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Woman's Guide to Cosmetic Breast Surgery and Body Contouring - Jerrold Zeitels 2013-07-01

Board-certified plastic surgeons address many of the concerns associated with breast augmentation surgery—including what constitutes candidacy for surgery; how much enlargement should take place; the types of implants that are used; the placement of incisions and possible scarring; potential complications; and proper follow-up care—in this informative and educational guide. Issues surrounding breast lifts; tummy tucks; and liposuction of the stomach, hips, buttocks, thighs, and knees are also covered.

Inkspirations for Breast Cancer Survivors - Beverly Vote 2017-10-03

If you or someone you care about is battling breast cancer, you know that maintaining a positive attitude is an invaluable tool for healing. Inkspirations for Breast Cancer Survivors was created by Beverly Vote, a breast cancer survivor, to help you de-stress, recharge, and renew so that you can awaken your healer within. Over two decades ago, Beverly Vote was diagnosed with breast cancer at age 38. With a bleak diagnosis, and few resources, she felt helpless, overwhelmed, and alone. The experience forced her to dig deep into her emotional and physical wellspring to awaken the healer within. In the fight for her life, she gave

herself permission to spend less time with people who were negative and controlling and she welcomed more hope, joy, courage, and passion into each day. She soldiered through, and after two years of surgeries, treatment, and a learning curve about how she could empower herself, her prognosis improved--25 years later she remains cancer free. In 2006, she founded Breast Cancer Wellness Magazine, an award-winning publication to empower and encourage anyone facing the challenges of breast cancer. "We are all so unique and one healing size does not fit all," she explains. "Putting together our life after diagnosis can be confusing and overwhelming. Coloring is a great healing tool to relax and let our feelings flow without being critical or judgmental about what is being released. It doesn't matter if our coloring book is a scribbling mess, an angry expression, or a soft gentle scrawl. What does matter is that we get into it however we want. It is during these times of reflective coloring that our dormant strengths and desires begin to emerge." The book features artwork from artist Ann-Margret Hovsepian paired with uplifting quotes and positive, healing affirmations specific to the breast cancer journey. Featuring 31 pages on heavy stock, and a special lay-flat binding for easy opening and coloring, it's both a calming escape and a creative rallying cry to help people put their strongest selves forward for

their most important fight.

How My Wife's Cancer Healed Me - Josh Taylor 2017-07-09

At 26 years of age, Josh Taylor never imagined hearing the words that his wife of 5 years, Aly, was diagnosed with stage 3, highly aggressive breast cancer. They had just begun trying to grow their family, and Aly's diagnosis rocked Josh to the core of who he was. It was during the fight for Aly's literal life, that Josh realized something in him. He needed to be healed. No, he didn't have cancer, but through Aly's journey, God called Josh to state of personal brokenness that he had never experienced before. Once he embraced that brokenness, he had to rely on God to heal him. Josh shares this journey of personal brokenness with a vulnerability that few ever share. How My Wife's Cancer Healed Me is for anyone who is in desperate need of healing. Whether it be physical like Aly, or emotionally and spiritually like Josh, Josh explains what he did in a step-by-step fashion to be healed and transformed into the man of God He was always created to be. Josh focuses much of his book on his personal journey, but attempts to give readers help on how they can be broken and healed too. The rawness of Josh's emotions and thoughts put on paper, as well as practical advice makes this book invaluable. Perhaps you are a man whose wife is battling an illness, or perhaps you are a person just in need of personal refinement, this book can serve as a guide to assist you along that journey, giving both laughter and hope. Josh Taylor and his wife, Aly, are the founders of Aly's Fight (alysfight.com), a blog that Josh started when Aly was diagnosed with cancer in 2011. This site has helped bring the life-changing gospel of Jesus Christ to thousands, as Aly and Josh have shared their cancer/infertility/adoption/ miracle pregnancy story. Josh is a man of God, husband, dad, entrepreneur, dreamer, and self-proclaimed "launcher" of dreams and ideas. He currently builds homes in North East Louisiana. Josh and Aly, along with their 3 daughters live in West Monroe, LA.

