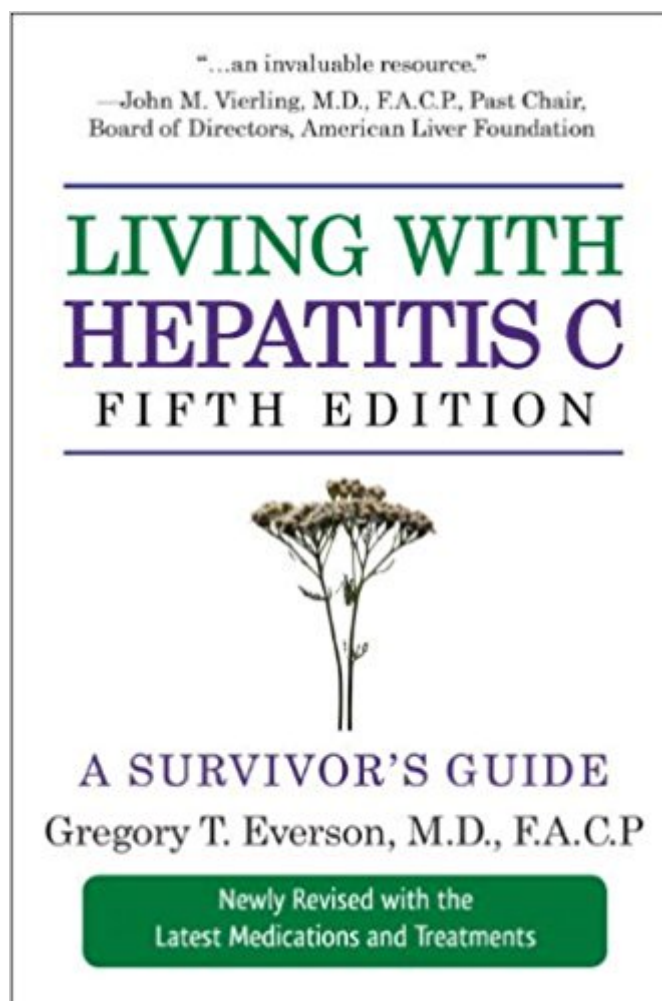


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# Living With Hepatitis C, Fifth Edition: A Survivor's Guide



## Synopsis

The Most Trusted Resource and Reference for Millions of Americans Living with Hepatitis C was the first book to explain in everyday language the causes of this disease, its major and minor symptoms, and all of the latest treatments available. Researchers have continued to make dramatic strides in helping the millions of Americans who suffer from Hepatitis C since the book's first publication, and each new edition has kept up with the most recent findings. The latest revised Living With Hepatitis C, Fifth Edition includes cutting-edge information on:

- \* New treatments including pegylated and consensus interferons
- \* Living-donor transplants
- \* Co-infections with Hepatitis B and HIV/AIDS
- \* Promising new clinical trials of protease and polymerase inhibitors
- \* New maintenance therapies, an expanded and updated resource section, ways to avoid infection, and much more

Living with Hepatitis C, Fifth Edition is still the "gold standard" resource and reference for those who must endure this disease. It offers guidance and answers for those infected by the virus--and for their spouses, families, and friends.

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"...an invaluable resource." - John M. Vierling, M.D., F.A.C.P., Past Chair, Board of Directors, American Liver Foundation

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This near-classic is in its 5th edition. Living with Hepatitis C is written for the general hepatitis C audience and needs to be updated to include the latest treatments. Only a small percentage of the book discusses hepatitis C treatment. Three chapters address nutritional, emotional and financial self-care for the hepatitis C patient, but none specifically for patients during treatment. This book is a good starter book for those looking for general information, with the caveat that the book is not quite up-to-date.

It has been very helpful in trying to understand the different types of hepatitis and what can be done and what is available. At the same time you really need to work with your Doctor because it also can be confusing. And it does scare you! More people should have a true meaning of Hepatitis. It can take your life away. and if you do or are able to get the help you need it still takes your life away for a while. Thanks to the author

This book may be of more use to someone just diagnosed, who is currently not experiencing any real complications yet. Be aware that the changes in the treatment options is a dynamic affair, and changes so quickly that anything published over 6 months ago is probably not current. Any publication of this type must be considered as "general" and dated. I would not, personally, recommend this book, or any others like it. It is not that they are not adequate, it is simply because they cannot be current for more than a few months. Just be aware. This is an insidious disease and it manifests itself differently in everyone it touches. One size simply does not fit all.

Very informative but I would not say that I love it. The author is a renowned writer on this particular subject. Well done, but she needs to write another book with more current research information.

very informational and recommend4 newpatients.

This book covered a lot of issues for me. Living with disease is hard and with this book I can understand it a lot better.thank you.

A very informative and well-written book--I would say a "must read" for anyone with HCV or anyone

giving support to a family member or friend with HCV.

This is a great resource for those who have Hepatitis C; It has a wealth of info, and is a must for anyone who has or knows someone with Hep C. Great Book!

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