Dear Friends:

Though the NYAM Library’s reading room remains closed, our Library Team is still working hard to connect you with the information you need—through remote reference assistance, digital collections, and virtual tours and talks. Our blog, *Books, Health and History*, and the *Color Our Collections* website are always available as well.

Stay connected with us online. We look forward to the day we can welcome you back to the Library. In the meantime, below are some highlights of our digital collections and resources that you can enjoy from home.

**Images from the Past: NYC Hospital Postcards**
Hospitals form the front line in taking care of COVID-19 patients, and their history in New York goes back for centuries. Our latest digital collection, The Robert Motz Hospital Postcards Collection, features stunning images of hospitals in all five boroughs from the 19th century on.

**From the Blog: Quarantine in 19th-Century New York**
Looking at earlier responses of the city to deadly epidemics including cholera and yellow fever, guest contributor Lorna Ebner of Stony Brook University recently wrote on quarantine in 19th-century New York.

**Virtual Visit with Atlas Obscura**
If you’d like a virtual visit to the Library, Atlas Obscura provides a quick look at the reading room and some of our favorite books.

**Color Our Collections**
To help relieve stress, coloring is king! The Library’s 2020 coloring book, based on illustrations in our collection, is one of hundreds found on Color Our Collections along with submissions from libraries, archives, and museums around the world. We’ve recently partnered with HP to bring these pages to a bigger audience.

Visit our Stay Connected page for more information about the Library’s continued services during the COVID-19 crisis. We look forward to seeing you back in the Library as soon as it’s safe.

The NYAM Library Team

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