Intimacy After Breast Cancer - Gina M. Maisano 2009-12-15

Congratulations! You survived breast cancer. You made it through the diagnosis, the surgeries, and the therapies. Everyone you know is

congratulating you---telling you to celebrate and be happy. So why do you feel so alone? While medical professionals prepare you for the physical effects of cancer, they seem to forget about your spirit, your emotions, and your sexuality. How do you put cancer behind you and go back to being the woman you used to be? In Intimacy after Breast Cancer, two-time breast cancer survivor Gina Maisano compassionately discusses this and more in an open, honest way, helping you rediscover the woman you were before your battle with this disease. Part One of this book is about regaining control of your body and your spirit. It examines ways in which you can deal with the emotional and physical scars of breast cancer so that you can regain confidence and self-esteem. Part Two is about reclaiming your sexual self. In candid detail, and addressing both married and single survivors, it explores how you can rediscover your sexuality after breast cancer. Throughout the book, stories contributed by other survivors offer a wealth of personal perspectives and specific examples of physical recovery and emotional healing. Love and intimacy do not have to end because of breast cancer. In Intimacy after Breast Cancer, Gina uses expert advice, scientific research, and firsthand experience to help you make the difficult transition from cancer patient to vibrant, self-confident woman.

Angelic Intervention - Judy Lekic 2014

As Earth continues to grow and evolve, there is a strong urgency to become empowered as a spiritual being. Angelic Intervention reveals detailed methods you can use to personally master your negative beliefs, remove your fears, and resolve the emotions that have kept you from actualizing your goals and potential. In addition to gaining the awareness of how to reconnect to your divine spark, you'll learn how to use the Seven Universal Resources that are unique to you, connect to unconditional love, remove unwanted emotions, change old beliefs, and many more beneficial techniques. You will be introduced to 19 different angels that are here to help you heal mental, physical, emotional, and spiritual problems that you might be facing. These angels all hold a different color and vibration. The vibrational color enables you to change your vibration to a positive level. By working with these wonderful angels

and their energy, you will be able to move negative energy out of your body. This will enable you to move to your natural state of well-being. For anyone wanting to become empowered, Judy details learnable techniques that can enable you to see your true life's purpose. Earth continues to grow and evolve, there is a strong urgency to become empowered as a spiritual being. Angelic Intervention reveals detailed methods you can use to personally master your negative beliefs, remove your fears, and resolve the emotions that have kept you from actualizing your goals and potential. For anyone wanting to become empowered, Judy details learnable techniques that can enable you to see your true life's purpose.

Now What? - Amy Curran Baker 2011-12-14

In 2008, Amy Curran was diagnosed with invasive ductal carcinoma and opted for bilateral mastectomy with Direct to Implant Reconstruction. Within three weeks of being diagnosed she had a mastectomy and was on the road to recovery. But after the surgery she had a lot of questions, the same that most women will have. As an Occupational Therapist, she knew some of the answers from her own clinical training and experience. But many more came from speaking with other women who had undergone mastectomies, from researching message boards, and a little bit of luck. Now she and her co-authors have brought together the answers to the questions that women face in chapters that cover everything from how to prepare for going to the hospital to when you come home Amy and her co-authors answer: Why am I so tired all the time? What about these drains? Should I worry about Lymphedema? Implants or flap procedure? And more Although everyone's experience is slightly different depending upon one's individual choice: mastectomy alone or mastectomy with reconstruction; the majority of the information applies to all women who had a mastectomy. Amy and her co-authors include chapters on key issues all women face including wound management, scar massage,

Healing - Rosalind Benedet 1993

Before and After Cancer Treatment - Julie K. Silver 2015-11

The definitive guide for preparing for—and recovering from—cancer treatment. A twelve-year cancer survivor and oncology rehabilitation specialist, Dr. Julie K. Silver wrote *After Cancer Treatment* to help others recover from the exhaustion and physical devastation that often follow treatment. This new edition of the book, retitled *Before and After Cancer Treatment*, describes improved therapies, better delivery of care, holistic care options, and energetics. In covering the benefits of prehabilitation strategies, which improve physical and emotional strength before beginning therapy, the book adds another dimension to the experience of cancer treatment. Dr. Silver fills this survivor-oriented book with exercise and diet recommendations as well as step-by-step instructions for fighting fatigue, monitoring mood, and overcoming setbacks. Readers are encouraged to set balanced goals, take time to heal, and consult both conventional and alternative medicine. Most people will live for many years after their initial cancer diagnosis—often cured or in remission. Some will live with cancer as a chronic condition. The goal is always to live life to the fullest, which means feeling as strong as possible—physically and emotionally. Dr. Silver recommends daring to dream again and preparing for the future. Wherever they are in their own journey with cancer, readers will find here a personal, practical, and powerful guide to recovery.

