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evaluation of infant growth and body composition is provided. Reference and standard data for use as a general guide in monitoring the nutritional status of growing children are also presented. With its special emphasis on the practical application of new knowledge, this publication provides valuable information for pediatricians, nutritionists and dieticians who wish to keep abreast of advances in the field.
