# **CHINO VALLEY ADULT SCHOOL**

# E. L. Civics Student Workbook

# Beginning Low – Beginning High Levels 1-2



# **CIVIC OBJECTIVE 28.5:**

Access the health care system and be able to interact with the providers.

Name:	
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# Task 1 Make an Appointment



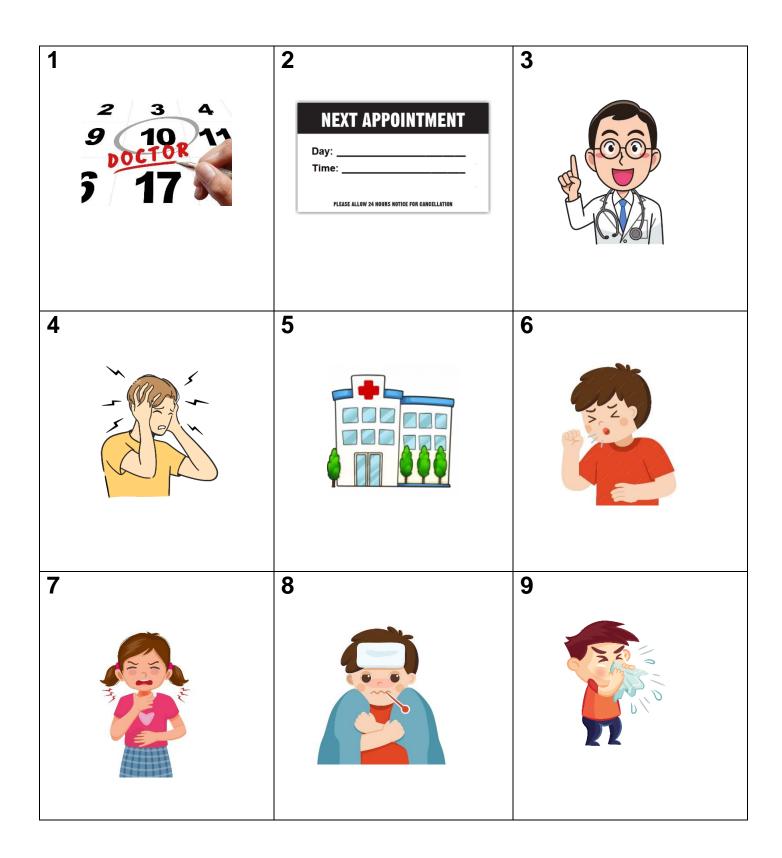
STUDENT ACTIVITIES

# **TASK 1 VOCABULARY: MAKE AN APPOINTMENT**

**Directions: Practice the vocabulary words.** 

9 10 11 3 17 5 appointment	NEXT APPOINTMENT  Day: Time:  PLEASE ALLOW 24 HOURS NOTICE FOR CANCELLATION  appointment card	doctor
headache	medical office / clinic	cough
sore throat	fever	cold

**TASK 1 VOCABULARY: MAKE AN APPOINTMENT** 



**TASK 1 VOCABULARY: MAKE AN APPOINTMENT** 

Directions: Write the missing words under each picture.

9 10 11 5 17 5	NEXT APPOINTMENT  Day: Time:  PLEASE ALLOW 24 HOURS NOTICE FOR CANCELLATION	

**TASK 1 MAKE AN APPOINTMENT: PRACTICE SENTENCES** 

Directions: Practice using the vocabulary words in sentences.



TASK 1 MAKE AN APPOINTMENT: PRACTICE SENTENCES

Directions: Write a sentence with a vocabulary word for each picture.

9 10 11 9 10 11 7 17 1	NEXT APPOINTMENT  Day: Time:  Please allow 24 Hours Notice for Cancellation	

**TASK 1: READING AN APPOINTMENT CARD** 

# Bright Dental Clinic 298 Fairview Road Chino, CA 91710 Julie Wong HAS AN APPOINTMENT Friday, November 15, 2024 DAY MONTH DATE AT: 10:30AM

1.	What is the name of the clinic?
2.	What is the address of the clinic?
3.	What is the name of the patient?
4.	What is the date of the appointment?
5.	What is the time of the appointment?

