

Listening Health and sicknesses



- A.** Listen to a conversation between a doctor and a patient. match the three things the patient asks about 1 – 3 with the advice the doctor gives a – c.

1. _____ cough
2. _____ injuries from a bike accident
3. _____ injections for a trip abroad

- a. Speak to somebody else.
- b. Come back if the problem doesn't go away.
- c. Use some medicine.

- B.** Listen again and choose the correct answer:

1. How long has the patient had his cough ?
 - a. for two days
 - b. for four days
 - c. for a few weeks
2. what does the doctor say about the patient's cold ?
 - a. it will probably go away on its own.
 - b. it will probably cause a chest infection later.
 - c. it may be caused by having several colds at the same time.
3. What does the doctor say about the patient's bike accident ?
 - a. the patient probably wasn't seriously injured since he didn't pass out.
 - b. the patient did not do the right thing after having the accident.
 - c. the patient should go to the hospital now for further checks.
4. what does the doctor say the patient should do now ?
 - a. avoid using the bike until next week.
 - b. avoid using the bike for several weeks.
 - c. do the race, but slowly.
5. what will the patient need to do if he needs injections for his holiday ?
 - a. return to the doctor.
 - b. get the injections from someone at reception.
 - c. get the injections from a nurse.