

## Unit 1

### **A. The Hospital Team**

It is essential for you to know the people who you are going to work with in the hospital. You must know the different roles played by these people as well. They could be doctors, nurses, medical professionals, and staff. Let's get to know them and what they do.



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|--------------|----------------|-----------------|--------------|------------|
| porter       | receptionist   | paramedic       | scrub nurse  | pharmacist |
| radiologist  | lab technician | charge nurse    | cardiologist | midwife    |
| pediatrician | consultant     | physiotherapist | anesthetist  | surgeon    |

Exercise 1.1 Choose the correct word from the box to complete the sentences.

1. A \_\_\_\_\_ is a doctor who treats children
2. A \_\_\_\_\_ is a medical professional who attends births and delivers babies.
3. A \_\_\_\_\_ is a doctor who specializes in illnesses of the heart and blood vessels.
4. A \_\_\_\_\_ is a staff who moves patients, equipment, furniture, etc. around the hospital.
5. A \_\_\_\_\_ is a medical professional who takes x-rays and other images.
6. A \_\_\_\_\_ is a nurse who supports surgeons in the operating room.
7. A \_\_\_\_\_ is a nurse who prepares medicines to give to medical staff or patients.
8. A \_\_\_\_\_ is a medical professional who responds to emergencies and gives first aid.
9. A \_\_\_\_\_ is a doctor who performs surgical operations.
10. A \_\_\_\_\_ is a medical professional who examines samples and tissues under a microscope.
11. A \_\_\_\_\_ is a nurse who supervises staff nurses in a ward.
12. A \_\_\_\_\_ is a staff who assists people with appointments and directions.
13. A \_\_\_\_\_ is a nurse who administers drugs to patients to prevent pain during surgery.
14. A \_\_\_\_\_ is a doctor who gives expert opinion to other doctors and surgeons.
15. A \_\_\_\_\_ is a medical professional who helps patients with physical difficulties resulting from illness, injury, disability.