(Adapted from: https://en.islcollective.com/english-esl-worksheets/general-topic/dates/dentist-appointment-card/115099)

# **TASK 1: READING AN APPOINTMENT CARD (CONTINUED)**

Directions: Read the appointment card and answer the questions

# Chino Medical Clinic 6378 Central Ave Chino, CA 91710



# **Brandon Taylor**

HAS AN APPOINTMENT

Monday, December 2, 2024

DAY MONTH DATE

AT: **1:30PM** 

1.	What is the name of the clinic?
2.	What is the address of the clinic?
3.	What is the name of the patient?
4.	What is the date of the appointment?
5.	What is the time of the appointment?

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# **TASK 1: READING AN APPOINTMENT CARD (CONTINUED)**

Directions: Look at each appointment card below and answer the questions.

Chino Family Physicians	Appointment Card
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Appointment Time: 1:30PM With: Dr. Lopez Please arrive 10 minutes before your appointment. Please call (828) 459-7687 if you need to cancel your appointment. 1. What is the patient's name? \_\_\_\_\_ 2. What is the Dr.'s name? 3. What time should the patient arrive? \_ 4. What should he do if he needs to cancel his appointment? **Ontario Health Office Appointment Card** Patient's Name: Elizabeth Lee **Appointment Time: 9:00AM** With: Dr. Curtis Please arrive 15 minutes before your appointment. Please call (704) 892-5682 if you need to cancel or reschedule your appointment. 5. What is the patient's name? 6. Who is providing the medical care? 7. What time should the patient arrive? \_\_\_\_\_ 8. What should she do if she needs to reschedule her appointment? (Adapted from: https://www.nc-net.info/ELA/Caldwell/Year\_2/Lesson\_Plans/DrAppointment/drappointment-02.php) TASK 1: MAKING AN APPOINTMENT TO SEE A DOCTOR Directions: Practice the role play with a partner using different medical problems. Receptionist: Dr. Lee's office. How can I help you?

**Robert Stevens** 

Patient's Name:

Patient:	Hello. This is	. I'd like to make an appointment.
Receptionist:	What's the problem?	
Patient:	I have a bad	
Receptionist:	Can you come in tomorrow at 10:30A	AM?
Patient:	Tomorrow at 10:00AM? Yes. Thank y	ou.

Medical Problems:			
stomachache	headache	backache	cough
earache	sore throat	fever	cold

### Directions: Work with a partner to act out the role play:

### Role Play 1—Student A

You're a secretary in Doctor Wong's office. Someone is calling the office. You have only two appointments available—this afternoon at 4:45 and tomorrow morning at 10:00.

# Role Play 1—Student B

You have a stiff neck and a headache. You want to make an appointment with Doctor Wong. You need an appointment as soon as possible.

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# TASK 1: MAKING AN APPOINTMENT TO SEE A DOCTOR (CONTINUED)

Directions: Read the role plays and fill out the appointment cards for the patient.

Receptionist: Dr. Martinez's office. How can I help you?

Patient: Hello. This is Nicholas Brown. I'd like to make an appointment.

Receptionist: Can you come in Monday, November 25 at 9:30AM?

Patient: Monday, November 25 at 9:30AM? Yes. Thank you.

NEXT APPOINTMENT
Day:
PLEASE ALLOW 24 HOURS NOTICE FOR CANCELLATION

Receptionist: Dr. Ali's office. How can I help you?

Patient: Hello. This is Melissa Wang. I'd like to make an appointment.

Receptionist: Can you come in Thursday, December 5 at 1:30PM?

Patient: Thursday, December 5 at 1:30PM? Yes. Thank you.

NEXT APPOINTMENT
Day:
PLEASE ALLOW 24 HOURS NOTICE FOR CANCELLATION

# TASK 1: MAKING AN APPOINTMENT TO SEE A DOCTOR (CONTINUED)

Directions: Read the role plays and fill out the appointment cards for the patient.

Receptionist: Dr. Kim's office. How can I help you?

Patient: Hello. This is Wendy Lee. I'd like to make an appointment.

Receptionist: Can you come in Wednesday, November 13 at 10:00AM?

Patient: Wednesday, November 13 at 10:00AM? Yes. Thank you.

NEXT APPOINTMENT
Day:
PLEASE ALLOW 24 HOURS NOTICE FOR CANCELLATION

Receptionist: Dr. Monroe's office. How can I help you?

Patient: Hello. This is Jacob Wilson. I'd like to make an appointment.

Receptionist: Can you come in Friday, October 18 at 2:00PM?

Patient: Friday, October 18 at 2:00PM? Yes. Thank you.

NEXT APPOINTMENT
Day:
PLEASE ALLOW 24 HOURS NOTICE FOR CANCELLATION

TASK 1 READING: MAKE AN APPOINTMENT

Directions: Practice the role play with a partner.

