

**AAHP**  
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**George W. Smith Readings**

*Prepared by members of the AIDS Activist History Project, the following list includes academic and popular publications written by George W. Smith as well as other academic and popular publications related to George's work.*

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