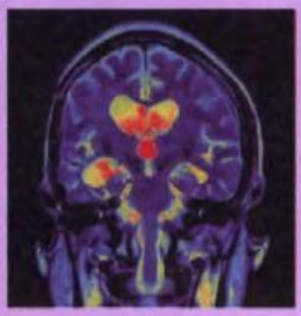
30 Hospital


X-ray


scan


operation


patient

Going into hospital	**go into hospital** go for treatment and stay there for a night or more **go to (the) hospital** go there for treatment, but not stay in **go to the hospital** go as a visitor
• You go to your doctor feeling very **unwell**.	**unwell** not well; ill
• She **examines** you, and **arranges** for you to see a **consultant**.	**examine** look carefully at sb or sth to see if there is anything wrong **arrange** organize or plan sth **consultant** a senior doctor in a hospital who knows a lot about a particular medical subject
• You may have **tests, X-rays**[1], or **scans**[2] and the nurses may take blood **samples**.	**test** a medical examination on part of your body, e.g. an **eye test**, a **blood test** **sample** a small amount of sth that is looked at, tested, examined, etc. to find out what the rest is like
• The consultant decides how to **treat** you.	**treat** give medical help to make sb better **treatment** *n*
• You may **have an operation**[3] immediately if it is an **emergency**.	**operation** In an **operation**, the doctor cuts open the body **(operates)** to take out or repair a damaged part. **emergency** a sudden dangerous situation when sb needs help quickly
• The consultant explains the **benefits** and **risks** to you, the **patient**[4].	**benefit** sth that has a good or helpful result **risk** a danger that sth bad may happen
• After the operation, nurses **care for** you while you **recover**.	**care for sb** look after sb SYN **take care of sb** **recover from sth** become well after you have been ill SYN **get over sth**
• The operation is **successful**. • When you are **well enough**, you can go home to recover completely.	**successful** If sth is **successful**, it has gone well.

SPOTLIGHT *enough*

You can use ***enough*** after adjectives and adverbs. It means as much or as many as you need. In negative sentences, it means less than you need.

- *He's **strong enough** to get up.* = He has the strength he needs to get up.
- *She's **not well enough** to go out.* = She needs to feel better before she can go out.

You can also use ***enough*** before uncountable and plural nouns.

- *I've got **enough** money.* = I've got all the money I need.
- *There aren't **enough** doctors.* = We need more doctors.

LIVEWORKSHEETS

1 **Complete the table with the words below according to their stress patterns. Use the App to help you. Pratise saying the words.**

recover ✓ treatment benefit unwell get over operate patient
sample arrange successful hospital consultant enough take care of

decide	doctor	remember		personal
.....	.....	▶ recover	.....	.....
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2 **Circle the correct answer.**

▶ The *patient* / *nurse* has the operation.

1 The ***consultant / patient*** goes into hospital.
2 The ***consultant / patient*** arranges the tests.
3 The ***consultant / patient*** may have to have an X-ray.
4 The ***nurse / patient*** may take a blood sample.
5 The ***doctor / patient*** may need treatment as an emergency.
6 The ***doctor / patient*** explains the benefits of the treatment.
7 The ***patient / nurse*** cares for the person after the operation.
8 The ***consultant / patient*** gets over the operation.
9 The ***nurse / patient*** is strong enough to leave hospital.

3 **Which words are being defined?**

▶ a person who is ill and having medical treatment patient
1 give sb medical help to make them better .....
2 a danger that sth bad might happen .....
3 sth that has a good or helpful result .....
4 look after sb, especially if they are ill .....
5 a small amount of sth that shows what the rest is like .....
6 a sudden situation where sb needs help .....
7 ill .....
8 photos or pictures of the inside of a body .....
9 cut sb's body open to repair sth or take out a part .....
10 getting the result you want .....

4 **Complete the words in the text.**

A Hi, Safieh. How are you?
B Well, I'm a bit worried, actually. I've just been to the ▶ hospital to see a consultant about my eye. He **(1)** e..... me to see what was wrong, and then arranged for some **(2)** t..... too. I've got a problem at the back of my eye, and I need to have an **(3)** o..... .
A Oh, dear. Is it **(4)** an e.....?
B Yes, I have to have it done immediately – in fact, I've got to go **(5)** i..... hospital tomorrow.
A And are there any **(6)** r..... with the treatment?
B I don't think so. It's quite a simple operation, and it's usually very **(7)** s..... : 98% of people can see better afterwards.
A And when will you be well **(8)** e..... to start work again?
B He said I'll need a week to **(9)** g..... o..... the operation. My sister is going to **(10)** t..... c..... of me at home.
A Well, good luck! I hope it goes well.

5 ABOUT YOU **Write your answers, or ask another student.**

1 When did you last go to hospital, and why? .....
2 Have you ever been into hospital for a few days or longer? When? .....
3 In your country, when patients are in hospital, do the nurses take care of them, or does the family look after them too? .....
4 Can you see a consultant immediately in your country, or do you have to wait? .....
5 Do you have to see your doctor first before you go and see a consultant? .....
6 Where do patients usually go to recover after an operation? .....

TEST YOURSELF

LIVEWORKSHEETS