Receptionist: Hello, Ontario Medical Offices. May I help you?

Anna: Hello, I want to make an appointment to see Dr. Taylor.

Receptionist: OK. What's your name?

Anna: My name is Anna Garcia. G-A-R-C-I-A.

Receptionist: Are you a new patient?

Anna: No, I've seen Dr. Taylor before.

Receptionist: Why do you want to see the doctor?

Anna: I have a sore throat.

Receptionist: I can give you an appointment today at 2:30. Is that okay?

Anna: Yes, I can be there at 2:30PM.

Receptionist: Do you have medical insurance?

Anna: Yes, I will bring my new insurance card.

Receptionist: Okay, please come today at 2:30PM.

Anna: Thank you. Goodbye.

Directions: Read the sentences and tell if they're true or false.

1. Anna is a new patient .	TRUE	FALSE
2. Anna has medical insurance.	TRUE	FALSE
3. Anna will see the doctor tomorrow.	TRUE	FALSE
4. Anna is sick today.	TRUE	FALSE

(Adapted from: http://www.web-esl.com/health/record.html)

# TASK 1 ROLE PLAY: MAKE AN APPOINTMENT

Directions: Practice the role play with a partner. Answer the questions with your own information.

**Receptionist:** Hello. Chino Medical Clinic. May I help you?

Patient: Hello. I want to make an appointment.

**Receptionist:** What is your name?

Patient: My name is Jessica Brown.

**Receptionist:** What is the problem?

Patient: I have a sore throat.

**Receptionist:** What is your telephone number?

**Patient:** My number is 909-555-1234.

**Receptionist:** Can you come on Tuesday at 2:00PM?

Patient: Yes, I can.

**Receptionist:** Okay, the doctor will see you on Tuesday at 2:00PM.

Patient: Thank you. Goodbye.



# **TASK 1 ROLE PLAY: MAKE AN APPOINTMENT (CONTINUED)**

Directions: Practice the role play several times with a partner and use the sentences at the bottom to tell a different problem each time.

**Receptionist:** Hello. Chino Medical Clinic. May I help you?

Patient: Hello. I want to make an appointment.

**Receptionist:** What is your name?

**Patient:** My name is Tom Green.

**Receptionist:** What is the problem?

Patient:

**Receptionist:** What is your telephone number?

**Patient:** My number is 909-555-1234.

**Receptionist:** Can you come on Thursday at 3:00PM?

Patient: Yes, I can.

**Receptionist:** Okay, the doctor will see you on Thursday at 3:00PM.

Patient: Thank you. Goodbye.

# \* Possible answers:

- I have a cold.
- I'm sick.
- I have a sore throat.
- I have a headache.
- I have a fever.
- I have a cough.



TASK 1 PRACTICE: MAKE AN APPOINTMENT

Directions: Practice the role play with a partner and fill out the appointment card.

**Receptionist:** Hello. Chino Valley Medical Clinic. May I help you?

Patient: Hello. I want to make an appointment.

**Receptionist:** What is your name?

**Patient:** My name is James Williams.

**Receptionist:** What is the problem?

Patient: I have a cough and a sore throat.

**Receptionist:** What is your telephone number?

Patient: My number is 909-555-2946

**Receptionist:** Can you come on Wednesday at 3:30PM?

Patient: Yes, I can.

**Receptionist:** Okay, the doctor will see you on Wednesday at 3:30PM.

Patient: Thank you. Goodbye.



TASK 1 PRACTICE: APPOINTMENT (CONTINUED)

**MAKE AN** 

Directions: Practice the role play with a partner and fill out the appointment card. Hello. Chino Valley Medical Clinic. May I help you? Receptionist: Patient: Hello. I want to make an appointment. What is your name? Receptionist: My name is \_\_\_\_\_ Patient: **Receptionist:** What is the problem? I have a \_\_\_\_\_\_. Patient: What is your telephone number? Receptionist: Patient: My number is Receptionist: Can you come on Monday at 10:00AM? Yes, I can. Patient: **Receptionist:** Okay, the doctor will see you on Monday at 10:00AM. Patient: Thank you. Goodbye. **NEXT APPOINTMENT** Day: \_\_\_\_\_ Time: \_\_\_\_\_

