

Medical Mysteries Read-Aloud

Each week, a new chapter from the book *Medical Mysteries*, by Dian Dincin Buchman will be posted. This book contains true stories of six medical mysteries solved within the last 100 years or so. It gives me hope that “disease detectives” around the world will expediently solve our current medical mystery of COVID-19. The link below will let you listen to the fourth chapter.

[Chapter 4: The Twin Who Didn't Get Sick](#)

Questions:

Did the disease/sickness in this chapter have a name? If so, what was it?

What caused the sickness (circle one)?

Bacteria

Protozoa

Nutritional Deficiency

Virus

Fungus

Chemical Poisoning

Explain how the people became infected/got sick.

Is this disease or sickness communicable (can it be spread from person to person)?

Briefly summarize how this medical mystery was solved.