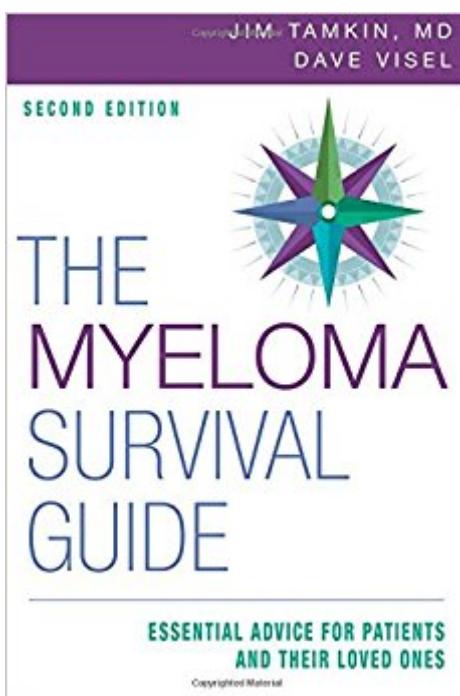


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# The Myeloma Survival Guide: Essential Advice For Patients And Their Loved Ones, Second Edition (Volume 2)



## Synopsis

The Myeloma Survival Guide makes sense of the difficult questions myeloma patients face, dealing with every aspect of life after diagnosis, from creating a wellness team to navigating treatment options to building a financial safety net. Jim Tamkin, MD, who lived with myeloma for 11 years, and Dave Visel share the insights they've gained as a doctor, patient, and caregiver, including:

- Everything you need to know about drugs and treatments, including stem cell transplants
- How to deal with the pain and side effects of chemotherapy, radiation, and surgery
- Insurance and tax benefits to save money and get you the care you deserve
- Take-charge tools you can use today to feel better tomorrow

The second edition has been thoroughly updated and includes a new chapter on pills and medical adherence.

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"James Tamkin, MD, FACP, FACE lived with myeloma for eleven years. He co-founded the TBA

(Their Best Advice) Foundation with Dave Visel in 2009 to provide myeloma patients with the resources they need to cope with the disease. He worked as an internist and endocrinologist in Los Angeles until his death in March 2011. "Dave Visel, is co-founder of the TBA Foundation and author of Living with Cancer: A Practical Guide. He is a retired advertising copywriter and marketing executive, and is a caregiver to his wife, Karen, who has lymphoma. They live in Los Angeles."

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