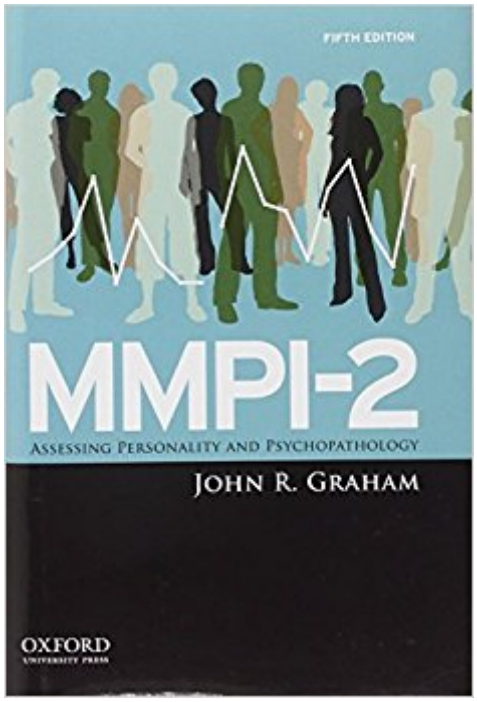
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Synopsis

The MMPI-2 is the most widely used personality test in the U.S. and around the world. It is employed in mental health settings, medical centers, and correctional programs, and is frequently admitted as evidence in legal proceedings. In addition, the MMPI-2 is widely used in screening applicants for jobs that involve public trust and safety. The fifth edition of MMPI-2: Assessing Personality and Psychopathology describes effective uses of all aspects of the MMPI-2 and explains how to accurately interpret test results. Current and comprehensive, it presents detailed instructions for administering and scoring the MMPI-2 and discusses using the MMPI-2 with such diverse population groups as older adults, ethnic minorities, medical patients, and prisoners. It provides guidelines for interpreting the test's Validity, Clinical Content, and Supplementary scales, illustrating points with case studies and examples. The book also covers the Restructured Clinical (RC) scales, which help focus the interpretation of the original Clinical scales, and the Personality Psychopathology 5 (PSY-5) scales, which assess major dimensions of normal and abnormal personality.

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John R. Graham is Professor of Clinical Psychology at Kent State University. He began his work with the MMPI during his graduate training at the University of North Carolina in the 1960s. He is the author of several books about the MMPI and its applications as well as numerous empirical articles. He played a major role in the development of the MMPI-2 and MMPI-A and has taught workshops on the test throughout the world.

There is a lot of information here that you don't find anywhere else. I like it in conjunction with Greene's 3rd edition. They overlap a great deal but where they don't overlap they give they give a combined, fuller picture of what the test results mean. By all means buy a copy, but buy a copy of Greene's book as well.

Because of this book, I know the MMPI like the back of my hand

This book is very user friendly, and easy to find the information you're looking for. I used it for my objective personality assessment course along with 3 other books, and this was my favorite one for report writing.

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As always, Dr. John Graham hits a homerun. His text is clearly written, well documented and authoritative. This book is invaluable to researchers and practitioners alike. Thanks to him for continued scholarly excellence.

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