Thriving in God's Love - Suzanne Bonner 2018-01-31

Breast cancer is more than a physical disease. It is also an emotional and spiritual disease that affects every part of us: body, soul, and spirit. And while thankfully a great number of women can and will survive cancer, thriving means something far more than this. God always intended for us to thrive, and with His guidance we can more fully heal and begin to thrive in ways we'd forgotten were possible. In *Thriving in God's Love*, author Suzanne Bonner shares her personal story of wholly healing in body, soul, and spirit after surviving thirteen cancerous tumors in her left breast. While walking with other breast-cancer sisters, she uncovered the seven powerful steps of fully healing after treatment. God wants each of us to rebuild a life that is full and rich in all the ways that matter--faith, feelings, family, forgiveness, food, fitness, and fun--and the

tools, tips, and strategies in *Thriving in God's Love* can help breast-cancer survivors find wholeness and completeness in their healing. Join Suzanne as you work through your own journey to wellness in body, soul, and spirit, healing in the ways God provides for us in His Word. The One who made you also dearly loves you, and He wants you to step into the life He's given you in all its fullness! May you thrive into old age, flourishing in the grace He lovingly shows you throughout this walk.

LASIK - Ernest Kornmehl 2006-09-01

If you'd like to improve your vision and reduce or eliminate your need for glasses or contacts, perhaps you're considering LASIK. This procedure has become one of the most popular vision correction surgeries in the nation with 9 million Americans undergoing LASIK procedures annually. But, before you entrust your eyes to a surgeon, make sure you become an informed consumer. In *LASIK—A Guide to Laser Vision Correction*, three ophthalmologists, who together have performed more than 65,000 LASIK procedures, help you understand what the surgery involves. Among the questions they answer: • Are you a candidate for LASIK surgery? • How is LASIK performed? • How much vision improvement you can expect? • How does the new Wavefront technology improve LASIK? • How do you choose a qualified ophthalmologist? • How many procedures should your ophthalmologist have performed? • What are the possible complications? • What follow up care will you need after the surgery? *The Book to Read Before Having LASIK Surgery!*

Breast Cancer Journey - Ruth O'Regan 2013

Presents a guide to coping with the physical and emotional demands of breast cancer treatment and recovery, in an updated edition that covers the latest treatment options, building a support network, and breast reconstruction.

Overcoming Infertility - Gerard M. Honoré 2010

Honoré and Nemiro "explain how doctors reach a diagnosis and they discuss the latest treatments, ranging from ovulation-stimulating drugs to assisted reproductive technologies"--P. [4] of cover.

After Mastectomy - Rosalind Benedet 2003

Offers wisdom and practical advice on the emotional and biological

challenges a woman faces during the post-operation stage of breast cancer, including recovering at home, coping emotionally, and redefining body image. Prosthetics, reconstructive surgery, nutrition, exercise, lymphedema, and follow-up treatment are also discussed.

Living with PCOS - Angela Boss 2012-03-01

Confronting an illness that affects an estimated 10 million American women, this jargon-free reference sheds light on the commonplace ailment of polycystic ovary syndrome (PCOS). The symptoms of this hormonal disorder are explored in detail, including irregular menstrual cycles, excess facial and body hair, weight gain, and adult acne. Identifying the affliction as the leading cause of infertility, this study also investigates the long-term risks of leaving the condition untreated, such as endometrial cancer, diabetes, cardiovascular disease, and stroke. Penned by an expert physician and two women who are living with PCOS, this analysis provides a much-needed examination of an under-reported, under-diagnosed malady. Additional topics covered include causes and triggers, overcoming symptoms, choosing a physician, getting a correct diagnosis, receiving the best medical treatment, infertility and pregnancy complications, and coping with the emotional impact.

