1 Where does it hurt?

Preview

1 VOCABULARY *Health problems*

A Write the health problems under the pictures. Then compare with a partner.

I feel dizzy.	I have a backache.	✓I have an earache.
I feel tired.	I have a cough.	I have a fever.



1. I have an earache.



2. .....



3. .....



4. .....



5. .....



6. .....

B PAIR WORK Ask and answer questions about the people in part A.

A: What's the matter with the woman?
B: She has an earache.

2 WHAT DO YOU SEE?

Watch the video with the sound off. Check (✓) all correct answers.





	The doctor	The patient
1. Who has an earache?	☐	☐
2. Who has a backache?	☐	☐
3. Who feels better at the end?	☐	☐

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Watch the video

3 GET THE PICTURE

A Check your answers to Exercise 2. Were they correct?

B Complete the doctor's notes about the patient. Then compare with a partner.



4 WATCH FOR DETAILS

Check (✓) the correct answers. Then compare with a partner.

1. When does Peter feel the pain?
   - ☐ Constantly.
   - ☑ From time to time.
2. What is wrong with Peter?
   - ☐ He has extra wax in his ear.
   - ☐ He has a serious fever.
3. When does the doctor's back hurt?
   - ☐ When he stands a lot.
   - ☐ All the time.
4. Why does Peter know how to fix backaches?
   - ☐ His father is a doctor.
   - ☐ His father has the same problem.
5. What does Peter tell the doctor to do first?
   - ☐ Pull his left knee up.
   - ☐ Turn his body to the side.
6. Which way does Peter tell the doctor to turn?
   - ☐ To the right.
   - ☐ To the left.



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5 DO YOU REMEMBER?

What does the doctor ask the patient? Check (✓) the correct questions.
Then compare with a partner.

- ☐ Why are you here today?
- ☑ How are you feeling today?
- ☐ Do you have a cold?
- ☐ Do you have a headache?
- ☐ Do you have a cough?
- ☐ Do you have a fever?
- ☐ Do you have a sore throat?
- ☐ Do you feel terrible?
- ☐ Do you feel tired?
- ☐ Do you exercise often?
- ☐ Do you go swimming every day?
- ☐ Do you need some medicine?



Follow-up

6 ROLE PLAY *At the doctor's office*

A **PAIR WORK** Take turns playing the roles of the patient and the doctor.
Act out the first part of their conversation. Use the checked questions in Exercise 5.





A: How are you feeling today?
B: Not so good, Doc.

B **PAIR WORK** Talk about your health. Use the problems below or your own ideas.



the flu



a headache



a stomachache



sore eyes



a toothache

A: Do you ever get the flu?
B: I seldom get the flu. What about you? Do you get the flu?
A: Yes, I do, sometimes.

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Language close-up

7 WHAT DID THEY SAY?

Watch the video and complete the conversation. Then practice it.

Dr. Smith is examining Peter to find out why Peter doesn't feel well.



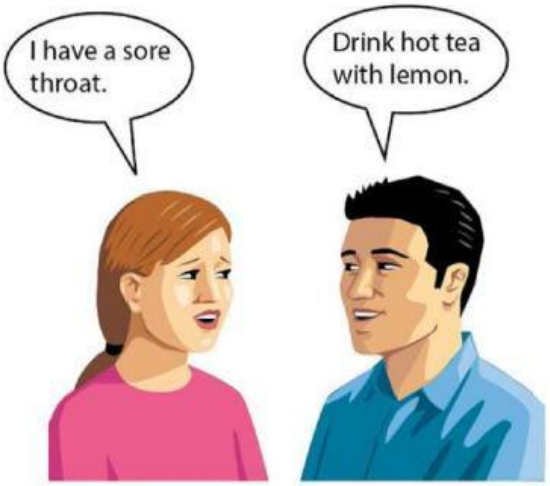
Dr. Smith: So, do you go swimming ....every.... ....day.... ?
Peter: No, not every day. ..... three times a ..... .
Dr. Smith: I think I ..... the problem.
Peter: Is it ..... ?
Dr. Smith: Oh, ... You have some .....
wax in your ear, probably ..... you swim so much.
I'm going to ..... you some ..... ,
and you should feel ..... in a week.
Peter: OK. ..... good.
Dr. Smith: I'm going to give you some .... and
some pills. ..... one pill ..... breakfast.
Use the ear drops before ..... .
Peter: One pill ..... the morning, ear drops ..... night.
Dr. Smith: That's ..... !

8 IMPERATIVES *Giving advice*

A Complete the conversations. Choose from the advice in the box. Then compare with a partner.

Don't lift heavy things.	Drink a lot of orange juice.	Stay in bed for two days.
Don't try new foods.	✓ Drink hot tea with lemon.	Take two aspirin and close your eyes.

1. A: I have a sore throat.
   B: Drink hot tea with lemon.
2. A: I have a headache.
   B: .....
3. A: I have a backache.
   B: .....
4. A: I have the flu.
   B: .....
5. A: I have a stomachache.
   B: .....
6. A: I have a cold.
   B: .....



B Now complete the conversations in part A with your own ideas. Then compare your advice in groups.

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