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Read the text for a class. The text was usable and easy to understand as it was read. The book had a lot of information on every page, and the font was smallish. Overall, I'll keep this one on the shelf for later reference.

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### **Emily Ellison says**

Pretty good text. Info on genograms is there. Used this book as part of my family counseling class in Winter 2012 quarter.

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