

# Health Problems Vocabulary

On this worksheet you will practise some of the vocabulary to describe the health problems.

## 1) COMPLETE EACH DEFINITION WITH THESE WORDS.

CHESTY COUGH | RUNNY NOSE | SORE THROAT | BAD BACK | UPSET STOMACH | BROKEN BONE | HAY  
FEVER | SPRAINED ANKLE | HIGH TEMPERATURE | TRAVEL SICK

- A) Some people might feel this when they go on a journey. \_\_\_\_\_
- B) This affects a lot of people during the Spring and Summer. \_\_\_\_\_
- C) If you have this you are warm to the touch. \_\_\_\_\_
- D) You'll need a pack of tissues if you're suffering with this. \_\_\_\_\_
- E) This is often caused by lifting heavy objects. \_\_\_\_\_
- F) This makes it difficult to swallow. \_\_\_\_\_
- G) You might suffer from this if you eat something bad. \_\_\_\_\_
- H) This will mean a trip to hospital. \_\_\_\_\_
- I) You might get one of these if you walk or run on uneven ground. \_\_\_\_\_
- J) One of the symptoms of a bad cold. \_\_\_\_\_

\* **Hay fever:** *allergy to pollen*

## 2) COMPLETE THE GAPS IN THE FOLLOWING THESE WORDS:

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- A) I  my ankle while I was out yesterday and can barely walk today.
- B) Could you get me something for a  throat from the chemist?
- C) I love going on holiday even though I always end up getting travel  in the car.
- D) I won't be in work today as I've got a really  back.
- E) My daughter suffers quite badly from hay .
- F) I'm feeling a little better today though I've still got a chesty .
- G) I've had an  stomach after eating in that new restaurant yesterday.
- H) The children are OK except for Sam who's got a bit of a cold and a runny .
- I) You have a very high . I think I'll call the doctor.
- J) The footballer has a  leg and will be out until the end of the season.