PLEASE ALLOW 24 HOURS NOTICE FOR CANCELLATION

# Task 2

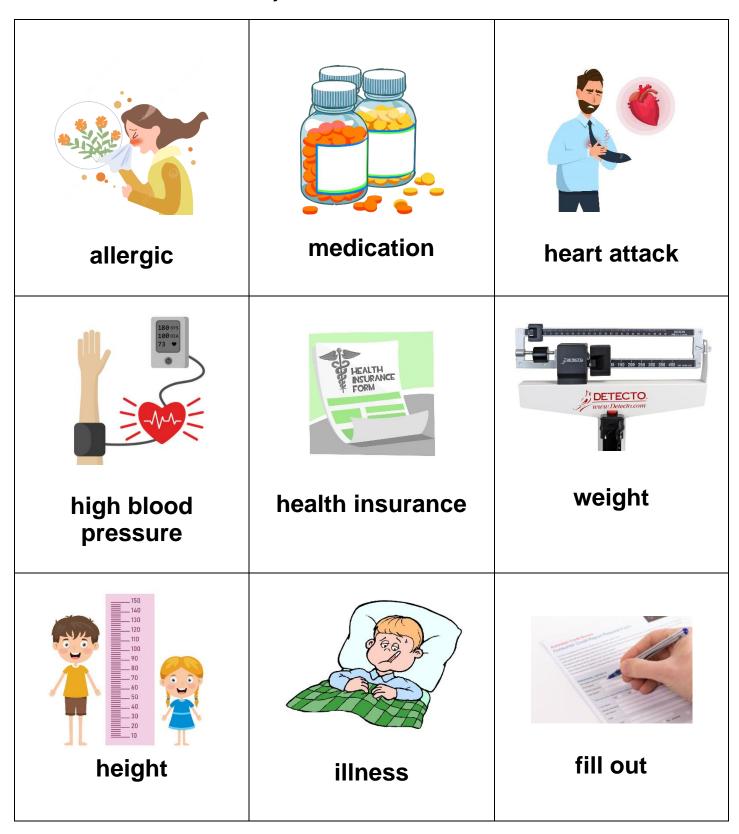
# **Complete a Health History Form**

Description of the Name   Properties   Contact   Conta
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# **STUDENT ACTIVITIES**

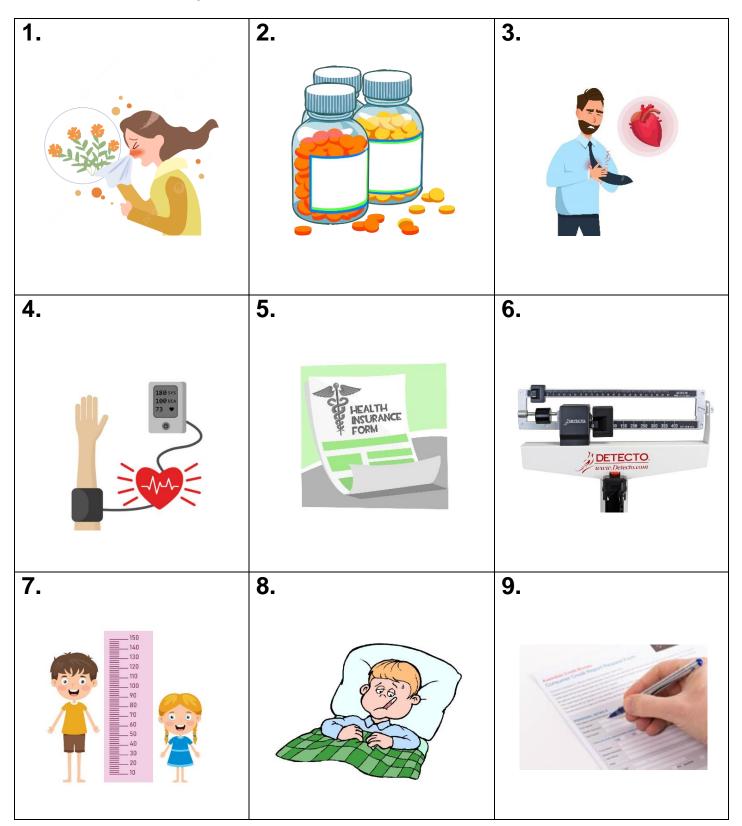
# TASK 2 VOCABULARY: COMPLETE A HEALTH HISTORY FORM

Directions: Practice the vocabulary words.



