

## BOOK REVIEW

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### *A Review of Cocaine—An Annotated Bibliography*

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**REFERENCE:** Turner, C. E., Urbanek, B. S., Wall, G. M., and Waller, C. W., *Cocaine—An Annotated Bibliography*, Vols. I and II, University of Mississippi Press, Jackson, MS, 1988.

These two volumes are valuable for anyone seeking complete reference materials on coca and cocaine. The introduction includes the history, structural aspects, metabolites, and stereochemical compounds of coca and cocaine. Just over 4000 annotated citations are included, from 1950 through 1986. These citations are from chemical, biologic, pharmacologic, botanic, psychologic, sociologic, medical, legal, and treatment literature.

The information is indexed by author and cross-referenced subject. Over 1000 international technical journals are referenced. Over 1000 nonannotated citations from 1859 through 1949 are also included.

Updates are to be available. These are extremely valuable reference books, to be recommended to medical examiners and toxicologists.

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