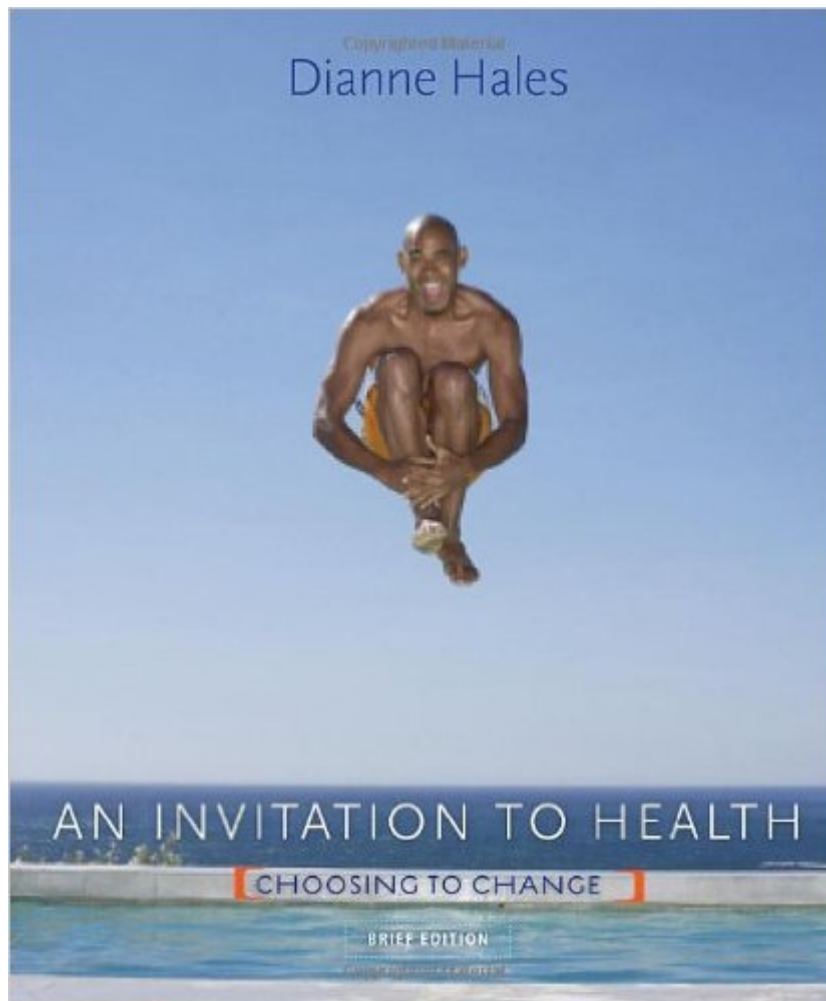


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# An Invitation To Health: Choosing To Change, Brief Edition (with Personal Wellness Guide) (Available Titles Diet Analysis Plus)



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Purchased for a health class. Book has a lot of good information, but the flow of reading is

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This book, which was required for a class I took, is so mind boglingly stupid that I cant help but wonder if my teacher chose to use this text in class in an attempt to teach via reverse psychology. F F\$%@ing minus to the authors.

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