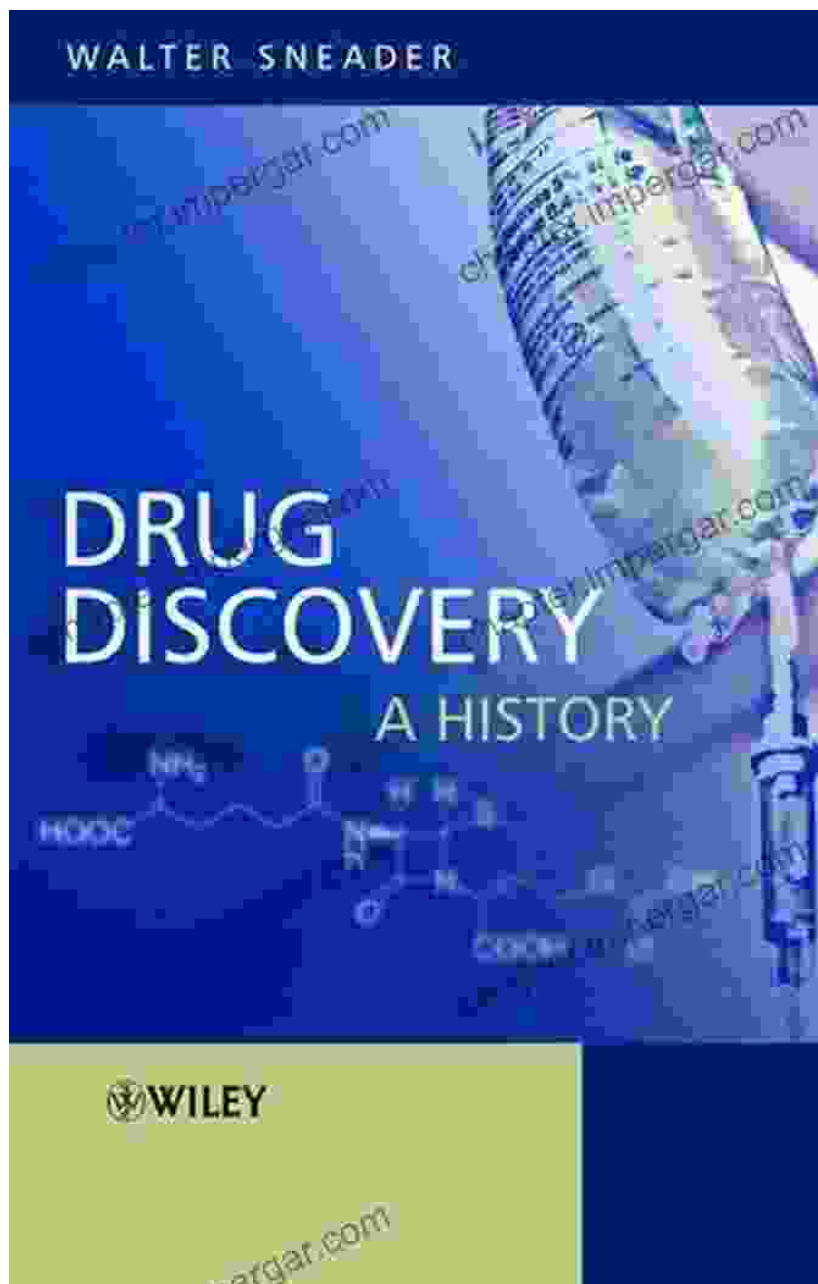


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Prepare to be captivated by the extraordinary journey of drug discovery, a tale of relentless innovation that has reshaped human health throughout history. Walter Sneader's *Drug Discovery History* is an enthralling narrative that unveils the fascinating stories behind the scientists, their groundbreaking inventions, and the transformative impact on medicine.

Delve into the ancient world, where civilization's earliest healers utilized natural remedies, setting the stage for modern pharmacology. Travel through the ages, witnessing the remarkable advancements of the Renaissance and the Enlightenment. Learn how scientific breakthroughs, such as the discovery of anesthesia and antibiotics, revolutionized surgical procedures and disease management.

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Walter Sneader, a renowned expert in medicinal chemistry, provides a comprehensive examination of the key scientific principles behind drug discovery. He explores the diverse disciplines involved, encompassing chemistry, biology, pharmacology, and clinical research. Through his expert analysis, you will gain a deep understanding of the complexities and interconnectedness of this ever-evolving field.

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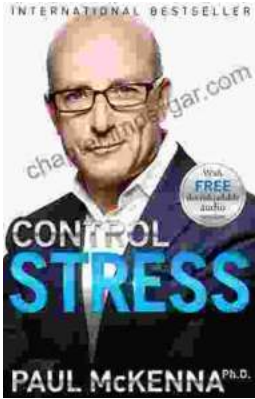
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