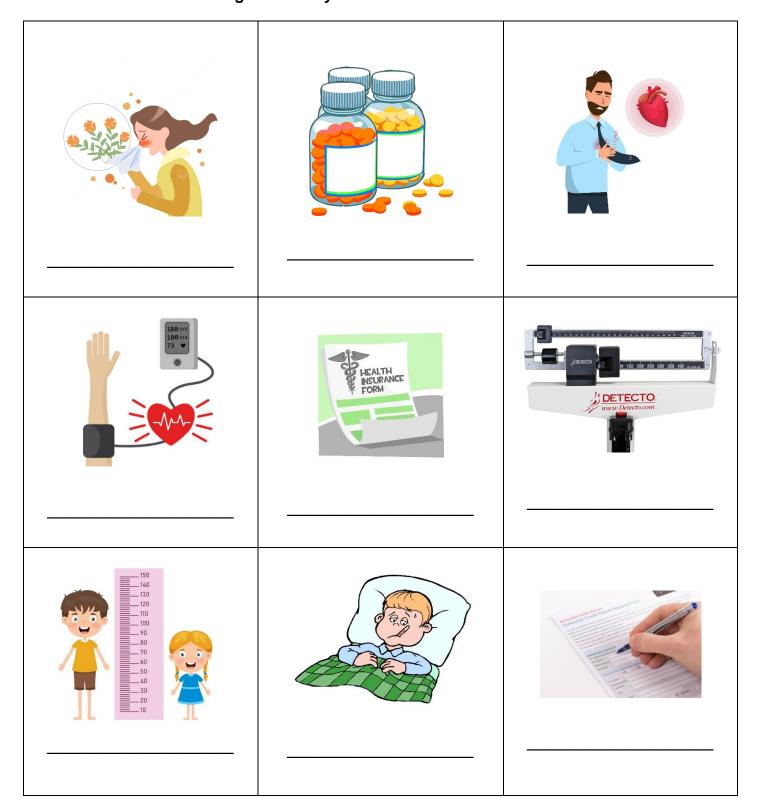
# TASK 2 VOCABULARY: COMPLETE A HEALTH HISTORY FORM

Directions: Work with a partner. Ask each other: "What is number 1?", "What is number 2?"



TASK 2 VOCABULARY: COMPLETE A HEALTH HISTORY FORM

# Directions: Write the missing vocabulary words.



**TASK 2: FIND SOMEONE ACTIVITY** 

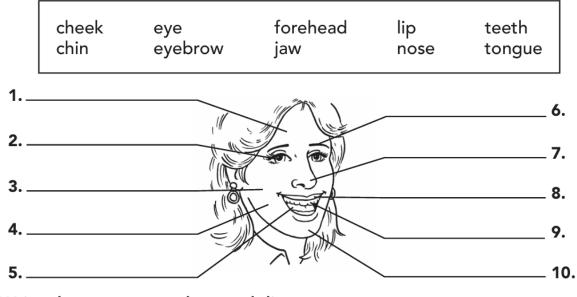
Directions: Ask different classmates these "Have you ever...?" questions. Write their answers and names in the boxes below.

Have you ever	Yes or No	Name of Student
broken a leg?		
had the flu?		
been to the Emergency Room?		
used prescriptions in the US?		
used something other than medicine when you were sick?		
called a doctor's office to make an appointment?		
had surgery?		

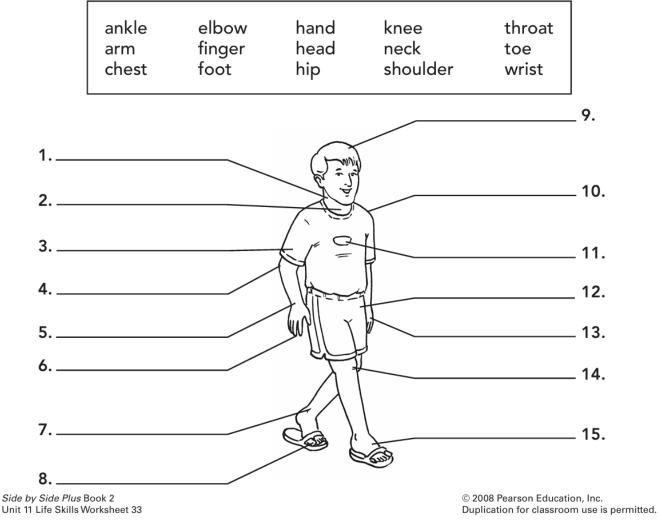
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# TASK 2 VOCABULARY: PARTS OF THE FACE AND BODY

## A. Write the correct word on each line.



# B. Write the correct word on each line.



**TASK 2: DISCUSSION QUESTIONS** 



# **Discussion Questions: Medical Health History**

- 1. What are some common health problems in your native country?
- 2. Where do you go to get help with medical problems?
- 3. Do you go to an English-speaking doctor or medical clinic now?
- 4. Describe a time when you or a family member had an emergency. Where did you or your family member go for help?
- 5. How do you feel when you have to go to the doctor or urgent care?
- 6. Have you ever filled out a medical history form?

