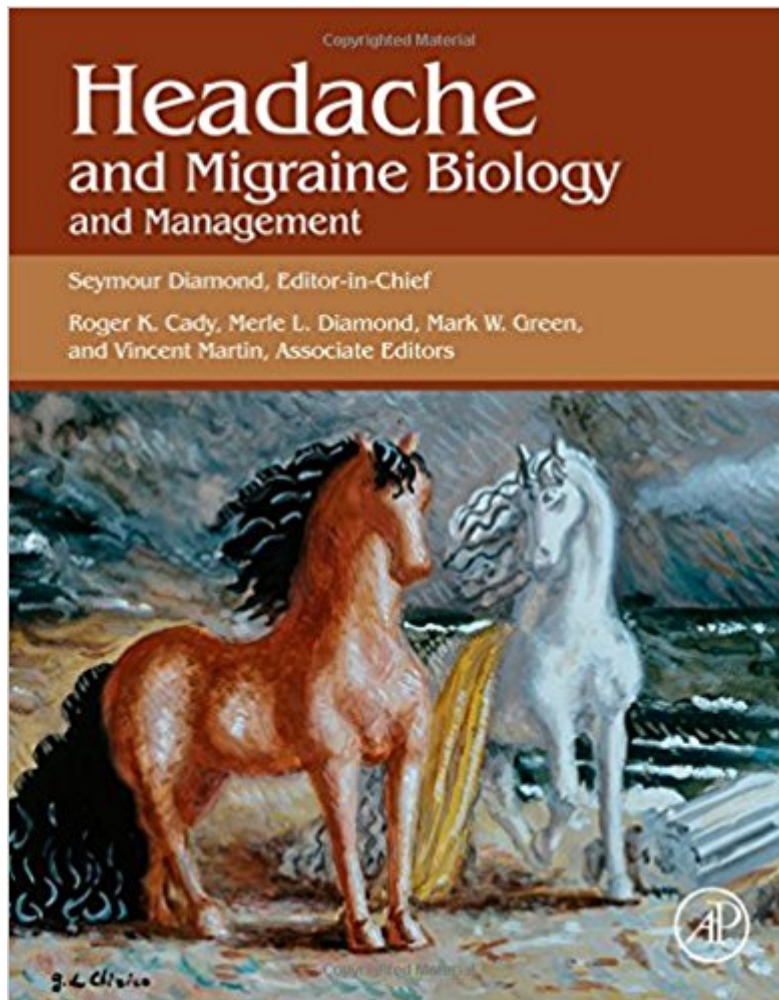




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# Headache And Migraine Biology And Management



## Synopsis

There are two crucial issues in the treatment and management of headache patients: More than 50% of individuals experiencing headache have only been treated symptomatically, with no appropriate diagnosis established; and history and neurologic examination are essential to establishing a diagnosis, and thus selecting appropriate therapy. Headache and Migraine Biology and Management is a practical text that addresses these issues, featuring contributions from expert clinical authors. The book covers in detail topics including chronic and episodic migraine, post-traumatic headache, sinus headache, cluster headache, tension headache, and others. Chapters are also dedicated to treatment subjects, including psychiatric and psychological approaches, medication overuse, inpatient treatment, and pediatric issues. This book is an ideal resource for researchers and clinicians, uniting practical discussion of headache biology, current ideas on etiology, future research, and genetic significance and breakthroughs. This resource is useful to those who want to understand headache biology, treat and manage symptoms, and for those performing research in the headache field. A practical discussion of headache biology, current ideas on etiology, future research, and genetic significance and breakthroughs. Features chapters from leading physicians and researchers in headache medicine. Full-color text that includes both an overview of multiple disciplines and discusses the measures that can be used to treat headaches.

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"...a comprehensive and thorough review of up-to-date scientific and clinical research and experience – a valuable resource for those involved in managing patients with these disorders as well as for those who want to get a greater understanding of headaches in general. Score: 91 - 4 Stars" --Doody's

In the treatment and management of headache patients, two important issues are crucial: 1) More than 50% of individuals experiencing headache have only been treated symptomatically, with no appropriate diagnosis established. And 2) History and neurologic examination are essential to establishing a diagnosis and thus, selecting appropriate therapy. Many of these individuals have never consulted a physician for their headache problem. Another issue is that extensive testing and scanning may have been undertaken but without clearly identifying the diagnosis. Finally, many patients with headache have not received a continuity of care, which is the linchpin on successful management of headache and prevention of chronification of this problem. The lack of correct diagnoses, symptomatic treatment in a majority of patients, and the absence of continuity of care have made headache management a global health problem. Headache and Migraine Biology and Management will be a practical text, based on clinical experience of the contributing authors who are considered leaders in headache medicine. It should serve as a "working text" and a resource for researchers and clinicians who can continually return to its pages for sound information. To do this, this volume will feature a practical discussion of headache biology, current ideas on etiology, future research, and genetic significance and breakthroughs. By bringing together these topics, the first edition of Headache and Migraine Biology and Management will serve as a reference for clinicians and researchers alike who are interested in understanding headache biology, treating and managing symptoms, and for those performing research in the headache field.

Expected more from such a well known author but as usual most of the book is written by people who are not well known. Very weak on new therapies or new ideas. Essentially an expensive review book. I probably would not buy it again if I have the opportunity again.

Good book.

Concise information for a niche market.

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