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This volume reviews the state of the art in caring for patients dying in the ICU, focusing on both the clinical aspects of managing pain and other symptoms, as well as ethical and societal issues that affect the standards of care received.