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Finding Cures

← Read pages 20–23.

1 Circle the correct words.

- 1 Vaccines teach a person's body how to get / stop a disease.
- 2 Smallpox is a doctor / disease that killed millions of people.
- 3 Doctors in Asia and Africa gave people a weak / strong smallpox disease.
- 4 This worked as a vaccine on some / all people.
- 5 Edward Jenner made vaccines from a disease called cowpox / smallpox.

2 Correct the sentences.

- 1 Today, artists and mechanics inject vaccines.

Today, doctors and nurses inject vaccines.

- 2 A vaccine is made from a strong type of a virus or bacteria.

- 3 When a vaccine is inside the body, the body stops making antibodies.

- 4 Antibodies are substances in the hair that can kill viruses and bacteria.

3 Match. Then write the sentences.

Louis Pasteur discovered	is to wash our hands often!
Joseph Lister made	that make wounds become infected.
Antiseptics can kill	we get bacteria on our hands.
Antiseptics can kill	bacteria on tools used in surgery.
bacteria	that bacteria in the air could cause disease.
When we touch things,	the first antiseptics.
The best way to prevent	
infections	

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4 Write about penicillin. Answer the questions.

- 1 What is penicillin?

- 2 Who discovered it? When?

- 3 How did penicillin help in World War II?