Edition, is the only resource available that presents the body of research in the field in this organized and comprehensive format. The fourth edition has been thoroughly

revised to present the most current information while retaining the studies that are the basis for concepts, guidelines, and applications in resistance training. Meticulously updated and heavily referenced, the fourth edition contains the following updates: • A full-color interior provides stronger visual appeal for the text. • Sidebars focus on a specific practical question or an applied research concept, allowing readers to connect research to real-life situations. • Multiple detailed tables summarize research from the text, offering an easy way to compare data and conclusions. • A glossary makes it simple to find key terms in one convenient location. • Newly added instructor ancillaries make the fourth edition a true learning resource for the classroom. *Designing Resistance Training Programs, Fourth Edition*, begins by outlining the principles of resistance training and exercise prescription, and examines the various types of strength training, including isometrics and eccentric training. This is followed by a discussion of resistance training from a physiological perspective and an overview of how resistance training programs interact with the other conditioning components such as aerobic, interval, plyometric, and flexibility training. Readers will then explore advanced training techniques, how to manipulate training variables in a long-term resistance training program, and ways to plan rest into long-term training that minimizes losses in fitness or performance gains. An important text for students, researchers, and practitioners, this textbook offers the information and tools to help readers evaluate resistance training programs and better understand the context and efficacy of new data findings in this ever-changing field. *Designing Resistance Training Programs, Fourth Edition*, is an essential resource for understanding the science behind resistance training and designing evidence-based resistance training programs for any population. This text provides the tools for understanding and designing resistance training programs for almost any situation or need.

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Describes the role of the personal trainer in designing customized fitness plans and monitoring fitness

This text is a recommended resource for the NASM Certified Personal Trainer (CPT) certification. The NASM CPT certification is accredited by the National Commission for Certifying Agencies (NCCA). Since 1987, the National Academy of Sports Medicine (NASM) has been a global leader in providing evidence-based certifications and advanced credentials to health and fitness professionals. *NASM Essentials of Personal Fitness Training, Fourth Edition Revised*, continues to lead the way by providing the most comprehensive resource for aspiring personal trainers and other health and fitness professionals. Based on NASM's proprietary Optimum Performance Training™ (OPT™) model, you will learn a systematic approach to program design with exercise program guidelines and variables; protocols for building stabilization, strength, and power programs; guidance on how to build a clientele through professional development; and more! By following the techniques in this book, you will gain the information, insight, and inspiration you need to change the world as a health and fitness professional. **Key Features:** * Two new chapters: Exercise Metabolism and Bioenergetics and Introduction to Exercise Modalities. * Definitions of Key Terms in the margins, with key terms bolded within the text. * Stretch Your Knowledge boxes emphasize key concepts and findings from current research. * Memory Joggers call out core concepts and program design instructions. * Exercise sections discuss the purpose and procedures of various techniques that can be used with clients. Technique and Safety Tips are also provided. * Summaries that wrap up each chapter to remind you of pertinent material. * Appendices provide 100 additional exercises; OPT workout programs; one repetition maximum conversion charts; and muscle

origins, insertions, and functions.* Extensive full-color art and photographs illustrate numerous exercise techniques and anatomy and physiology.

Take fitness training to the next level with 30 years of experience you can buy! The Ultimate Fitness Boxing & Kickboxing Workout provides the knowledge, skills and techniques... you supply the sweat!

FITNESS TRAINING. This new book presents the continued evolution of functional training. Ten sections present everything a strength coach or personal trainer may need to understand modern training theory. Boyle updates the reader on the current thinking in core training, back pain, and on how the hip musculature works. Further material on cardiovascular training, and what has worked for the athletes training in his facility continues the journey. In the second half of the book, the author discusses training strategies, including exercises equipment and tools in use on the gym floor, how he develops speed, and a section on his single-leg training methods. Finally, he puts the entire package together with program design, covering the basic objectives of a sound program, and showing you exactly which programs to use in a variety of circumstances.

