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# Teachers' Textbook Appraisal

Local school boards may also want to consider other criteria to meet the needs of their student population.
All teachers that reviewed this material are highly qualified in their specific field in education.

Textbook Title: Teen Health Course 1
Publisher: School edition Group a division of the McGraw-Hill Companies, Inc
Grade Level: Course 1/6th grade
ISBN No. Teacher Edition:9780078774065
ISBN No. Student Edition:

## TEXTBOOK ORGANIZATION

*Well defined for Bloom's Taxonomy
*Straight forward and to the point/very user friendly
*Project -based learning focal points throughout textbook
*Aligned with National Standards
*User friendly and easy to read charts
*Good Scope and Sequence
*Valuable photos throughout
*Great use of foldables for student learning and organization
*Excellent interdisciplinary units

## STUDENT ASSESSMENT SUPPORT

*Assess various levels of learners
*Assessment not limited to review. Teachers provided with other strategies components
*Assessments are bilingual and accessible on line
*Assessments found in section review and health skills shortcuts

## ADDITIONAL CRITERIA

*Rich content
*Good multicultural integration
*Good usage of teen opinion/feed back throughout
*Great use of fitness zone component for goal setting
*Differential instructions and need components included

## TEACHER COMMENTS

*Dynamic, as teacher allowed to plenty of options for teaching
*Great hand-on opportunities of students
*Great updated information
*Scaffolding included
*Incorporates media literacy activities