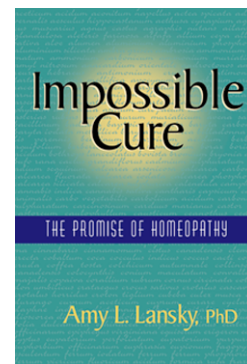


Praise for  
*Impossible Cure: The Promise of Homeopathy*  
by Amy L. Lansky, PhD



“Many of the greatest advances in science and medicine begin as observations that don't fit in. Homeopathy – the ‘impossible cure’ – is just that sort of challenge. Amy Lansky is a skilled guide to the world of homeopathy, and she dispels much of the mystery surrounding this form of therapy. *Impossible Cure* is a valuable insight for anyone wishing to know more about homeopathy and how it may fit into their search for health.”

- **Larry Dossey, MD**

Executive Editor, *Alternative Therapies in Health and Medicine*

Author: *Healing Beyond the Body, Reinventing Medicine, and Healing Words*

“By writing *Impossible Cure*, author Amy Lansky has accomplished a (nearly) impossible task: provide a clear, comprehensible, and compelling exposition of homeopathy. Her autistic son's remarkable response to homeopathic treatment motivated computer scientist Lansky to bring the long-neglected science of homeopathy to public attention. She has succeeded admirably. *Impossible Cure* is timely, informative, and remarkably reader friendly. An excellent, must-read book. Highly recommended!”

- **Bernard Rimland, PhD**

Director, Autism Research Institute; Founder, Autism Society of America

“[*Impossible Cure*] is the finest general introduction to homeopathy I've yet read... [Lansky's] writing is magnificently crafted, and all her facts and figures are as straight as can be. She weaves together a seamless exposition about homeopathy – what it is, how it developed, what research exists, and with it gives us her personal journey of discovery... I have a goodly number of ‘homeopathic introductions’ in my library. Many are just rehashes of the same old stuff. A few really do ‘step out’ and present the material in a new way. This book takes the furthest step – in part because it is the most recent and can draw upon the latest thinking and research – but also because the author drew on the experiences of many people to help her and coupled that with her excellence as a word crafter. This book should be read by everyone interested in homeopathy, from the rank beginner to the seasoned professional. It has something new in it for everyone – no matter which level they are on.”

- **Julian Winston**

Editor, *Homeopathy Today* (USA); Editor, *Homeopathy NewZ* (New Zealand)

Author: *The Faces of Homeopathy* and *The Heritage of Homeopathic Literature*

“An accessible guide to one of the most mysterious of healing arts.”

- **Wayne B. Jonas, MD**

Director, Samueli Institute; Former director, Office of Alternative Medicine, NIH

“Amy Lansky watched in disbelief as homeopathy did the impossible – cured her son, Max, of autism. She delved into the controversial therapy and has become an articulate, passionate advocate for the healing art most physicians continue to dismiss as ‘impossible.’ Her book is filled with a mother's love and a scientist's skepticism. The result is one of the best introductions to homeopathy I've seen. Two thumbs up for *Impossible Cure: The Promise of Homeopathy*.”

- **Michael Castleman**

Author: *The Healing Herbs, The New Healing Herbs, Nature's Cures, Blended Medicine*, and other consumer health books

“Homeopathy is *the* emerging therapy that offers hope for truly curing chronic disease in a profound way. This book is a comprehensive introduction to the full extent of what homeopathy can do for you. By providing case histories, deep yet understandable explanations of homeopathy (including its relationship to modern medicine), and clear information on what it means to be a homeopathic patient, *Impossible Cure* is an invaluable resource. A perfect book for patients and first-year students of homeopathy.”

- **Louis Klein, RSHom**

President, Luminos Homeopathic Courses Ltd., Luminos Schools, and Homeopathic Master Clinicians Course ([www.homeopathycourses.com](http://www.homeopathycourses.com))

“Amy Lansky... has laid out one of the most complete pictures of homeopathy ever written. The book is extremely well researched, and Lansky has managed to make it accessible to an average reader in a way that will open people’s minds about homeopathy. It will also help others already in the health-care field to learn about the potential of homeopathic treatment and to recognize that, in homeopathy, we have one of the most unique and complete systems of medicine available... It is a superb document, and for those of us who practice and teach homeopathy, it is an exciting development – one that will help homeopathy take its appropriate place in medicine today.” (Excerpt from the Foreword)

- **Richard Pitt, CCH, RSHom (NA)**

Director, Pacific Academy of Homeopathy, San Francisco

“A well-written and ultimately inspiring volume... *Impossible Cure* presents an uncompromising call for a rethinking of conventional medical practices in the U.S.”

- **D. Patrick Miller**

Fearless Books Review ([www.fearlessbooks.com](http://www.fearlessbooks.com))

“An introduction to homeopathy that stands out from the rest.”