# TASK 2: COMPLETE A HEALTH HISTORY FORM

I	Read the form. Fi	ind the i	llnesses and	cond	itions. Discuss the	e meanings.			
	PATIENT HEALTH QUE	STIONNAIR	RE						
	Name Blanca Gor	nes		_ Date o	of Birth <u>8/21/69</u>	M 🗹 F			
	Address 621 Arizo	na Ave	El Paso, TX	19902	Phone (915) 5	55-3538			
	Address	,		Please check illnesses   Childhood   Measles   Adult   Asthma   Diabetes					
	Please check illnesses			Adult	Asthma	Diabetes			
				Adult	Asthma High Blood Pressure	☐ Diabetes ☐ Tuberculosis			

**B** Read the form again. Answer the questions.

- 1. What illnesses did Ms. Gomes have as a child? measles, mumps, and chicken pox
- 2. What illnesses does she have now?
- 3. What medicine does she take?
- 4. What medicine is she allergic to?

2 WRITE

Complete the form for yourself. Use true or made-up information.

PATIENT HEALTH QUE	STIONNAIR	E			
Name			Date o	f Birth	
Address				Phone	
Please check illnesses	Childhood	Measles	Adult	Asthma	Diabetes
or conditions you have				High Blood Pressure	Tuberculosis
now or had in the past		Chicken Pox		☐ HIV/AIDS	☐ Heart Disease
Are you allergic to any me	dicine? Pleas	e list:			
Are you currently taking a	ny medicatio	n? Please list:			

# **TASK 2 READING: HEALTH HISTORY**

Look at the chart about medical information to answer questions 1 and 2.

Name	Age	Condition
Joseph Clark	30	High Blood Pressure
Rita Clark	29	Allergies
Justin Clark	10	Diabetes
Scott Clark	8	Asthma

- 1. How old is Justin Clark?
  - A. 10
  - B. 8
  - C. 29
  - D. 30

- 2. Who has asthma?
  - A. Joseph Clark
  - B. Rita Clark
  - C. Justin Clark
  - D. Scott Clark

# TASK 2 READING: A MEDICAL HISTORY FORM

Refer to the medical history form to answer questions 1 and 2.

	PATIENT MEDICAL HISTORY FORM
1.	Name Joyce Hamilton
2.	Address 1804 Fleet St. Charlestown, RI 02813
3.	Date of birth 12/09/1947
4.	Telephone number <u>555-666-2489</u>
5.	Employer Pear Enterprises
6.	Primary care physician <u>Dr. J.A. Egbert</u>
7.	Your current medical condition(s) asthma, hives
0	
8.	List prescription and non-prescription medications you are taking corticosteroids, antihistamines

- 1. Which condition does Joyce have?
  - A. headaches
  - B. diabetes
  - C. asthma
  - D. allergies

- 2. What medication is Joyce taking?
  - A. ibuprofen
  - B. antihistamines
  - C. beta blockers
  - D. garlic pills

# TASK 2 READING: A MEDICAL HISTORY FORM (CONTINUED)

Directions: Read the medical history form and answer the questions.

District of the	NE	W PATIENT I	NFORMATION		Water State of State
Please write all i	nformation clea	arly.			
First name:	Bao Yu		Last name:	Cheng	
Date of birth (m		7 / 02 / 80	and the second		
Insurance compa	any: Heal-	thy Sure	_ Group number:	0000-128	86-4429
Are you currentl	y under the car	e of a physician	n for any condition?	<b>✓</b> yes □	no
Name of doctor:			Reason: <u>aller</u>	gies and a	sthma
Please list all me	dications you a	re currently tal	king. <u>Breathe</u> 1	Мах	
Are you allergic	to any medicat	ions? 🗹 ye	s 🗌 no Which?	penicilli	in
Please use a / to	record any me	edical condition	ns that you or any family	members h	nave or ha
riease use a v		family	is that you or any running		family
		member		you	membe
allergies	9	Ø	heart disease		
asthma	<b>I</b>		hepatitis		
cancer			hypertension		V
diabetes	Simple Harris	1	high cholester	ol 🗆	V
tuberculosis (TB)			HIV/AIDS		
Please explain. father has all	I'm allergic t ergies and dia	to dust, cats obetes. My m	, and dogs. I also ha other has hypertensio	ave asthmo n and high	a. my . cholester
Have you ever re	eceived treatme	ent for a menta 2007 + Aug.	al condition? √yes 2008 I saw a doct	no no or for depr	ession.
riease explain.		0			
at medical co	nditions doe	s Bao Yu h	ave?		
at medication	is Bao Yu c	currently tak	ing?		
		s insurance			

