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MEDICAL PROBLEMS

PART 1. Health problems

Label the pictures with suitable words/ phrases.

*a headache a cough a sore throat the flu a backache an earache chills a fever a bruise
a stomach ache a toothache a runny nose a broken leg a broken arm a sprain asthma
dizzy a nosebleed a rash*

			
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PART 2. Basic Vocabulary

Translate these sentences into your language:

1. I've got a cold. _____
2. My neck aches _____
3. I think I've got flu. _____
4. I've got a pain in my knee. _____
5. I've got a sore throat. _____
6. My arm hurts. _____
7. Have you got a temperature? _____
8. What are the symptoms? _____

PART 3. Causes & Symptoms

Match the symptom on the left with the cause on the right:

1. I've got a blister.	a. I think I've been working too much.
2. I've got a headache.	b. Our bed is too soft. We need to get a firmer one.
3. I've got jetlag.	c. I had too much to drink at dinner last night.
4. I've got a bad back.	d. I've just been chopping some wood.
5. I'm feeling really run down.	e. It must have been that take away last night.
6. I've got a splinter in my hand.	f. I wore the wrong shoes to go hill-walking!
7. My nose is blocked up.	g. I always get hay fever at this time of year.
8. I've got diarrhea.	h. It was an 18-hour flight and a 10-hour time difference.

Now match the following pieces of advice to the situations above:

9. Make sure you drink plenty of water. Otherwise, you'll get dehydrated.
10. Go straight to bed for a couple of hours, then get back to your normal sleeping pattern tonight.
11. Why not take some time off and go somewhere warm? That's what you need!
12. There's a special kind of plaster you can use on blisters. I had one and it helped a lot.
13. Get one of those nasal sprays from the chemist. They always work for me.
14. Have you tried an *osteopath* or a *chiropractor*?
15. Let me see. Have you got a pair of *tweezers*?
16. Stick to orange juice in future!

Notes: *Osteopath (n)*: người nắn xương

Chiropractor (n): người chữa bệnh bằng nắn xương

Tweezer: cái kẹp, nhíp