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Reviewing Systems
Artwork and caption by Hannah R. Abrams

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Figure 1. Detail from “Reviewing Systems,” by Hannah Abrams

Media
This poster was created with Pages 5.6.2.

Caption
This poster represents the experience of a clinician-in-training with a diagnostic screening method typically called “review of systems.” Although at times executing this method can feel onerous, it is intended to reveal key symptoms, promote inquiry, and enhance communication. It also sometimes generates unexpected and important insights, and that experience is conveyed here with a combination of text and images.

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