

Award-winning rap artist and playwright Baba Brinkman takes a hard-edged look at the roots of disease in *The Rap Guide to Medicine*, tracing it back to the body's evolutionary history. The songs feature clever parasites, rebellious cancer cells, diseases of modernity, the evolution of aging, and a sufferer of cystic fibrosis who uses the "gene's eye view" to come to terms with his illness. The show's premiere performance at the 2015 Evolution and Medicine Conference in Tempe, AZ, received a complete standing ovation from 300 scientists.

The Rap Guide to Medicine was vetted for scientific accuracy by several experts, led by Randolph M. Nesse, co-author with George C. Williams of the seminal evolutionary medicine text Why We Get Sick.



Watch "So Infectious"



Watch "Gene's Eye View"

Baba Brinkman's songs are blisteringly clever, summing up complex biological concepts in irresistible rhymes. I plan on quoting his lyrics in the future.

Carl Zimmer, Author of *Parasite Rex* 

Baba Brinkman has an incredible ability to entertain his audience while also conveying accurate information about complex topics.

Dr. Paul E Turner, Chair of Biology, Yale University

This is amazing. I won't need to teach my course, I'll just have students listen to Baba's raps!

Dr. Randolph M. Nesse,
Arizona State University

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Baba's science/rap/comedy shows have toured the world and won multiple awards.

The Rap Guide to Medicine is now available for bookings. Contact baba@rapguide.com with inquiries.