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Understanding Your Living Will - Fred Mirarchi 2006-09

Is Your Living Will Compromising Your Safety? If you have a living will, you probably had it prepared so your wishes could be carried out if you became incapable of making your own medical decisions. But, did you realize there is a risk of your living will being misinterpreted? Patients who are not terminally ill die in hospitals every year because of medical staff misinterpretations of living wills. These are patients who would have otherwise lived if treated. But, too often, patients with living wills are treated as DNR--a code status understood by physicians and staff to mean "do not resuscitate." However, in many cases their status should have been "Full Code," which tells those in authority to use aggressive efforts to save patients' lives. Unfortunately, living wills do not contain patient code status designations and therein lies the problem. As an

emergency room physician, Ferdinando L. Mirarchi, D.O. understands how these misinterpretations happen. In "Understanding Your Living Will," Dr. Mirarchi explains how to include lifesaving patient code status information in your living will and in the living wills of your loved ones. Among the questions he answers: - How can you be sure your living will makes your wishes clear? - What are the hidden dangers in living wills? - How can you avoid the misinterpretation of a DNR code status? - When does a living will become active? - Why is it important to have a health care power of attorney? - What is a health care proxy? *A Book to Help You Ensure Your Living Will Follows Your Wishes*

Women of Silence - Grace Gawler 1995-02

A book about breast cancer which discusses the emotional aspects of a woman's life in relation to disease and healing and the practical details of breast cancer management. A cross-section of medical and scientific literature is also presented. Includes a bibliography. The author is a qualified herbalist and general manager of The Gawler Foundation - an international centre, situated in the Yarra Valley in Victoria, which focuses on the wellbeing of people affected by cancer, and supports their partners and families.

Women's Encyclopedia of Health & Emotional Healing - Denise Foley 1993

Discusses breast cancer, contraception, career choices, marriage, pregnancy, menopause, and other topics

Wisdom to Wellness - Maureen Jones 2011-03-16

This book raises probing questions meant to pierce your assumptions and change your paradigm on the way to heal all disease. Written with compassion and clarity, Maureen Jones's healing technique *Modus Operandi* provides a deep understanding of what sparks disease and how it can be healed. For anyone who wants to free themselves from the shackles of disease, this book reveals a brave new approach that has helped people get better without drugs or surgery. Using case studies featuring both celebrities and ordinary people, Maureen Jones shows how to tap into the power of unconditional love to build pathways through stress and open hearts and minds. Soul-based work represents

such an amazing shift that the entire medical world should perk up and take notice. This book should be on the desk of every healer and indeed in every home.

New Fibromyalgia Remedy - Daniel Dantini 2012-02-01

Debilitating pain and tenderness in muscles, ligaments, and tendons are the typical symptoms of fibromyalgia, and this guide by a medical researcher of the disease dismisses traditional treatment—heat, exercise, and rest—in favor of antiviral medications that often provide immediate relief and eventual complete recovery. Offering new hope for advances in treatment, the discussion covers the difficulty of diagnosing fibromyalgia, the overlaps with chronic fatigue syndrome, the unrelatedness of arthritis, and the possibility that food allergies may trigger attacks. Patient success stories along the way encourage readers while data samples, references, and appendices provide clinical details.

Bariatric Plastic Surgery - Thomas B. McNemar 2008-09

William Lydiatt, M.D. and Perry Johnson, M.D., have worked with hundreds of mouth and throat cancer patients. They understand the emotional turmoil patients and their families go through after a cancer diagnosis, and they know how being informed can relieve some of that stress. Topics covered in this book include how early detection leads to high cure rates; symptoms that could mean cancer; the emotional side of the cancer; how doctors make a diagnosis; staging the cancer and why it is so important; surgery, radiation, and chemotherapy-how they kill cancer; reconstructive surgery; and experiment.

