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full-length ethnographic study of AIDS in a poor society. First published in 1992 this new edition has been updated and a new preface added.
