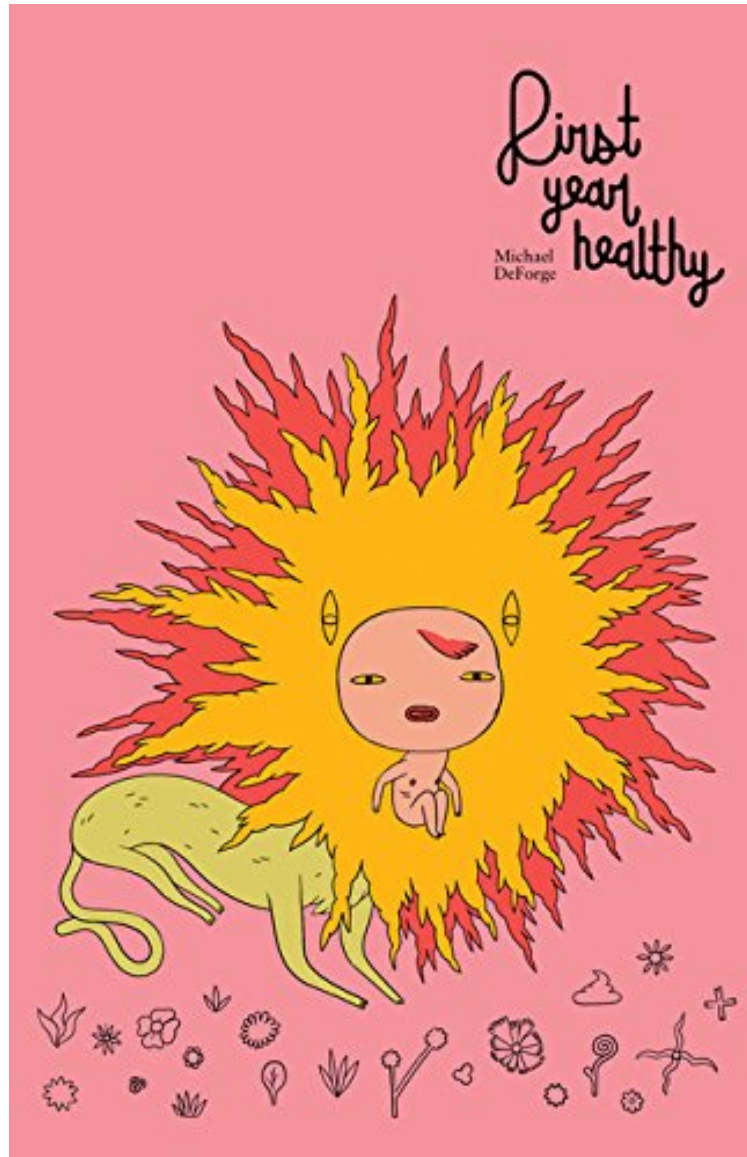


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**Michael DeForge : First Year Healthy** before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised First Year Healthy:

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but I loved it as much as any of his past work. His work is like an impressionistic painting. If you're looking for a journey into the surreal buy it and enjoy the ride. 0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Five Stars By Customerweird and pretty

A mysterious, unsettling parable from one of North America's most popular cartoonists. *First Year Healthy* purports to be the story of a young woman, recently released from the hospital after an outburst, and her burgeoning relationship with an odd, perhaps criminal Turkish immigrant. In a scant forty-five pages, working with a vibrant, otherworldly palette of magentas, yellows, and grays, Michael DeForge brings to life a world whose shifting realities are as treacherous as the thin ice its narrator walks on. *First Year Healthy* is all it appears to be and more: a parable about mental illness, a folktale about magical cats, and a bizarre, compelling story about relationships. DeForge's singular voice and vision have, in a few short years, rocketed his work to the apex of the contemporary comics canon. *Ant Colony* was his first book with *Drawn Quarterly*: It appeared on *The New York Times* Graphic Bestseller List and was lauded by the *Chicago Tribune*, *The Globe and Mail*, and *Harper's Magazine*. His effortless storytelling and eye for striking page design make each page of *First Year Healthy* a fascinating puzzle to be unraveled. *First Year Healthy*, knotty and mysterious, demands to be read and reread.

DeForge always seems utterly in control--from the dreamscape-on-drugs palette of electric blues, acid tangerines and lemon yellows, to the deft world-building worthy of Jack Kirby. *The Washington Post* About the Author Michael DeForge was born in 1987 and grew up in Ottawa, Ontario. After a few years of experimenting with short strips and zines, he created *Lose #1*, his first full-length comic, for which he won Best Emerging Talent at the Doug Wright Awards. He has since published a handful of comic books, which have received industry praise and two Eisner Award nominations. His illustrations have been published in *The New York Times* and *Bloomberg View*; his comics have appeared in *The Believer*, *Maisonneuve*, and the *Adventure Time* comic book series.