# TASK 2 READING: A MEDICAL HISTORY FORM (CONTINUED)

Directions: Read the medical history form and answer the questions.

<b>Medical History</b>	Pleas	se record all informa	ation clearly	and co	mpletely.
		Last name:	Monte	25	
Date of birth (mm/dd/yy	07/06/55				
Do you have health insu Insurance company nam			cy number		
Are you under the care of the second of the					hs.
Are you taking any med	ication at present?	🗵 yes 🗌 no Wh	ich?	etolazo	ne
Are you allergic to any r	nedications?	🗷 yes 🗌 no Wh	ich?a	noxicill	in
Do you have any other a lf yes, please explain.			900 (366) 38 (200) (1009 (	1 346 11 34	1,534 2083 1,584
Have you been hospitali If yes, please explain					look!
Have you ever received to the second				08 to M	ay 2010.
Please use an X to recor	d any medical cond	litions that you or any	y family mem	bers cu	rrently
You	Family Member			You	Family Member
asthma		heart dise high chol			×
What medical conditio	ns does Arturo	Montes have?			
2. What medication is Ar	turo Montes cur	rently taking?			
3. Is Arturo Montes aller	gic to any medic	cation? If yes, wha	it?		

#### TASK 2 PRACTICE: COMPLETE A HEALTH HISTORY FORM

Directions: Read the story and use the information to fill in the medical history form. Leave some sections blank if the information is not in the story.

A. Melissa Ann Louis is a new patient at Midtown Medical Associates. She was born on July 15, 1982, in California. She lives at 4837 Euclid Ave. in Ontario, CA 91761 and her cell phone number is 909-555-2386. She doesn't have any other phone numbers. Her emergency contact is her husband, Michael Louis, and his cell phone number is 909-555-1248.

Melissa is 5'6 and weighs 137 pounds. She has allergies and asthma, so she takes allergy medication called Zetec and uses an inhaler called Airways. She does not have any other symptoms right now, but she wants to see the doctor soon for a checkup.

# B. Complete the medical history form.

	.,	wn Medical As		
Name	IRST		LAST	
Address	STREET	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE
Daytime Phone		_ Evening Phone	Cell	
Emergency Contact:	Name		Relationsh	nip
	Phone			
HeightWei	ght			
Check any conditions	s or diseases you have	e:		
allergies	cancer	heart disease	kidne	y disease
asthma	diabetes	high blood pre	essure	
Check any symptoms	you have:			
bad cough	depression	headaches	bleeding easily	trouble sleeping
chest pains	fainting	nausea	trouble eating	
If you checked any it	ems above, please ex	plain:		

# TASK 2 PRACTICE: COMPLETE A HEALTH HISTORY FORM (CONT.)

Directions: Read the story and use the information to fill out a health history form for Julia Taylor. <u>Do not use your own information.</u>

Julia Marie Taylor is going to see a new doctor today, but first she must fill out a health history form with her personal information. Julia lives in a house at 875 Central Ave. in Chino, CA, 91710. Her phone number is 909-555-1234. Julia was born on May 23, 1978. She weighs 128 pounds and is 5 foot 6 inches tall. Julia has high blood pressure and takes blood pressure medicine called Zenolol for it. She doesn't take any other medications or have any other illnesses. She is not allergic to any medications. Julia has health insurance from her job as a teacher. The health insurance company's name is Kaiser, and her policy number is 8363321.

#### **HEALTH HISTORY FORM**

Name:						
			□ M □ F			
Address:		City, State, Zip Code:				
Phone number:		Date of birth (MM/DD/	YYYY):			
Weight:		Height:				
Check illnesses you have now or had in the past:						
□ asthma	☐ diabetes		☐ high blood pressure			
□ cancer	☐ heart attack		□ measles			
Do you currently take any medication? ☐ Yes ☐ No						
If yes, list the medications?						
Are you allergic to any medication? ☐ Yes ☐ No						
If yes, what medication?						
Do you have health insurance?	□ Ye	es 🗆 No				
If yes, insurance company name:		policy numb	er:			

TASK 2 PRACTICE: COMPLETE A HEALTH HISTORY FORM (CONT.)