With expert analysis of technique for more than 100 resistance training exercises, *Effective Strength Training* is just the guide you need to ensure these exercises are performed correctly and with minimal risk. Drawing on the latest scientific principles and theories related to resistance training, *Effective Strength Training* provides the "how" and the "why" behind the proper performance of popular upper-body, lower-body, and trunk exercises. By understanding the purpose and correct form for each exercise, you can gain the full benefit each exercise provides and avoid injury. Whether you teach strength training or do it yourself, you'll find new and helpful information that you can put to use. Douglas Brooks, one of the top personal trainers in the United States, questions the safety of controversial exercises such as the upright row, dipping movements, cable exercises, and machine chest presses. After putting these exercises to the test of objective scientific evaluation, he then recommends valuable guidelines for safe use. *Effective Strength Training* also addresses high-risk situations where exercises fall short of safe biomechanical standards. If you're dealing with orthopedic limitations--such as knee or back problems--or challenging training goals, these solutions will help you make prudent, corrective modifications. Practical and to the point, this book also presents the latest information related to resistance training program design and defines and discusses topics such as training systems, periodization principles, and a continuum of training programs. *Effective Strength Training* is full of no-nonsense strategies and expert advice that will simplify the design and teaching of programs to meet the best interests of your clients or students. And, if you're a strength trainer yourself--especially if you're seeking certification by the International Weightlifting Association--this resource will help you successfully reach all your training goals.

ACSM's *Resources for the Personal Trainer* provides a broad introduction to the field of personal training, covering both basic science topics and practical application. It was originally designed to help people prepare for the ACSM Personal Training Certification Exam. It continues to serve that function, but the market for it has expanded to practitioners in the field looking for an additional resource, as well as in an academic setting where the book is a core text for personal training programs.

"*The Business of Personal Training: Essential Guide for the Successful Personal Trainer*" is a handbook for personal trainers looking to start, improve, or diversify their business. The information in this book constitutes over 15 years of experience in the fitness industry in an effort to help personal trainers avoid common pitfalls and mistakes that can destroy the business. This book goes beyond personal training certifications and program design and provides invaluable information on how to: 1. Structure and operate a business 2. Create brand value 3. Market and promote personal training services 4. Effectively sell and generate

revenue 5. Drive referral business and customer loyalty 6. Expand and diversify the business "If you want to understand how a successful personal training business should run, read this book. Twice. Just like a great movie has twists and turns you don't notice until the second viewing, this book contains concepts that will require further digestion before it can be assimilated. While we all may change and evolve as industry professionals, the words of wisdom contained within these pages are (in my opinion) timeless." Jamie Atlas, Owner, Bonza Bodies Fitness

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Comprehensive and research based, the second edition of NSCA's Essentials of Personal Training is the resource to rely on for personal training information and guidance. With state-of-the-art knowledge regarding applied aspects of personal training as well as clear explanations of supporting scientific evidence, NSCA's Essentials of Personal Training, Second Edition, is also the authoritative preparation text for those preparing for the National Strength and Conditioning Association's Certified Personal Trainer (NSCA-CPT) exam. This essential reference was developed by the NSCA to present the knowledge, skills, and abilities required for personal trainers. With contributions from leading authorities in the field, the text will assist both current and future personal trainers in applying the most current research to the needs of their clients: A discussion on nutrition outlines the role of the personal trainer in establishing nutrition guidelines, including the application of nutrition principles for clients with metabolic concerns. The latest guidelines on client assessment from prominent organizations—such as the American Heart Association (AHA) and Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)—keep personal trainers up to speed on the latest assessment protocols. New information is presented on flexibility training and cardiovascular exercise prescription as well as a discussion of research on the effectiveness of stability ball training. Revised information on design of resistance training programs incorporates the latest information on the application of periodization of training. New information addressing injuries and rehabilitation prepares personal trainers to work with clients with special concerns such as orthopedic conditions, low back pain, ankle sprains, and hip arthroscopy. New guidelines for determining resistance training loads will assist those whose clientele includes athletes. A variety of fitness testing protocols and norms allows readers to select from several options to evaluate each component of fitness. A new instructor guide and image bank aid instructors in teaching the material to students. NSCA's Essentials of Personal Training, Second Edition, focuses on the complex process of designing safe, effective, and goal-specific resistance, aerobic, plyometric, and speed training programs. Featuring over 200 full-color photos with accompanying technique instructions, this resource offers readers a step-by-step approach to designing exercise programs with special attention to the application of principles based on age, fitness level, and health status. Using comprehensive guidelines and sample clients portrayed in the text, readers can learn appropriate ways to adjust exercise programs to work with a variety of clients while accommodating each client's individual needs. Personal trainers will appreciate the book's presentation of detailed exercise programming guidelines for specific populations. Modifications and contraindications to exercise are given for prepubescent youth, older adults, and athletes as well as for clients who are overweight or obese or have eating disorders, diabetes, heart disease, hypertension, hyperlipidemia, spinal cord injury, multiple sclerosis, and cerebral palsy. In addition, the book provides clear, easy-to-understand guidelines for initial client consultation and health appraisal. For those preparing for the NSCA-CPT exam, this second edition features new and revised study questions at the end of each chapter. These questions are written in the same style and format as those found on the NSCA-CPT exam to fully prepare candidates for exam day. For efficient self-study, answers to study questions and suggested solutions for the applied knowledge questions are located in the back of the text. Chapter objectives and key points provide a framework for study and review of important information, while sidebars throughout the text present practical explanations and applications of scientific concepts and theory. The second edition of NSCA's Essentials of Personal Training is the most comprehensive resource available for current and future personal trainers, exercise instructors, fitness facility and wellness center managers, and other fitness professionals. Unmatched in scope, this text remains the leading source for personal training

