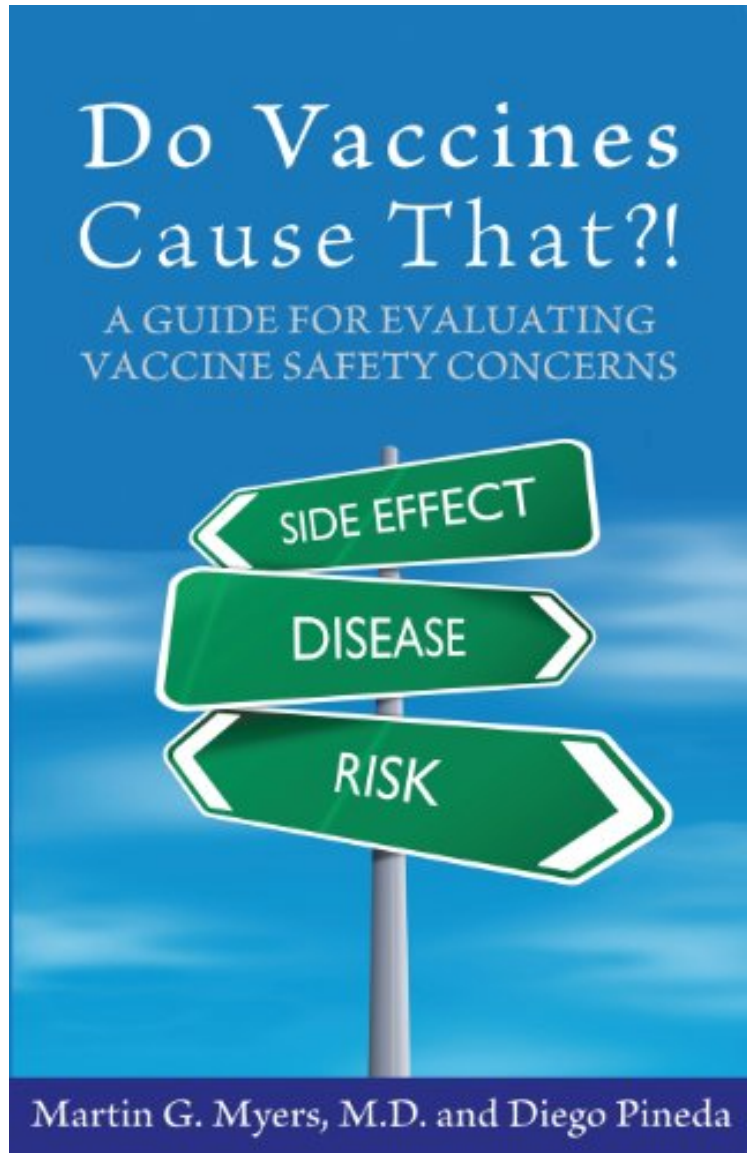


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- * Recognize red flags that should raise alarms about vaccine-related information you read in the media.
- * Determine whether or not a vaccine is the cause of an adverse event or disease.
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