The Holistic Approach to Breast Cancer - Christina Grant 2013-05-24

Dr. Christina Grant's *The Holistic Approach to Breast Cancer* explores the physical, emotional, mental, and spiritual disharmony at the root of breast disease, offering timely, practical suggestions and methods for healing. Dr. Grant weaves her own story, along with stories of others who've healed on deep levels, to encourage and support you to see yourself as a sacred, holistic being. She asks you to listen to the underlying messages that come with breast cancer so you can thrive beyond it. With Dr. Grant's easy, relatable style, you'll be gently led to heal and strengthen yourself in body, mind, and spirit. Workbook-style

sections allow you to Take a Moment for Yourself to reflect and deepen the inquiry. This is a wonderful guide for every woman who has experienced a diagnosis of breast cancer or wants to prevent one, and for women who want to claim responsibility for their own health and wellbeing. Discover more about: Creating a healthier cellular environment in your body Boosting your immunity (and why it's important) What foods are best for healing Protecting yourself from toxins Using the power of your mind to heal Balancing your inner emotional world Connecting to your Higher Self What subtle energies are and how they can help you recover and maintain your health Food supplements and vitamins for optimum breast health Plus, many helpful resources In *The Holistic Approach to Breast Cancer*, Dr. Christina Grant shows women they can recover their health and strength after a diagnosis of breast cancer, as well as become more centered, balanced, and inwardly content.

Overcoming Postpartum Depression and Anxiety - Linda Sebastian 1998 Every year nearly 400,000 women—approximately 15% of all new mothers—face postpartum disorders. Postpartum depression is the most common complication of pregnancy, yet few understand it or are prepared to deal with it. This book examines the causes of treatment for postpartum depression. Topics covered include: The Unexpected and the Unknown, The Roller Coaster of Postpartum Blues, Postpartum Anxiety Disorders, The Spectrum of Postpartum Depression, Navigating the Mental Health System, Understanding the Use of Medication, For Fathers and Families, and Looking Ahead.

Countdown to Baby - Susan Warhus 2003-10-01

9...8...7...6...5...4...3...2...1... Delivery! One of life's brightest moments is fast approaching—you are about to become a mother! You'll enter the magical world of rubber duckies, booties, and lullabies, and your heart will never be the same. But before all the fun of caring for your child begins, you need answers to all the lingering questions you have about pregnancy and childbirth. In *Countdown to Baby*, Dr. Susan Warhus answers your questions and provides the facts you need to make well-informed decisions during your pregnancy. A board-certified OB/GYN

who has delivered more than 3,000 babies in her 15 years of clinical practice, Dr. Warhus is also a mother who knows first hand the many questions that expectant mothers have throughout their pregnancy. Whether you have questions about your treating swollen feet, painting the nursery, taking medications, or traveling across the country, Dr. Susan's clear, concise responses, will make you feel knowledgeable and confident. Dr. Warhus answers questions such as: • What changes in diet, exercise, and lifestyle do I need to make during my pregnancy? • How do I cope with morning sickness? • Should I be considering a doula or midwife? • What can I expect to happen during my prenatal visits? What will my prenatal visits be like? • How will I know when it's time to go to the hospital for delivery? • What are the three phases of labor? • What happens at the hospital before and during delivery? • Why are C-sections performed? • What are my pain management options? All recommendations, guidelines, and medical information are in complete agreement with those sanctioned by the prestigious American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists. *The Book to Read as You Prepare for Childbirth!!*

Body Contouring Surgery After Weight Loss - Jeffrey Sebastian
2016-05-30

Generously filled with insightful and practical advice, this guidebook to cosmetic surgery after dramatic weight loss helps readers locate the right doctor, address concerns about complications and side effects, and understand the benefits to having surgery. Experts answer such common questions as What kind of results can be anticipated? How many surgeries are necessary? and What kind of fees and insurance coverage can be expected?

The Breast Reconstruction Guidebook - Kathy Steligo 2017-08

The definitive guide to breast reconstruction. Since 2002, The Breast Reconstruction Guidebook has been the best resource on this topic for women who have had a mastectomy. Equal parts science and support, it is filled with stories that illustrate the emotional and physical components of breast reconstruction. Kathy Steligo, a gifted writer and breast cancer survivor who has twice had breast reconstruction,

