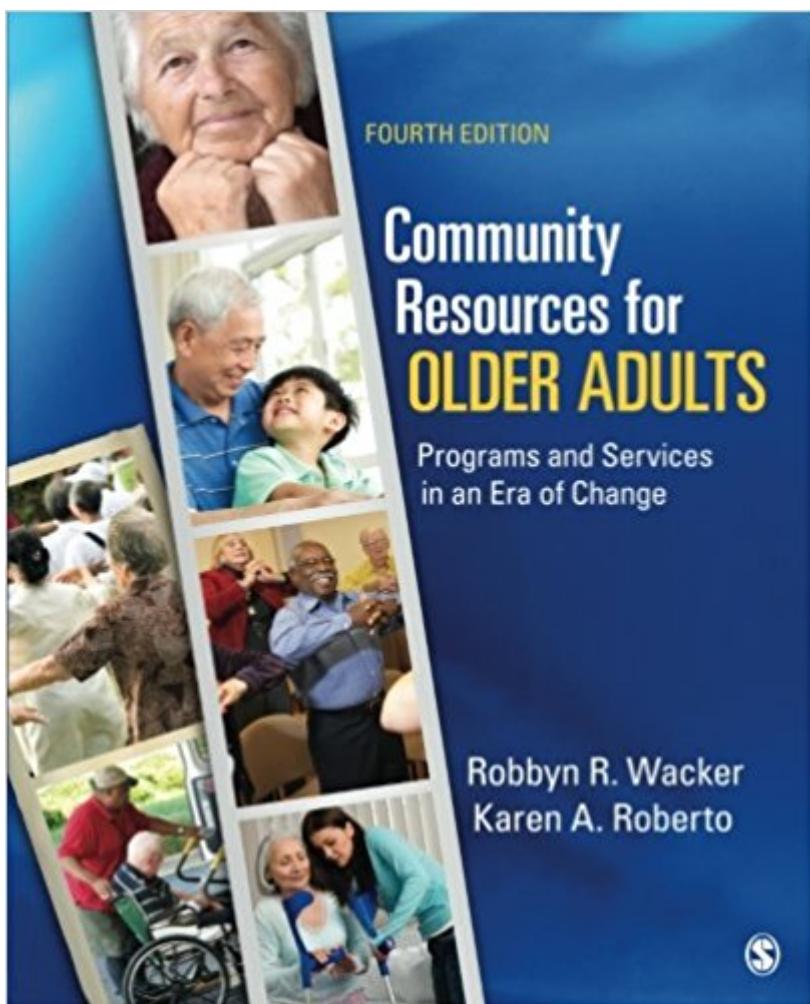The book was found

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Community Resources for Older Adults: Programs and Services in an Era of Change, Fourth Edition, by Robbyn Wacker and Karen Roberto, provides an in-depth review of policy and programs for the "aging network," answering such key questions as "How have programs for older adults evolved?" "Who uses these resources?" "How are they delivered?" and "What challenges do service providers face in meeting the needs of the aging baby-boom generation?" To give students the foundational knowledge they need to meet the needs of their older clients, the authors provide a theoretical framework for understanding the forces that shape older adultsÃ¢â¬Â likelihood to seek assistance, include in-depth reviews of the current body of empirical literature in each program area, and discuss the challenges programs and services will face in the future.

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This book, like many other textbooks, was long and packed full of information. I don't know about you, but being forced to read chapter after chapter in x-amount of short days is stressful. While I certainly don't remember everything I read, I did leave my course with greater knowledge on the subject. I grew a little more because of this book.

Great information for those who need to know! I recommend it to social workers interested in connecting older adults with community resources. It provides good places to start.

This book does an excellent job describing the various resources available for older adults. I feel that Dr. Wacker did a great job with the layout and organization. Provides a good overview of the structure of the federal government's resource network.

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Overall the book is good although it is due for an update. Some of its information is out of date.

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