preparation and professional development.

Have you ever been frustrated by a client who didn't seem to progress off a plateau? Are you uncertain how to train clients with special needs? Does it seem like you're giving the same exercise routine in the same order to every client? And having trouble retaining those clients? With 11 years experience training clients and a masters degree in exercise physiology, Douglas Brooks can help. In his own practice, he learned how to build the bridge between science and the needs of each client - from older adult to athlete - and in this book he shares that knowledge with you. You'll learn the science behind the programming. How to completely customize a program for each new client. Case studies, client examples and charts throughout the text help you apply the information immediately. Have a quick question? Use the Quick Index and Key Points to find the answer. Whether you're just starting out or an experienced trainer, Program Design for Personal Trainers is a valuable addition to your library. -- from back cover.

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Motivating and guiding others to a healthy and fit lifestyle are your passion as a personal trainer. Your challenge is shaping that passion into consistent, high-quality service. To succeed as a personal trainer--and to help your clients succeed--turn to canfitpro's "Foundations of Professional Personal Training." It is the resource you need to build not only your fitness expertise but also your assessment prowess, communication skills, and business knowledge. Written by canfitpro, a certification and continuing education provider for Canadian fitness professionals, "Foundations of Professional Personal Training" is the manual used for the canfitpro Personal Training Specialist certification program. The text includes the essentials of fitness theory and practical application, client assessment and screening, safety considerations, and program design. This information is complemented by chapters on the business of personal training, the psychology of personal training, and the purpose and goals of canfitpro certification as well as a section on evaluation standards. Plus, two photo-rich appendixes provide you with an increased repertoire of exercises to share with your clients, including 20 core resistance-training exercises with two or three variations and progressions to each and 30 stretches for flexibility. Included with the book is a special bonus DVD-ROM titled

"Essentials of Interactive Functional Anatomy DVD." Using a 3-D model of the human musculature, "IFA Essentials" provides a vivid review of the components of structural anatomy. This interactive interface allows participants to rotate the skeleton and remove all 11 layers of anatomy--from muscles down to bones. It is a valuable guide to structural anatomy for personal trainers at any stage of their career. "Foundations of Professional Personal Training" and the canfitpro certification process will prepare you for all aspects of your profession with a comprehensive study of these topics: - Fitness concepts: Explore the concept of wellness, the benefits of physical activity, the components of physical fitness, the components of a workout, guidelines for warm-up, training principles, and weight-management strategies. - Training guidelines: Understand the concepts and guidelines of cardiorespiratory programs and resistance training. - Screening and assessment: Learn fitness assessment and interpretation and the importance of implementing a health screening questionnaire. - Human anatomy and physiology: Understand the skeletal, muscular, neurological, cardiovascular, and pulmonary systems as well as concepts of metabolism, nutrition, and flexibility. - Safety considerations: Learn injury evaluation with special emphasis on strategies for preventing and treating back pain. - Starting your business: Create a client-centered environment, develop a marketing and promotion strategy to attract clientele, and identify essential business details such as insurance, equipment needs, and fee structure. - Building client relationships: Develop your leadership and communication skills to help you guide, educate, and motivate your clients from the initial consultation through all levels of their fitness plans. Increased knowledge and the skills to communicate your passion for fitness are just the beginning. With "Foundations of Professional Personal Training" and your canfitpro certification, you demonstrate your dedication to self-improvement and commitment to excellence, thereby gaining credibility in the eyes of your clients and your profession. Make "Foundations of Professional Personal Training" and canfitpro certification part of your plan to build a vital career in personal training--one that can lead others to a healthy way of life.

