

Symptoms



Write the name of each symptom



DID YOU KNOW? After the common cold or flu, stomachaches are the most common reason why people go to see the doctor.

Dengue Fever

This disease is transmitted to humans by the bite of a mosquito called Aedes Aegypti, which feeds during the day. This infectious disease is manifested by a sudden high fever with a very bad headache, muscle pain and rashes.

Other symptoms include:

- Fever
- Chills
- Constant headaches
- Bleeding from nose, mouth or gums
- Severe dizziness and loss of appetite



Medicines come with directions about how to use them.
Always be careful and read the instructions.

Dengue fever is treated under the supervision of a doctor. The patient has to go to a health center or a hospital and rest while intravenous fluids and antibiotics work to keep the patient hydrated and out of danger. This treatment may last up to 7 days.

We can all help prevent the Dengue mosquito from breeding and hatching by draining the water from non used containers such as plastic cups, used tires, broken bottles, flower pots, etc.



Using the information from the text, write the missing information on the lines

Disease: _____

Transmitted by: _____

Symptoms: _____

Treatment: _____

Prevention: _____

Javier visited the doctor

Dr Ruiz: Hi Javier! How can I help you today?

Javier: Hello Dr Ruiz. Yesterday I started feeling a stomachache.

Dr Ruiz: Ok, I see. What did you eat yesterday?

Javier: Well, I had some pork but I think it wasn't cooked well.

Dr Ruiz: Have you been vomiting?

Javier: Yes, I have been vomiting.

Dr Ruiz: Well, it looks like you are suffering from food poisoning and it's because you ate under cooked meat.

Javier: Really?

Dr Ruiz: Yes Javier. I'm going to prescribe some medication and advise you to have a light diet for the next 3 days.

Javier: Thanks Dr Ruiz! I will follow your orders.

Dr Ruiz: You're welcome Javier.



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Doctor's Treatment



Cough syrup

Injection / shot

Diet

X-Ray

Band-aid

Pills

Exercise

Blood test

Rest in bed



Use the words to give a treatment.

1. I have a fever.

You should _____

2. Ouch! I cut my finger.

You should _____

3. My back hurts really bad!

You should _____

4. I have an upset stomach.

You should _____

5. I don't want to catch a cold!

You should _____

Word bank

Put on a band-aid

Get a flu shot

Have an x-ray done

Take some medicine

Rest in bed

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Circle the option that describe the picture

1. What's going on?



- a) I have a stomachache
- b) I have a toothache
- c) I have a headache

2. What's the problem?

- a) I have a runny nose
- b) I have an earache
- c) I have a sore throat



3. What's wrong with you?



- a) I have a fever
- b) I have a sore throat
- c) I have cramps

4. How do you feel today?

- a) I feel sleepy
- b) I feel great!
- c) I don't feel good. I feel sick!



5. What's the matter?



- a) I have a rash
- b) I have chest pains
- c) I've been sneezing all day