



Research Focus Group Talk: Disease and Inclusive Healing in Jude Idada's *Boom Boom*

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Literature, and children's literature specifically, helps instill value and humanity in times of crisis, as portrayed in Jude Idada's *Boom Boom*. Both adults and children find it challenging to handle chronic diseases. Focusing on one of these lethal diseases, sickle cell anemia, this study will show that healing for complex diseases is not only clinical, but that other forms of healing are also important.



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