

BOOK REVIEW - LIVRO

EVANS, Alfred S. & BRACHMAN, Philip S., ed. - **Bacterial infections of humans: epidemiology and control**. 2nd. ed. New York , Plenum Medical Book Co., 1991. 908p. ill. ISBN: 0-306-43343-5.

The second edition of this widely acclaimed volume offers both generalists and specialists a detailed description of recent developments in the study of bacterial infection. All chapters have been updated from the first edition, and entirely new chapters on four timely topics - listeriosis, Lyme disease, toxic shock syndrome, and yersiniosis - have been added.

Contributors focus on the epidemiology, pathogenesis, control, and prevention of bacterial infections as they affect the individual or the community.