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Synopsis

This book looks at the health problems faced by computer users. Subjects covered include the design hazards of computers themselves, the health implications of working environments and the different sicknesses and injuries reported among users.

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