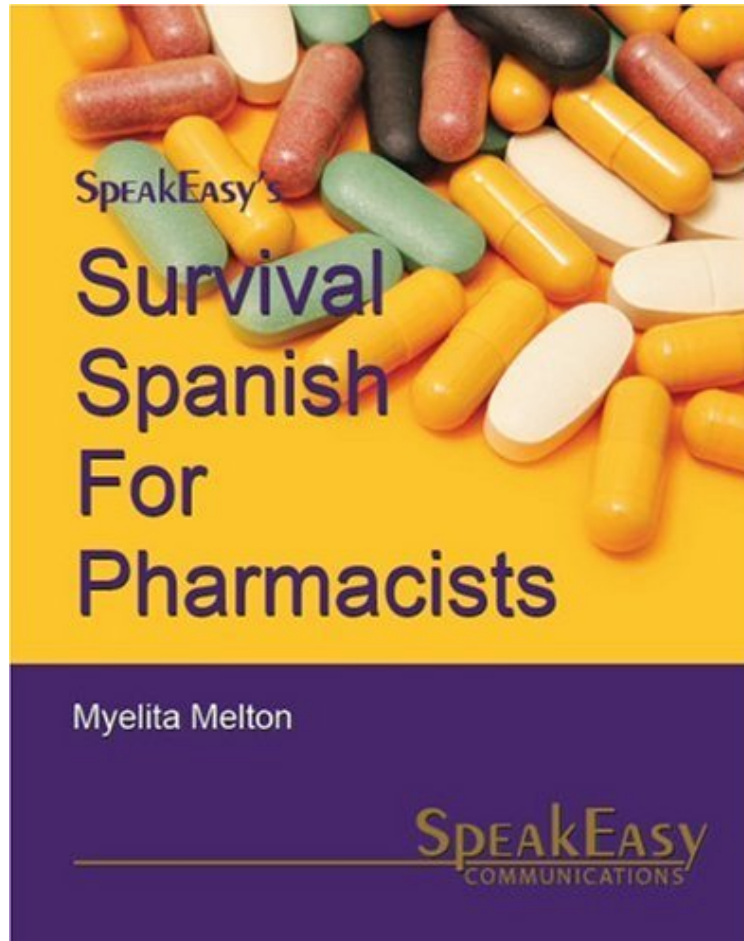


Survival Spanish For Pharmacists

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Myelita Melton : Survival Spanish For Pharmacists before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Survival Spanish For Pharmacists:

5 of 5 people found the following review helpful. Very useful info, but...By Jeremy GabbardThis book assumes that you do not speak any Spanish, or that you do not remember what you learned years ago. I have a meager set of skills already, I just needed to know more about specialized jargon relating to the pharmacy field.It is presented as a self-study course. You would either have to supplement the book with another source, or practice with someone who speaks Spanish, I would imagine, because it is presented in absolute bare-bones format, it is not comprehensive of help with grammar or pronunciation, unless talking in short utterances, and probably not being able to understand the customer.It is also a little frustrating as a reference book, because it is laid out so strangely. Ideally, one would learn all of the material in there and not have to look at it so often, I suppose. It is laid out in seemingly unrelated chapters, rather than having just a short glossary or dictionary at the back, which with the amount of vocabulary in here would have taken just a few pages.Overall, it is useful, but I don't think it accomplishes its goal of bringing someone from the

ground up to speak useful Spanish at work. 1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. Good review
By Gene T
The last time I took Spanish was in high school. I spoke some before while working as a Pharmacist but because of non use for many years I forgot how to say some words in Spanish. Because of this I did not feel confident in conversing. This was a good review of Spanish but it would be better if there was some audio. When I hear TV and radio announcers (especially sportscasters) mis-pronounce Spanish names it bothers me and I am sure it bothers people who speak Spanish. Overall, it was a good review for me.
6 of 6 people found the following review helpful. just what I needed
By E. Warren
This book had the phrases and words I needed, I am also taking the Pimsleur Spanish course, but needed a book with the specific wording I need for pharmacy. Have already been able to use what I am learning 2 times already, and still learning.

"Survival Spanish for Pharmacists" is designed for pharmacists and pharmacy technicians who want to learn Spanish phrases that will elevate their level of patient care. Part of the industry-specific SpeakEasy Spanish (TM) series, "Survival Spanish for Pharmacists" is designed for adult beginners with no previous experience in the Spanish language. "Survival Spanish for Pharmacists" includes chapters on basic medications, common complaints, illnesses, symptoms, side effects, dispensing instructions, diabetes, and phrases which can be used in a retail environment. Much of the vocabulary included in the book was suggested by pharmacists we have trained in the field. At SpeakEasy Spanish (TM) we believe that the Spanish you learn must be relevant to what you do so you will use it often. Vocabulary is presented with easy-to-use pronunciation guides which build skills quickly and easily. We also provide examples of basic language principles which connect English and Spanish. This method takes the "foreign" quality out of the language learning process. Then, we also focus on communication rather than old-fashioned conjugation so that learning is a more natural process. You'll be surprised at the progress you make when you learn the SpeakEasy Spanish (TM) way!

About the Author
Myelita Melton, founder of SpeakEasy Communications, remembers the first time she heard a "foreign" language. She knew from that moment what she wanted to do with her life. "Since I was always the kid in class that talked too much," Myelitia says, "I figured it would be a good idea to learn more than one language- that way I could talk to a lot more people!" After high school, she studied in Mexico at the Instituto de Filologica Hispica and completed both her BA and MA in French and Curriculum Design at Appalachian State University in Boone, NC. She has studied and speaks five languages: French, Spanish, Italian, German, and English. "Litas" unique career includes classroom instruction and challenging corporate experience. She has won several national awards, including a prestigious Rockefeller scholarship. In 1994 she was named to Who's Who Among Outstanding Americans. Myelita's corporate experience includes owning a television production firm, working with NBC's Spanish news division, Canal de Noticias, and Charlotte's PBS affiliate WTVI. In her spare time, she continues to broadcast with WDAV, a National Public Radio affiliate near Lake Norman in North Carolina where she lives. In 1997 Myelita started SpeakEasy Communications to offer industry specific Spanish instruction in North Carolina. The company is now the nation's leader in Spanish training, offering over 30 SpeakEasy Spanish programs and publications to companies, associations, and colleges throughout the US. Lita is also a member of the National Speakers Association and the National Council for Continuing Education and Training. Many of her clients say she is the most high-energy, results-oriented speaker they have ever seen. As she travels the country speaking on cultural diversity issues in the workplace and languages, she has truly realized her dream of being able to talk to the world.