BaccMD Book of the Month Club Reads

**Upcoming Reads**

- **Friday, September 29, 2023** “Atomic Habits: An Easy & Proven Way to Build Good Habits & Break Bad Ones” by James Clear ([Add to Calendar](#))
- **Tuesday, October 31, 2023** “An American Sickness: How Healthcare Became Big Business and How You Can Take It Back” by Elisabeth Rosenthal ([Add to Calendar](#))
- **Thursday, November 30, 2023** “Mr. Humble and Dr. Butcher: A Monkey’s Head, the Pope’s Neuroscientist, and the Quest to Transplant the Soul” by Brandy Schillace ([Add to Calendar](#))
- **Friday December 29, 2023** “Hundreds of Interlaced Fingers: A Kidney Doctor’s Search for the Perfect Match” by Vanessa Grubbs, MD ([Add to Calendar](#))
- **Thursday February 29, 2024** “Thinking, Fast and Slow” by Daniel Kahneman ([Add to Calendar](#))
- **Friday, March 29, 2024** “We Are All Perfectly Fine: A Memoir of Love, Medicine and Healing” by Jillian Horton, MD ([Add to Calendar](#))
- **Tuesday, April 30, 2024** “In Shock: My Journey from Death to Recovery and the Redemptive Power of Hope” by Rana Awdish ([Add to Calendar](#))
- **Friday, May 24, 2024** “The Other Dr. Gilmer: Two Men, a Murder, and an Unlikely Fight for Justice” by Benjamin Gilmer, MD ([Add to Calendar](#))
- **Friday, June 28, 2024** “Open Heart: A Cardiac Surgeon’s Stories of Life and Death on the Operating Table” by Stephen Westaby, PhD, FRCS ([Add to Calendar](#))

