

History of Medicine – Bibliography for the Course

The following articles, books, edited collections, podcasts and websites are provided as a resource for those taking the 15-day history of medicine course run by the Society of Apothecaries. They are suggestions for further reading on the subjects covered and are provided to encourage independent reading and research on topics that may be of particular interest. **They are not a required reading list.** For a selection of introductory sources on the history of medicine please see the pdf **Core Reading Suggestions**.

The listed sources reflect the course's introductory nature, the number of lectures on a given topic, its target audience and British focus. Participants will also find that many lecturers provide more specialised reading suggestions on their subject areas and these can be found in the Course Booklet and Lecture Synopses. This list is intended to guide participants want further resources on a particular specialty, time period or theme and enable them to feel confident to carry out their own research for personal or professional satisfaction.

General Reading: History of Medicine

Mark Jackson, *The History of Medicine: A Beginners Guide* (London: One World, 2014).

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The Making of Modern Medicine by Andrew Cunningham. 30 episodes exploring 2,000 years of the history of western medicine, available from the Radio 4 website, all thirty parts at <https://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/b00k9b7r>

Studying History and the History of Medicine

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Penelope Corfield and Tim Hitchcock, *Becoming an Historian: An Informal Guide* (London: Institute of Historical Research, 2022). Free PDF available at

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Accessing Journal Articles online - JSTOR

More information on how to access research resources is provided during the course, but, if you don't have institutional library access, JSTOR is a great resource to sign up to. Up to 100 journal articles are available to read free online a month if you register. Some material is available to download as PDFs. Register at www.jstor.org/register. Articles from the last few years are generally not available but JSTOR includes access to journals including *Bulletin of the History of Medicine* (1939-2016), *Isis* (1913-2016), *Pharmacy in History* (1959-2020), *Social History* (1976-2014), *Economic History Review* (1927-2016), *British Medical Journal* (1857-1980) plus Book Chapters from Brill.

Egyptian Medicine

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Rosalie David, *The Manchester Museum Mummy Project* (Manchester Museum, Manchester, 1979).

Rosalie David, *Egyptian Mummies and Modern Science* (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2008, paperback ed. 2014).

Rosalie David and Eileen Murphy (eds.), *The Life and Times of Takabuti in Egypt: Investigating the Belfast Mummy* (Liverpool: Liverpool University Press, 2021).

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Greek and Roman Medicine

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Medicine in the Islamic World

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