Whether you are considering a career as a personal trainer or searching for ways to increase revenue and gain new clients for your existing business, you'll find *The Business of Personal Training* to be an indispensable reference. Written by some of the most successful personal trainers in the country, this book provides the foundation for building your personal training business. *The Business of Personal Training* discusses not only how to build a solid business but also how to be an effective trainer. After an outline of the history of the profession and the qualifications needed to be a personal trainer, the book explains how to develop a mission statement and business plan, create strategic and creative marketing plans, establish prices for services, hire and train staff members, improve client-trainer communication, motivate clients and help them set goals, and design appropriate exercise programs. Nineteen sample forms make it easy for you to put the ideas presented into practice. Learn from veteran personal trainers what it takes to succeed. The practical advice provided in *The Business of Personal Training* is valuable for new and established trainers as well as for health and fitness administrators who supervise personal trainers.

Discover these stupid simple ways to design extremely powerful workout routines based on your personal specific goals leveraging the 80/20 principle... even if you don't have a degree in biomechanics or any experience at the gym! Fortunately for you, you don't need to spend hundreds of hours studying fitness materials or courses to build an effective workout routine. The truth is you only need to know and apply a relatively small number of training principles to derive the majority of potential benefits from regular exercise. Have you ever heard about the 80/20 principle? Also known as the

Pareto Principle, this rule suggests that 20 percent of your activities will account for 80 percent of your results... The same thing applies to designing effective workout routines... Out of all the possible knowledge, you could acquire about diet and exercise, 20% is going to deliver 80% of the results ... which is why I created a powerful training that will teach you everything you need to know about creating and applying that 20% of the information that delivers 80% of the results so you could immediately go ahead and design a super effective workout routine for yourself by your yourself! A routine that will be a precise road map to get you to your desired fitness destination! Introducing "Fitness Program Design Made Simple". Inside my book are the most up to date methods used by the world-class trainers to design custom-tailored workout routines. The best workout is the one that you will actually stick with. Find out how you can create workout routines that not only get you results - but routines you can also enjoy! Find out a simple way to take full control of your fitness goals and chisel a body you truly desire ! What happens if you choose not to get this book? I think you know the answer ... Nothing! You'll keep on wasting your precious time trying to figure out how to create your very own workout routines... Probably spend hundreds of dollars hiring personal trainers... And nothing will change. If you're okay with that... then, of course, you should pass on this book. However, if you want to finally be able to create a highly effective workout routine yourself... for yourself and by yourself - a routine based on your personal goals and preferences ... then I highly recommend you jump at this chance and grab this book right now!

Robert's commitment to the personal training business earned him the honor of serving the National Strength and Conditioning Association as their Northern California State Director (2010-2012). Robert has his masters degree in personal training, his bachelors degree in kinesiology, is a certified strength and conditioning specialist with distinction, a certified NSCA certified personal trainer with distinction as well as a certified USA Weightlifting Level I coach. "I have grown tired of all the "fads" and "myths" of the certified personal training business and decided I would put out a email to all my clients discussing a topics like "site specific reduction" or "crash diets." The support I received after sending out the first newsletter inspired me to keep writing. My goal is to change the way people think of fitness. I call it the "fitness revolution." This book is a combination of education, experience and research all put together and thrown down on paper. These are my confessions as a certified personal trainer. Many trainers will not tell you information like you will read in this book. That is why I call it a revolution. We are breaking away from the norm and developing something new. With science and research as my guide, I will educate you on a new way to train, the right way to training."

Let seasoned Personal Trainer and Nutrition Coach, Pam Harrelson, take all the mystery out of Personal Training for you! What does it cost? What will take place? What are red flags in your initial consult? These 15 pages are from twenty three years of working in athletic clubs, obtaining Personal Training educational units, and working with many, many clients "one on one." Many trainers incorporate "health coaching" within the training. Pam has done that for 23 years way ahead of the "health coach craze." There is no "wrong trainer." There are a variety of approaches from trainers. There is no "one size fits all" for client programs or that "any trainer" will be a good fit for a client. This little book will help you get the right fit and feel that your investment in

yourself was worth every penny. All trainers have great passion for health and fitness. Their passion is contagious!