**Past Reads**

- “Every Deep-Drawn Breath: A Critical Care Doctor on Healing, Recovery, and Transforming Medicine in the ICU” by Wes Ely, MD
- “The Beauty in Breaking: A Memoir” by Michele Harper, MD
- “Together: The Healing Power of Human Connection in a Sometimes Lonely World” by Vivek H. Murthy, MD
- “Under the Skin: The Hidden Toll of Racism on American Lives and on the Health of Our Nation” by Linda Villarosa
- “The Doctors Blackwell: How Two Pioneering Sisters Brought Medicine to Women and Women to Medicine” by Janice P. Nimura
- “When We Do Harm: A Doctor Confronts Medical Error” by Danielle Ofri, MD
- “Healing: Our Path from Mental Illness to Mental Health” by Thomas Insel, MD
- “The Measure of Our Days: A Spiritual Exploration of Illness” by Jerome Groopman
- “The First Cell: And the Human Cost of Pursuing Cancer to the Last” by Azra Raza, MD
- “How We Live” by Sherwin Nuland
- “Kill as Few Patients as Possible” by Oscar London
• “The Real Doctor Will See You Shortly: A Physician’s First Year” by Matt McCarthy, MD
• “Womb With a View: Tales from the Delivery, Emergency and Operating Rooms” by Rebecca Levy-Gantt, DO
• “Letter to a Young Female Physician: Notes from a Medical Life” by Suzanne Koven, MD
• “Do No Harm: Stories of Life, Death and Brain Surgery” by Henry Marsh, MD
• “Every Patient Tells a Story” by Lisa Sanders
• “When the Air Hits Your Brain” by Frank Vertosick Jr., MD
• “The Butchering Art: Joseph Lister’s Quest to Transform the Grisly World of Victorian Medicine” by Lindsey Fitzharris, PhD
• “Destiny of the Republic: A Tale of Madness, Medicine and the Murder of a President” by Candice Millard
• “Chang an Eng” by Darin Strauss
• “When Invisible Children Sing” by Dr. Chi Huang
• “Heart: A History” by Sandeep Jauhar, MD
• “The Radium Girls: The Dark Story of America’s Shining Women” by Kate Moore
• “Brain on Fire: My Month of Madness” by Susannah Cahalan
• “On Apology” by Aaron Lazare
• “A Leg to Stand On” by Oliver Sacks, MD
• “A Long Way Gone: Memoires of a Child Soldier” by Ismael Beah
• “At the Will of the Body: Reflections on Illness” by Arthur Frank
• “How the Garcia Girls Lost Their Accents” by Julia Alvarez
• “Bellevue: Three Centuries of Medicine and Mayhem at America’s Most Storied Hospital” by David Oshinsky, PhD
• “Black Man in a White Coat: A Doctor’s Reflections on Race and Medicine” by Damon Tweedy, MD
• “The Doctor Stories” by William Carlos Williams, MD
• “Grunt: The Curious Science of Humans at War” by Mary Roach
• “Doing Harm: The Truth about How Bad Medicine and Lazy Science Leave Women Dismissed, Misdiagnosed, and Sick” by Maya Dusenbery
• “How Doctors Think” by Jerome Groopman, MD
• “Complications: A Surgeon’s Notes on an Imperfect Science” by Atul Gawande, MD
• “Hot Lights, Cold Steel: Life, Death and Sleepless Nights in A Surgeon’s First Years” by Michael Collins, MD
• “Better: A Surgeon’s Notes on Performance” by Atul Gawande, MD
• “The Soul of a Doctor” by Susan Poris, MD., Sachin H Jain, Gordon Harper, MD
• “How We Die: Reflections of Life’s Final Chapter” by Sherwin B. Nuland
• “The Optimism Bias” by Tali Sharot
• “Rosalind Franklin: The Dark Lady of DNA” by Brenda Maddox
• “Letters to a Young Doctor” by Richard Selzer
• “The Man Who Mistook His Wife for a Hat and Other Clinical Tales” by Oliver Sacks, MD
• “The House of God” by Samuel Shem
• “Unbroken Brain: A revolutionary New Way of Understanding Addiction” by Maia Szalavitz
• “My Own Country: A Doctor’s Story” Abraham Verghese
• “Grit: The Power of Passion and Perseverance” by Angela Duckworth
• “Drug Dealer, MD: How Doctors Were Duped, Patients Got Hooked, and Why It’s So Hard to Stop” by Anna Lembke, MD
• “In the Land of Invisible Women: A Female Doctor’s Journey in the Saudi Kingdom” by Qanta A. Ahmed
• “Darkness Visible: A Memoir of Madness” by William Styron
• “Stiff: The Curious Lives of Human Cadavers” by Mary Roach
• “One Hundred Days: My Unexpected Journey from Doctor to Patient” by David Biro
• “Three Cups of Tea: One Man’s Mission to Promote Peace – One School at a Time” by Greg Mortenson
• “Evicted” by Matthew Desmond
• “Cutting for Stone” by Abraham Verghese, MD
• “Still Alice” by Lisa Genova
• “Final Exam: A Surgeon’s Reflection of Mortality” by Pauline Chen, MD
• “Tuesdays with Morrie: An Old Man, A Young Man, and Life’s Greatest Lesson” by Mitch Albom
• “County: Life, Death, and Politics in Chicago” by David Ansel, MD
• “The Ghost Map” by Steven Johnson
• “Adventures of a Female Medical Detective” by Mary Guinan, PhD, MD
• “The Checklist Manifesto: How to Get Things Right” by Atul Gawande
• “Mountains Beyond Mountains: The Quest of Dr. Paul Farmer” by Tracy Kidder
• “What Doctors Feel: How Emotions Affect the Practice of Medicine” by Danielle Ofri, MD
• “America’s Bitter Pill: Money, Politics, Backroom Deals, and the Fight to Fix Our Broken Healthcare System” by Steven Brill
• “The Organized Mind” by Daniel J. Levitin
• “The Boys in the Boat” by Daniel James Brown
• “When Breath Becomes Air” by Paul Kalanithi
• “The Mind’s Eye” by Oliver Sacks
• “My Beloved World” by Sonia Sotomayor
• “Ghost Boy” by Martin Pistorius
• “I am Malala” by Malala Yousafzai with Christina Lamb
• “The Warmth of Other Suns” by Isabel Wilkerson
• “Theodore Rex” by Edmond Morris
• “Unbroken” by Laura Hillenbrand
• “Blood: An Epic History of Medicine and Commerce” by Douglass Starr
• “Blindspot: Hidden Biases of Good People” by Mahzarin R. Banaji & Anthony G. Greenwald
• “Being Mortal” by Atul Gawande