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Doctors used to be into healing, but they have become pharmaceutical dispensers. Modern drugs alleviate symptoms without addressing the cause. We need an integrated approach to health.

The Texas medical board is more interested in protecting the status quo than encouraging doctors to innovate and customize treatment for patients. The continued harassment of Dr Burzynski is a prime example. He has a cure rate on terminal patients that offers hope where none existed in conventional protocols. If that is the type of treatment a cancer patient chooses, why does the State Medical Board object?

The only way people are going to be cured of a growing list of difficult diseases such as Lymes is to allow and encourage innovation.