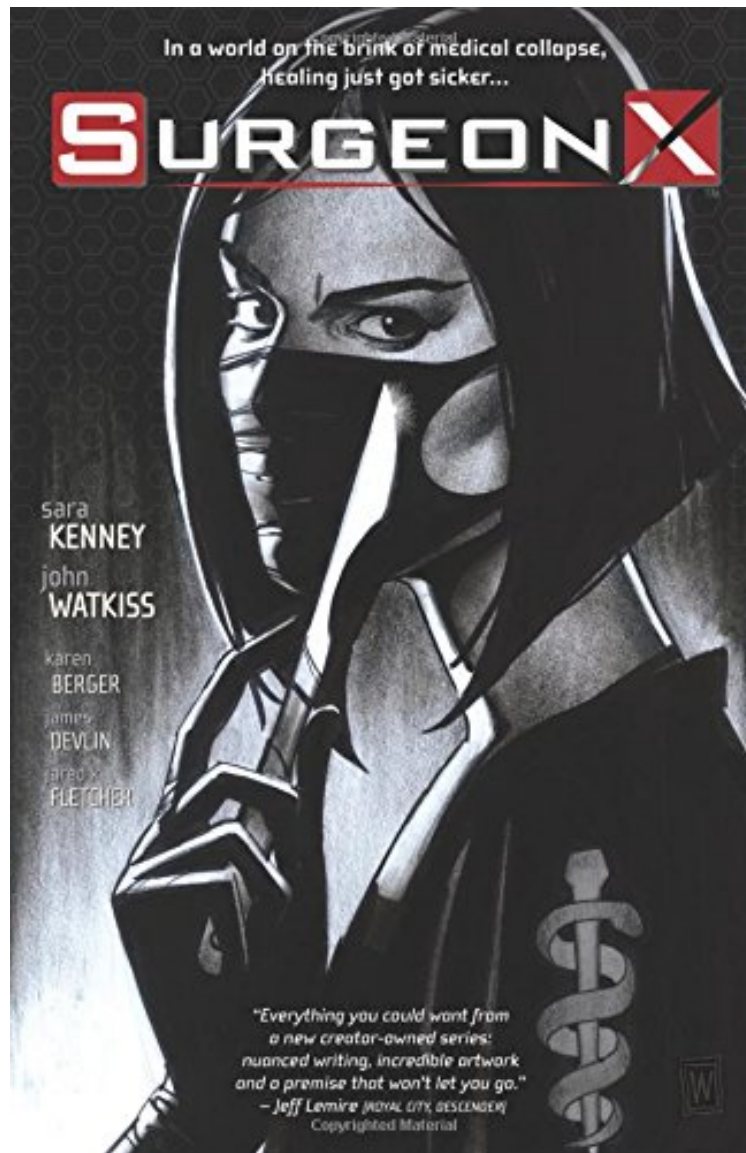


Surgeon X: The Path of Most Resistance

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Sara Kenney : Surgeon X: The Path of Most Resistance before purchasing it in order to gauge whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Surgeon X: The Path of Most Resistance:

0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. dramatic story which I really enjoyed. It's very realistic but does get a little ...By Nicola Mansfield Set approximately 20 years from now in London, England, this is a futuristic medical thriller where the world is suffering an antibiotic apocalypse. Almost every disease known to man has become resistant to antibiotics and the government has taken control of antibiotic dispensation to only the few who pass a rigid

screening process. The story centres around a family in the medical profession. The father is a surgeon working in his own private medical clinic catering to the rich, the recently murdered mother was a biologist searching for a cure to the pandemic, a super-antibiotic. Twin sisters follow in the parents' footsteps, one is also a biologist trying to continue her mother's work and the other is also a surgeon but one who has left the hospital atmosphere refusing to be dictated to by the government, instead she has gone rogue creating an illegal surgery in her basement. And then there is the only son, a paranoid schizophrenic, who has been hospitalised several times. This is a serious, dramatic story which I really enjoyed. It's very realistic but does get a little weird at times with visions and delusions. The murderer strikes a few more times and I like this aspect, plus the pandemic, the best. Good art and a great read. 0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Quite possible near-future dystopia

By Earl Surgeon X from Sara Kenney and artist John Watkiss is an engaging medical thriller/dystopia set in the near future. The basic premise, the eventual ineffectiveness of antibiotics because of overuse, is not only plausible but well within the realm of possible. The creation of a dystopian society where this shortage plays an important role is perhaps less probable but certainly well within the range of possible in lieu of the asinine authoritarian governments popping up where there once were continuously improving democracies (USA, UK, etc). Like any novel trying to combine plausible scenarios with action there are certainly some weaknesses but on the whole this works both as art (though Watkiss was sick and did not do his best work) and as fiction. Well worth the read for anyone who likes graphic novels and/or plausible near-future dystopias. Reviewed from a copy made available by the publisher via Edelweiss.

In a world on the brink of medical collapse, healing just got sicker... What do you get if you cross a far right British government with an antibiotic apocalypse riot and a gruesome murder? The birth of Surgeon X and her renegade practice. Extreme times call for extreme medicine. Sara Kenney, acclaimed documentary, factual drama and animation filmmaker (ANGELS AND GHOSTS) and master artist John Watkiss (SANDMAN, CONAN, DEADMAN) join forces with Karen Berger, award-winning and VERTIGO founding editor to produce this unique, darkly comic medical thriller, which will horrify and delight in equal measure. Collects issues 1-6. Also includes character and development designs.

A fantastic, gripping debut-- and chillingly possible glimpse of a not too distant future. Read it before it's reality." - Brian Azzarello (MOONSHINE, 100 BULLETS)