- **Dr. Joseph Mercola**

*The Mercola Newsletter.*

“This book may very well contribute to the transformation of homeopathy from the ugly duckling of medicine to the swan that it deserves to be.”

- **Lia Bello, RN, FNP, CCH**

Reviewer for *Homeopathy Today*.

“We have never had this kind of response to an introductory book.”

- **Greg Cooper**

Owner, Minimum Price Homeopathic Books

“After I gave *Impossible Cure* to my 80-year-old mother to read, she exclaimed, ‘Now I understand why you’ve become so obsessed with homeopathy!’ The power of this book to demonstrate how fascinating, miraculous, and valuable homeopathy is to the general reader is what makes this book invaluable to my practice. I recommend it to all my patients. They then understand more deeply the value of their own homeopathic experience, and become empowered to transmit that excitement and enthusiasm to their family members and friends.”

- **Doug Brown, CCH, RSHom(NA)**

Editor and Reviewer for *NASH News*

“This book is going to be an international best-seller... This is a book of hope for the public... a book of information and of testimony that is going to do more for homeopathy than any political bickering has been able to do until now.”

- **Dr. J. Rozencwajg, MD, PhD**

Reviewer for *Links Homeopathic Journal*

“Amy Lansky has written the ultimate user's guide to homeopathy. This is the book I have been waiting to pass along to clients, family, and friends, for purposes of: 1) initiating a real understanding of the nature of homeopathy and its philosophy; 2) overcoming skepticism due to misunderstanding and prejudice; and 3) familiarizing potential clients with the conventions of homeopathic practice. This last point includes promoting understanding of the role of the client as a partner in the healing process. All this is presented in an enjoyable manner, in a conversational style, but rigorously supported by Ms. Lansky's research and documentation, and by her fine understanding of homeopathic principles. She enlivens her subject matter with real-life stories gathered from a spectrum of homeopathic clients, and with stories of her own interesting experiences with homeopathic healing, including the cure of her son's autism. Its thorough and scholarly treatment sets *Impossible Cure* apart from other books on the subject written for the general public.”

- **Maggie Foran Taeger**

Homeopathic practitioner, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

“With the anecdotes and stories of how people are using homeopathy to address various ailments, it is a riveting read. I read the entire book in two evenings; it was that interesting and exciting.”

- **CWellens**, Amazon reviewer

“Amy Lansky's new book, *Impossible Cure: The Promise of Homeopathy* is now the best patient education book available. It is a compelling and entertaining read; even after 10 years of full-time practice, I couldn't stop reading and put it down! *Impossible Cure* is also well researched and informative. It contains easily readable and comprehensive introductions to philosophy, history, and more recent scientific and clinical studies. *Impossible Cure* is an excellent book for both clients and first year students of homeopathy. My patients who have read it are much better informed and provide better case information. I find it a bit easier to manage their cases since they have learned quite a lot about what we are looking for in Homeopathy. You should have no problem selling copies to clients – mine are snapping them up!”

- **John Melnychuk, CCH, RSHom(NA)**

Homeopathic practitioner, Palo Alto, California

“When I started to read *Impossible Cure: The Promise of Homeopathy* by Amy Lansky, I thought I would be reading about her search to cure her son – and in fact, that story is the heart of the book in several senses. But I didn't expect to find ... one of the most important discussions ... on bringing the health professions up to date with the rest of contemporary science... This book – on the surface a human story about the search for cure in one particular case – is perhaps one of the most important books of the early twenty-first century.”

- **Richard P. Gabriel, PhD, MFA**

Poet and well-known computer science researcher and visionary;

Author: *Patterns of Software* (Oxford) and *Writer's Workshop & The Work of Making Things* (Addison-Wesley)



### **About the Author: Amy L. Lansky, PhD**

Amy Lansky graduated from the University of Rochester in 1977 with degrees in mathematics and computer science. She received her doctorate in computer science from Stanford University in 1983. After many years working at various Silicon Valley research institutions (including SRI International, NASA Ames Research Center, and three years as a consulting associate professor at Stanford), Lansky made an unusual career move: she became a student, writer, promoter, and, most recently, practitioner of homeopathic medicine. This was prompted by the miraculous cure of her son's autism with homeopathy. She is dedicated to

helping others – especially families with autistic children – discover the curative powers of homeopathy.

Lansky's homeopathic studies have included foundational course work with Misha Norland's School of Homeopathy in Devon, England; completion of the Homeopathic Master Clinician's course with Louis Klein; and studies with Simon Taffler, Sadhna Thakkar, Jan Scholten, and Alize Timmerman. For two years she served as coeditor of *The American Homeopath*, the journal of the North American Society of Homeopaths. Lansky is an executive board member of the National Center for Homeopathy in Alexandria, Virginia. For five years, she was also on the executive board of the California Health Freedom Coalition, the organization that sponsored SB-577, a California health freedom bill that was passed in September 2002.

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