compassionately answers women's questions about how they will respond emotionally and physically to losing a breast, whether to treat or prevent breast cancer. Steligo provides detailed descriptions of the various surgical options for mastectomy and reconstruction, as well as information on choosing and paying for a surgeon, preparing for and recovering from surgery, and handling the many practical details and difficult decisions women will face along the way. A road map of the mastectomy and reconstruction journey, this book gives women the comprehensive, unbiased details they need to make their own informed decisions about whether reconstruction—and which reconstructive option—is right for them. Readers learn how breasts can be recreated using implants or their own tissue and the advantages and disadvantages of each option. Surgery timelines, recovery, and potential problems (and how they can be resolved) are also explained. A new foreword by Dr. Minas Chrysopoulo, MD, of the PRMA Plastic Surgery Center for Advanced Breast Reconstruction, highlights the book's strengths and offers a medical perspective on breast cancer and reconstructive surgery. The extensively updated text includes new discussions of • innovative reconstructive procedures • contralateral mastectomy • the benefits and limitations of nipple- and areola-sparing mastectomies • nipple delay procedure • patient-controlled tissue expansion • cohesive gel silicone implants • microsurgical advances that improve tissue flap procedures • fat grafting • nipple reconstruction • nipple and areola tattooing • reconstruction with the BRAVA system • pregnancy after TRAM • male mastectomy and reconstruction • decision making and solving cosmetic and medical post-op problems • surgical procedures that reduce the risk of cancer • the latest research data on mastectomy and reconstruction • and much more

Fit After 50 - Ruth K. Wassinger 2008-04

Written by a woman who began running marathons at 50 years old, this inspirational guide describes the physical, mental, and emotional benefits of exercise. It confronts the problem of obesity today--nearly 60 percent of Americans are overweight--and emphasizes that weight control becomes an even greater challenge with age. But as this

handbook asserts, it's never too late to get fit. In nine easy-to-follow steps, the mechanics of an exercise program are clearly explained to help fitness first-timers devise their own regimens and become healthier in all areas of life.

Women's Bodies, Women's Wisdom - Christiane Northrup 2010

Demonstrates the synergy of physical and spiritual healing through the use of herbal medicine and other alternative methods that complement a doctor's care.

You Can Heal Yourself - Julie Silver, M.D. 2012-01-31

How to heal faster, better, and stronger during recovery from a serious illness or injury—a Harvard doctor's complete recovery plan When people are seriously ill or injured, they receive immediate and often life-sustaining treatment. Then at some point they are usually left to their own devices to "finish" healing. At the time that patients are discharged from treatment or their doctors tell them, "I don't have anything else I can offer you," they are often shifted into a zone where they are better than at their sickest point, but not as healthy as they once were. This zone, between illness and good health, is where rehabilitation specialists focus. Dr. Silver calls this area of medicine, where physiatrists work, The Healing Zone. This is the place where doctors are most concerned with physical and emotional healing after an injury or illness. Our bodies are amazing in their capacity to heal, however, people can be taught how to heal faster, better, and stronger, both physically and emotionally. *You Can Heal Yourself* offers the strategies needed to achieve optimal healing.

Overcoming Urinary Incontinence - Clay N. Boyd 2012-02-01

Addressing the most commonly asked questions about incontinence, this accessible reference discusses causes, types of incontinence, and how the condition is diagnosed. The wide range of treatment options is introduced, from pelvic floor therapy and bladder training to electrical stimulation, medications, and surgeries. Eleven million women in the U.S. are coping with urinary incontinence—half of whom are too embarrassed to discuss the matter with their doctors—and this guidebook provides encouragement, showing that in more than 80

percent of cases, treatment can improve or even cure the problem.

Overcoming Metabolic Syndrome - Scott Isaacs, MD, FACP, FACE 2005-11-01

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Who Is the Main Person on Your Medical Team Now? It is you. Prior to leaving the hospital, you were at the center of a flurry of activity, surrounded by a busy health care team &- physicians, surgeons, and nurses. The surgery is over now, and you're home. It is quiet. Now, you become the most important member on your health care team. Author Rosalind Benedet understands the concerns and questions you now have as you begin this phase of your recovery. An oncology nurse, she has worked with hundreds of women who have undergone mastectomies. In *After Mastectomy*, she gently guides you through recovery, both physically and emotionally. Among the many topics she covers: &• Adjusting emotionally and overcoming depression &• Choosing a breast form and undergarments &• Follow-up treatment &- chemotherapy, hormonal therapy, and radiation &• Reconstruction options &• Resuming sexual relations &• Preventing lymphedema &- swelling of the arm &• Exercises to regain arm mobility and increase energy &• Optimum nutrition for healing *Your Guide to What Happens After Your Surgery*

Stronger Than Before - Alison Porter 2021-10-19

A much-needed book for the modern readership, providing support and guidance for every stage of the breast cancer journey, written by a breast-cancer survivor. Welcome to your breast cancer self-care bible.

