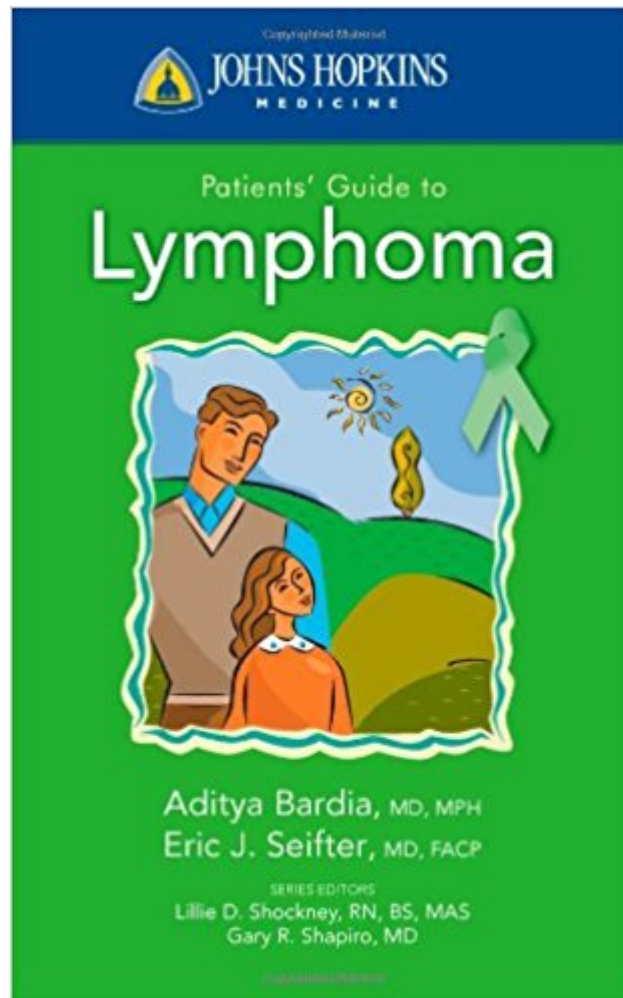




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Johns Hopkins Patients' Guide to Lymphoma is a concise, easy-to-follow "how to" guide that puts you on the path to wellness by explaining lymphoma treatment from start to finish. It guides you through the overwhelming maze of treatment decisions, simplifies the complicated schedule that lies ahead, and performs the task of putting together your plan of care in layman's terms. Empower yourself with accurate, understandable information that will give you the ability to confidently participate in the decision making about your care and treatment.

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Customer Reviews

This book was a gift to my mother when she was diagnosed with Lymphoma, and it was incredibly useful once we got up the nerve to read it. I don't know why anybody else failed to read it, but I was afraid I'd learn something I didn't want to know. My husband began reading bits out loud to me, and later I read it for myself, and quoted it to my parents. The book is full of helpful information. We found it very reassuring, helping us make sense of what had already happened, and giving pointers on what to expect next. The authors do not give case histories or anecdotes; instead they say, "Lots of people like to do this," or "Some people are more comfortable with that." It made me feel the book was knowledge distilled from years of experience, which was good because once I began reading, I wanted lots of information quickly. "Patients' Guide to Lymphoma" tells you everything from when to expect your hair to fall out (and why), to where to look for financial help for your medical bills. I

skipped over the part about what to do if your lymphoma was not treatable, but it was there, and it did not advise you to despair. This is a hopeful book, and I recommend it.

If/when you get this type of a diagnosis your mind will literally shut down. And at some point the anxiety of not knowing what it means can create a mental paralysis. This short, very direct, and Informative book gave us back the power to understand what we were facing and what we needed to know at a high level very quickly. I strongly encourage this for anyone who was diagnosed, or is with a loved one and who will be involved in their care. Great read..saved our sanity in the first few weeks

After finding nothing on this subject in a local book chain store, I bought this book the very evening my mother was diagnosed with Non Hodgkins Lymphoma and read it in one night. The info is perfect for those of us who want to be proactive advocates for loved ones -informative descriptions for the curious. I recommend it to anyone who feels helpless and in need of a quick sword of info to fend this dragon!

I found the book almost too childlike. With each section I could have almost written it. Even the cover picture seems childish. The book arrived and I looked forward to reading it. A quick perusal sufficed. There is little here for someone looking for information that is really useful. Too superficial.

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