

Describe the words below!

Look at the words and phrases in the word-bank and then guess what they mean. Then match them with definitions.

Under the weather	heart rate	surgery	infection
life-threatening	Pulse	tumour	mouth ulcer
alternative remedies	Cancer	miracle cures	

1. _____ (*adj*) something very serious, which could kill you.
2. _____ (*noun*) a small blister in the mouth that can be very painful, but is not serious.
3. _____ (*noun*) ways of curing illnesses that are not traditional medicine, e.g. herbal medicine.
4. _____ (*idiom*) not feeling very well.
5. _____ (*noun*) a serious illness in which malignant cells form in the body and kill normal body cells.
6. _____ (*noun*) an illness that is caused by bacteria or a virus.
7. _____ (*noun*) the speed at which your heart beats.
8. _____ (*noun*) the medical treatment of an illness or injury that involves an operation.
9. _____ (*noun*) the number of times your heart beats in a minute.
10. _____ (*noun*) a group of cells that are growing in a place where they should not be.
11. _____ (*noun*) successful treatments for illnesses that were thought to be impossible to cure.