Stronger Than Before is the book Alison Porter went looking for when she first learned she had breast cancer. It's a practical handbook to guide you - and your friends and family - through every stage of the illness, from early diagnosis to treatment choices, and ultimately to a life beyond cancer. In this book, you'll discover: the different types of breast cancer, what to ask your doctor and how to make the choices that are right for you self-help techniques on every level - physical, emotional, mental and spiritual - to support you through treatment and recovery how to view your illness as a catalyst for post-traumatic growth, and move on with your life with greater meaning and purpose your options for reconstruction and how to maintain a cancer-preventative lifestyle advice for friends and family, so they can be truly helpful in how they offer you support Written by a breast cancer survivor and thriver, Stronger Than Before contains invaluable information, guidance and tips, as well as tools and techniques to help you emerge from this life-changing experience healthier, more purposeful and stronger than before. From TI 9781788171601 TR.

Breast Cancer - Lucille M. Pederson 1995

A supportive, self-help manual on breast cancer. This book provides important information on detecting breast cancer, dealing with it physically and emotionally, and surviving it. Fears, truths, remedies, and alternatives are presented, weighed, and evaluated from perspectives of doctors, nurses, patients, families, and experts. Issues such as insurance, physical changes, family stress, recovery, and death are discussed frankly and openly. The work includes valuable appendices including a glossary of terms, suggestions for further reading, questions to ask doctors, tips on assisting those with serious illness, and a patient's bill of rights. This book is a helpful guide to detecting breast cancer, dealing with it physically and emotionally, and surviving it. Pederson and Trigg have drawn on their own experiences with cancer patients to provide frank discussions of the physiological and psychological aspects of breast cancer. Fears, truths, remedies, and alternatives are presented, weighed, and evaluated from the perspectives of doctors, nurses, patients, families, and friends. Issues such as insurance, physical changes, family

stress, recovery, and death are discussed in language accessible to the general reader. The work includes valuable appendices including a glossary of terms, suggested reading, questions to ask doctors, tips on assisting those with serious illness, and a patient's bill of rights.

A Simple Guide to Thyroid Disorders - Paul Ruggieri 2003-09-01

Do You Have a Thyroid Disorder? If your doctor has told you that you have a thyroid disorder, perhaps you feel some relief in having pinpointed the source of your troublesome symptoms. As you may know, thyroid ailments often elude a diagnosis since they may mimic other illnesses. Now that you have a diagnosis, becoming informed will help you receive better health care. The authors, specialists in thyroid treatment, can help you understand both the complex function of your thyroid and how your disorder can best be treated. In A Simple Guide to Thyroid Disorders, they take special care to lay out the basics in a reader-friendly way. Among the topics they discuss: · medical tests you need to diagnose thyroid problems · hypothyroidism...symptoms and treatment · hyperthyroidism...symptoms and treatment · coping with emotional highs and lows · dealing with thyroid-related weight problems · medications and surgeries for thyroid disorders · thyroid nodules and cancers A Simple Guide to a Complex Disorder

Mindset for Healing - Tirtzah Sandor 2018-07-26

"Mindset for Healing: A Profound Yet Simple Plan to See Healing from a New Perspective" is for anyone who needs to heal-whether healing mind, body or spirit. It is about: - Keeping it short and simple so you are able to digest the information and take it one step at a time. - Choosing to take a different path towards healing. - Creating and working from a new healing mindset. - Finding ways to change your perspective about what healing is. It's a simple ten-step plan to help you move more easily through your healing journey. For those with a medical dis-ease, it's about working with the medical community, yet not letting them unilaterally dictate treatment. In "Mindset for Healing" you will travel on a journey of healing from the inside out. Within these pages you will find information that can be immediately put to use for both physical, emotional and spiritual healing. Written in easy to digest and implement

