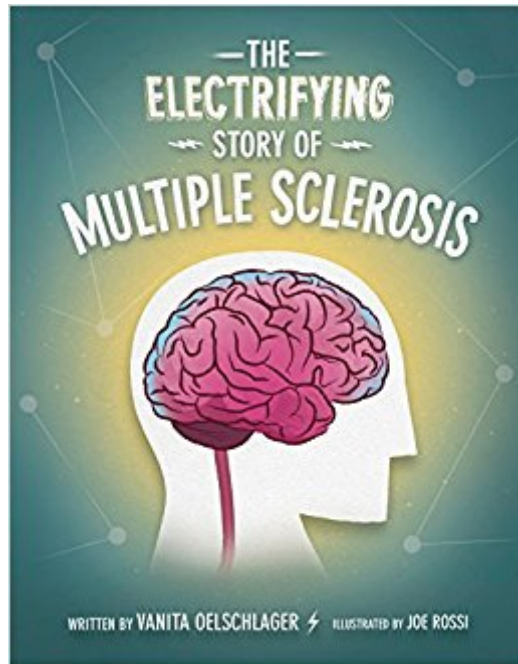




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Synopsis

Because Multiple Sclerosis is a disease that someone will live with for years, or even decades, it is important for family and friends to understand what the person is going through and learn how to give support. Multiple Sclerosis used to be feared because it was so unpredictable and doctors knew very little in how to treat it. Thanks to good research and great doctors, people can live with MS even though there is not a cure yet. The Electrifying Story of Multiple Sclerosis is written to help people understand what it feels like to have the disease, how to help, and what symptoms people feel.

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Customer Reviews

I highly recommend this book to anyone who's interested in explaining MS to family members, and/or understanding it better yourself. The illustrations are scientific & engaging, and the text clear. You can read as little or as much as you want. My 6 yr old is fascinated by it & has been thinking of all kinds of ideas for healing & preventing MS.

The Electrifying Story of Multiple Sclerosis helps make the disease more understandable. The illustrations explain the disease with "word pictures". The book helped me to get a clear understanding of MS, a disease that we hear so much about. Often we give little thought to what people actually have to go through when they have a disease. The book helped me to have

empathy for those with MS. How wonderful that all the net profits from the book go to the cause.

A very simple but informative explanation of what it's like to live with MS. Simple enough for a young person to understand.

Great to help explain the disease to kids or anyone that needs to keep things basic. Great illustrations and "it kinda feels like" examples are spot on.

I have a friend with MS, and before reading this book I understood very little about it. The author does an excellent job of explaining the disease in a simple way, both through definition, explaining what the disease does, and listing the symptoms through eye catching illustrations of each one. She also tells how MS is treated and what it feels like to live with it. I love that she donates a portion of the proceeds to those affected by MS and ends the book with suggestions on how to help someone who has it. All in all it was an excellent read. I gave it four stars instead of five because of a grammar error - in the segment about the bladder the illustration reads, "But YOUR empty" instead of "But YOU'RE empty." Pet peeve of mine.... That aside it was an excellent read that helps even a child understand a bit more about this disease. Well done. I received a complementary copy of the book in exchange for an honest review.

[...]**I received a free copy of this book in exchange for an honest review.**Filled with informational, colorful, and easy to understand visuals, this book by Vanita Oelschlager explains what it is like to have multiple sclerosis. It even includes 'experiments' for people unaffected by the disease to try so they can better understand some of the symptoms. As someone with a family member who has multiple sclerosis, I gained insight into some of the daily struggles and uncertainties MS can bring. This book would be excellent for a child who has a loved one with MS. I read this book easily in one sitting. A child around second or third grade could easily read it on his or her own; however, it would also be appropriate for those younger with an adult to help them understand. Overall, this book is a valuable tool and I would highly recommend it to anybody wanting to learn more about multiple sclerosis.

This is such a wonderful book. It explains MS in way that children will also be able to read and understand. It was very informative. I learnt quite a few things. The artwork is wonderful and enhances the reading experience. Highly recommended to those who have friends and family

suffering from this disease. The author is also donating a percentage of the booksales to research. Thank you Netgalley and the publisher for providing me with the opportunity to read and review this book.

As someone who has MS the information in the book was not new to me. However, this book lays out a lot of things that most people wonder about regarding the disease. It is explained in very simple terms and should be helpful for both adults and children. I would imagine that this would be particularly helpful for younger people as it has a section in the back about how to put yourself in situations to 'simulate' what certain symptoms could feel like so that you have a better understanding of some of the challenges people with MS may experience. Though a medical article may be more effective for some people, they can be taxing and difficult to get through for many. This book is easy to read and understand, plus there are illustrations which should help with a younger audience.

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