## SYMPTOMS 1.

**Task 1. SYMPTOMS. Choose the correct answers.**

1. You should put your hand in front of your mouth when you . . . . .

a) sniff b) snore c) swallow d) yawn

2. Six people were overcome by . . . . . from a container in the laboratory.

a) fumes b) leaks c) odours d) outflows

3. She has been working so hard she feels quite . . . . . .

a) careful b) dull c) exhausted d) wasted

4. The dog was in a terrible . . . . . when we found it.

a) condition b) danger c) illness d) sickness

5. His illness made him . . . . . of concentration.

a) incapable b) incompetent c) powerless d) unable

6. I felt a sharp . . . . . when I put my hand in the boiling water.

a) ache b) harm c) pain d) suffer

7. If you have got measles, your body is covered in . . . . .

a) blots b) dots c) freckles d) spots

8. Every time she eats shellfish, she comes out in . . . . .

a) a blush b) a bruise c) an itch d) a rash

9. The baby is very fretful: he must be . . . . . some teeth.

a) cutting b) grinding c) making d) producing

10. There is a small hard . . . . . on my wrist. I think I'd better see the doctor.

a) bruise b) lump c) rash d) swelling

11. I have a bad cold, and have lost all . . . . . of smell.

a) degree b) scent c) sense d) skill

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12. He . . . . . from rheumatism.

a) hurts b) pains c) suffers d) troubles

13. Women seem able to . . . . . pain better than men.

a) bear b) carry c) support d) wear

14. I couldn't go to the party because of a . . . . . cold.

a) fast b) hurried c) sudden d) surprising

15. He fell heavily and was immediately conscious of . . . . . pain in his right arm.

a) acute b) hard c) raw d) strong

16. Left on his back, an unconscious casualty may . . . . . in his own vomit.

a) drown b) sink c) submerge d) suffocate

17. I have a . . . . . headache.

a) burning b) raving c) spitting d) splitting

18. Her sister's . . . . . kept me awake for half the night.

a) blowing b) coughing c) flowing d) swallowing

19. His stomach began to . . . . . because of the bad food he had eaten.

a) ache b) be hurt c) harm d) pain

20. You can die from breathing the . . . . . from a car engine for too long.

a) air b) fumes c) smoke d) steam

21. He says he has got . . . . . in his stomach.

a) aches b) hurt c) pains d) suffering

22. I've got such a . . . . . throat I'm sure I must be going to have a cold.

a) hurt b) irritable c) sensitive d) sore

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23. I think you should see a doctor about that . . . . . .

a) belch b) blister c) inflammation d) pimple

24. I'm not really ill, but I have a . . . . . headache.

a) delicate b) pale c) slight d) weak

25. Colorblind people often find it difficult to . . . . . between blue and green.

a) compare b) contrast c) distinguish d) separate

26. When I tried to walk I had a sharp . . . . . in my leg.

a) cut b) hurt c) pain d) wound

27. Whenever she catches a cold, she gets a . . . . . all over her face.

a) blemish b) lump c) rash d) sore

28. She . . . . . of severe pains in her arms and legs.

a) complains b) grumbles c) remarks d) says

29. You're looking very pale do you . . . . . sick?

a) become b) fall c) faint d) feel

30. My husband does not feel at all well I think he must have eaten something that . . . . . with him.

a) disagreed b) disturbed c) hurt d) poisoned

31. If you have a sore throat it is very difficult to . . . . . .

a) bite b) chew c) digest d) swallow

32. If you didn't keep scratching that spot on your face, it would soon . . . . . .

a) cure b) heal c) mend d) remedy

33. When I took his temperature, it was two degrees above . . . . . .

a) normal b) ordinary c) regular d) usual

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34. I was so tired I couldn't stop . . . . . .

a) coughing b) crying c) laughing d) yawning

35. After the accident she suffered brain . . . . . and couldn't speak.

a) damage b) decay c) destruction d) disease

36 . The child who swallowed a peanut began to . . . . . .

a) breathe b) choke c) cough d) yawn

37. May I please have a glass of water? I feel a little . . . . . .

a) bad b) faint c) hungry d) ill

38. The dying man said nothing: he merely . . . . .

a) mumbled b) sighed c) stammered d) whispered

39. There is something wrong with his vocal chords and, as a result, he has always been . . . . .

a) deaf b) dumb c) silent d) speechless

40. He suffers from a speech . . . . . and so he cannot pronounce the letter "rH correctly.

a) break b) defect c) error d) mistake

41. She had lost her voice and could only speak in a . . . . .

a) breath b) rustle c) whisper d) whistle

42. After speaking for two become . . . . . hours, the lecturer found be could scarcely talk, as he had.

a) dumb b) hoarse c) inarticulate d) speechless

43. When he spoke on the telephone, his voice was so . . . . . that I could hardly hear him.

a) dim b) dull c) faint d) unnoticeable

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44. You will find John rather difficult to understand at first, as he has a slight . . . . . in his speech.

a) complication b) contraction c) difficulty d) impediment

45. You will have to . . . . . , Aunt Betty is rather deaf.

a) call up b) ring up c) speak up d) stand up

46. After a fall from a horse, his speech became rather . . . . .

a) anxious b) confused c) confusing d) clear

47. I'm afraid I'm rather . . . . . of hearing. Will you speak a little louder, please?

a) deaf b) hard c) quiet d) slow

48. His stomach felt very . . . . . after that rough journey in a lorry.

a) disused b) undone c) used up d) upset

49. It was so cold my fingers were quite . . . . . .

a) insensible b) numb c) paralyzed d) senseless

50. Although the injured driver was almost unconscious, he was . . . . in pain.

a) moaning b) mumbling c) stammering d) whispering

51. He was so cold that his teeth were . . . . . .

a) chattering b) perishing c) shivering d) shuddering

52. He . . . . . over the body of a cat lying on the pavement.

a) crashed b) stumbled c) toppled d) tumbled

53. John broke his leg. That is why he still . . . . . a little.

a) halts b) limps c) staggers d) trips

54. I was . . . . . by the gas in the room and fell to the ground.

a) depressed b) overcome c) overturned d) submerged

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55. Her right eye . . . . . when she is anxious.

a) twiddles b) twirls c) twitches d) twists

56. I have got such a . . . . . headache that I can't concentrate on the lecture.

a) beating b) drumming c) hammering d) throbbing

57. He had a terrible cold and found it difficult to breathe as his nose was . . . .

a) closed up b) filled up c) shut up d) stuffed up

58. The fumes were so thick that he was . . . . . for breath.

a) gasping b) inhaling c) suffocating d) wheezing

59. Go straight to the hospital and have your hand attended to it looks . . . . . to me.

a) affected b) infected c) intoxicated d) polluted

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