Every workout is intended to do one thing: maximize results. Whether that result is fitness, function and performance, fat loss, or physique improvements, you want your efforts to pay off. What if you had the opportunity to have the NSCA Personal Trainer of the Year observe your workout and show you how you could make it better? Now you do have access to that expertise, with *Your Workout PERFECTED*. Nick Tumminello, author of *Strength Training for Fat Loss and Building Muscle and Performance*, knows that a “one size fits all” approach can’t work. That program you’re following—the one you love—may be more harmful than beneficial. Or maybe, with some slight alterations, that program is exactly what you need. That’s why he developed *Your Workout PERFECTED*. It’s a unique and cooperative approach—one that works to improve, not replace, your routine. Inside, there are 243 exercises and 71 programs to develop your fitness, promote fat loss, improve your function and performance, or work on your physique, including beginner workout programs for those who are just starting and even alternative home or hotel gym workouts and bodyweight workouts. Plus, you’ll learn the following:

- The mistakes you may already be making
- Minor changes to techniques that can produce big results
- Why certain exercises are preferable over others
- Whether men and women should be trained differently
- Exercises to avoid and proven principles to follow
- Combinations and sequences to maximize results

Each of the exercises is accompanied by step-by-step instructions on setup and execution. The workouts are designed for various settings (in the gym, at home, or on the go), and each ready-to-use program is also customizable to meet your specific needs and help you reach your fitness goals. Highly visual and instantly applicable, *Your Workout PERFECTED* will help you fine-tune your approach to your personal fitness.

Want to turn your passion for fitness into a lucrative career? Each year, more than 5 million Americans use personal trainers to take their workouts to the next level—and this plain-English guide shows you how to get in on the action. Whether you want a part-time job at the gym or a full-time personal training business, you’ll find the practical, proven advice you need in this indispensable resource. *Becoming a Personal Trainer For Dummies* is for you if you want to become a certified personal trainer and start your own business—or if you’re a certified trainer looking to improve upon your existing practice. You get a thorough overview of what it takes to get certified and run a successful business, complete with expert tips that help you:

- Find your training niche
- Study for and pass certification exams
- Attract, keep, and motivate clients
- Interview, hire, and manage employees
- Update your training skills
- Expand your services

This user-friendly guide offers unique coverage of personal trainer certification programs, including tips on selecting the right program and meeting the requirements. You’ll see how to develop your training identity as well as practice invaluable skills that will make you a great personal trainer. You also receive savvy guidance in:

- Choosing the best fitness equipment
- Creating a business plan, a record-keeping system, and a marketing campaign
- Performing fitness assessments
- Developing individualized exercise programs
- Advancing your clients to the next fitness level
- Managing legal issues and tax planning
- Offering additional services such as massage and nutrition consultation
- Training clients with special needs

Complete with ten great starter exercises and a valuable list of professional organizations and resources, *Becoming a Personal Trainer*

For Dummies gives you the tools you need to get the most out of this fun, fabulous career!

Authors Cedric X. Bryant, PhD, Barry A. Franklin, PhD, and Sabrena Newton-Merrill, MS, present a second edition of this best-selling, essential resource for fitness professionals. This remarkable work offers in-depth, easy-to-understand and apply sections on Aerobic Testing and Training (with chapters on pre-exercise screening, aerobic field tests, the scientific basis of aerobic fitness, exercise programming, conditioning the upper body, cross-training principles and guidelines), Musculoskeletal Testing and Training (with chapters on measuring musculoskeletal fitness, developing a strength training program, developing a flexibility program, strength training for children and youth, women, seniors, and strength training without weights), Special Exercise Consideration and Populations (with chapters on exercise and environmental issues, hypertension, diabetes, asthma, women's issues, stress management, fibromyalgia, weight control, aging, and exercise adherence), and Program Design Applications for Fitness Professionals (including a comprehensive approach to program design, and practice case studies on risk-factor assessment, designing appropriate exercise programs, and analyzing exercise program designs). Large format, with many photographs and illustrations. Produced in cooperation with the American Council on Exercise.

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