step-by-step chapters, this profound, yet simple ten-step healing plan may be followed from beginning to end or taken in tiny, daily, random doses. Use this book as a metaphor for a new perspective and mindset. Allow the pages to share their wisdom in whatever way seems right. Know that this book is in your hands right now for a reason! "Mindset for Healing" is a gift. Every word comes from a special place in Tirtzah Sandor's soul. She didn't just write the words; she lived them and continues to live them every single day. While the book was written as she continued her recovery from breast cancer, the steps she describes in poignant detail can be applied to any adversity, and, in fact, any phase of life. The book encompasses the mindset Tirtzah has used to approach her marriage, parenthood, professional career, friendships, illness and so on. Tirtzah approaches life with a loving heart, a generous soul and a remarkable calm. You'll want a copy of "Mindset for Healing" for yourself and those you love dearly. Jodi Krizer Graber Bravo! Wellness www.bravowellness.com

Cancer Healed Naturally - Danielle Wotherspoon 2018-07-10

The aim of my healing journey was not only to lengthen my life but also to have quality of life, even while I was in the process of healing. I was diagnosed in January 2009 with breast cancer which had metastasized into one of the lymph nodes under my arm. I was told by the doctor, I had probably 5 years to live if I did not undertake the conventional treatment of chemotherapy and radiation. After witnessing the effects of chemotherapy in my mom, I was reluctant to follow the same treatment. After researching the pros and cons of alternate treatment, I made the decision to set out on a journey less travelled. I was determined to live . My son was only 15 years old and I didn't want him to grow up without a mother. I had to search hard to gain understanding of what it would take to restore health in my body. I discovered that to heal cancer naturally, a holistic approach has to be taken. I learned that I needed to give attention to not only the body but also the mind (emotions), soul and spirit. It was very important for me to realise that cancer is as a result of a compromised immune system and to overcome it, this would need to be rectified. Through this journey, I achieved more than just physical

healing. I also experience a tremendous amount of self growth and emotional healing. I can truly say that at 61 I am more energetic and comfortable in my body and mind now, than I was at 45. In this book I share every step of the healing process in detail. Furthermore, the healing modalities that I used are accompanied by research, citations and scientific studies. Some of the healing modalities discussed in the book are:

To Whom It May Concern... in the Struggle - Nadia Dunlap 2011-05-01

This book is a must read for anyone who may have been, or knows someone who is heartbroken and wants to heal and doesn't know how to heal. The complexity of pain has no name, no boundaries and has no respect for any person. Emotional pain doesn't and for permission or care about your background or economic standing. Pain invites itself in all of our lives at one point or another. Yet, by holding this book, you have made the first crucial step towards self-healing. You have decided to look beyond the present and imagine your life as you want it to be "To whom it may concern" is an emotionally charged book full of motivating stories that were written for all shattered hearts and the never ending tears of people all around the world. For the lost, the confused and for those who feel they can't make it another day. This book is especially for you: Yes, there is someone who understands, who cares and wants you to heal and see you never go through these experiences or situations again. This book exposes all hurts, open and closed wounds, through such a deeply emotional narrative, that you will be able to identify with each and every story within. Whatever your pain, within these pages you will find the source of hope and discover the healing in transparency - raw emotions, the almost physical sense of pain and loss - that will help you open the door that has kept your struggles hidden for far too long. Supported by alarming statistics and the signs for certain behaviors and patterns that will help you recognize that your path has been walked many times before, but can have a happy ending. Upon reading these stories, you will find the courage to say no, call for help, quit an improper lifestyle or just find the will to love yourself, maybe for the first time. We only have one life to live and deserve to happy in this life. Let "To whom

it may concern" help you heal from every hurt and pain that lies deep inside your heart. Read this book today.... It will change your tomorrow for forever.

Overcoming Prescription Drug Addiction - Rod Colvin 2008-06-01

This newly revised third edition delves into the most widely abused narcotic in the U.S.—prescription drugs. The book offers help to those

suffering from this type of addiction as well as their families. The topics discussed include dynamics of addiction and the newest treatment options, who is at risk for addiction, why more teens are abusing prescription drugs, the symptoms of withdrawal, and methods of intervention for family members. Personal stories from addicts who describe their journeys into recovery are also included.