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?This book contributes much information to assist in understanding diseases encountered by travelers. It is a valuable reference on tropical and travel medicine and is especially important to clinicians managing ill travelers.? (*Emerging Infectious Diseases*, November 2009)

From the Back Cover

"In the globally connected world of the 21st Century, the lines of travel and tropical medicine are blurred. Immigrants and refugees, displaced and discarded in their own world, may turn up on your doorstep in the first world as tropical medicine patients, whereas soldiers and humanitarian workers may present in the developing world with clinical presentations confusing to those used to caring for local populations. The same infectious agent can lead to dramatically different diseases, depending on the background immunity of the host, access to timely care, and the pathogen load in the body. This book will help us all to see the differences."

- Alan Magill MD, FACP, FIDSA, Director, Division of Experimental Therapeutics, Walter Reed Army Institute of Research; President, International Society of Travel Medicine (ISTM), 2009-2011

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