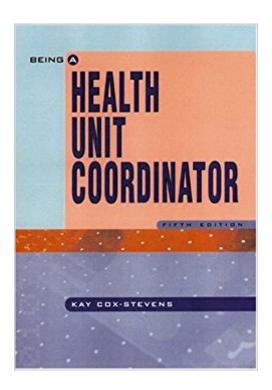


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# Being A Health Unit Coordinator (5th Edition)





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