#### Directions: Read the story and use the information to fill out a health history form.

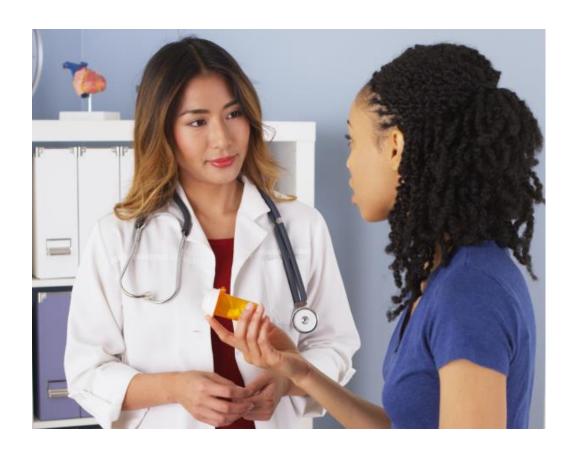
David Michael Brown is going to see a new doctor today, but first he needs to fill out a health history form with his personal information. David lives in a house at 1321 Peyton Dr. in Chino Hills, CA, 91709. His phone number is 909-555-7364. David was born on October 31, 1985. He weighs 168 pounds and is 6 foot 2 inches tall. David has allergies and takes allergy medicine called Zetec for them. He doesn't take any other medications or have any other illnesses, but he is allergic to penicillin. David has health insurance from his job. The health insurance company's name is HealthyNet, and his policy number is 49857721.

#### **HEALTH HISTORY FORM**

Name:					
Address:		City, State, Zip Code:			
Phone number:		Date of birth (MM/DD/Y	YYY):		
Weight:		Height:			
Check illnesses you have now or	had in the pas	st:			
□ asthma	□ diabetes		☐ high blood pressure		
□ cancer	☐ heart attack		□ measles		
Do you currently take any medica	tion? $\Box$	∕es □ No			
If yes, list the medications?					
Are you allergic to any medication	n? □ Y	′es □ No			
If you what madigation?					
If yes, what medication?					
Do you have health insurance?	□ Ye	es □ No			
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If yes, insurance company name:		policy numbe	r:		

# Task 3

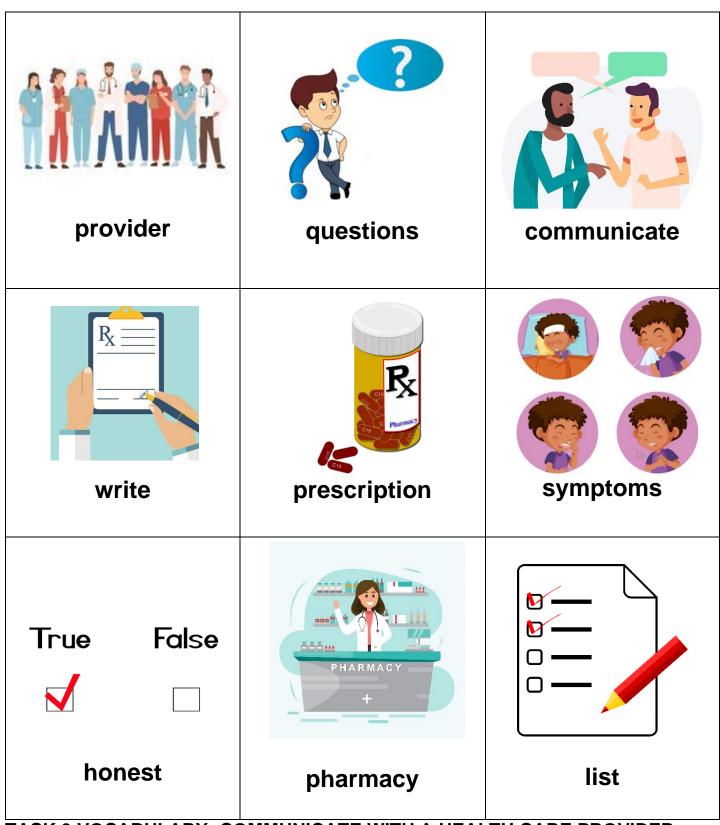
## **Communicate with a Health Care Provider**



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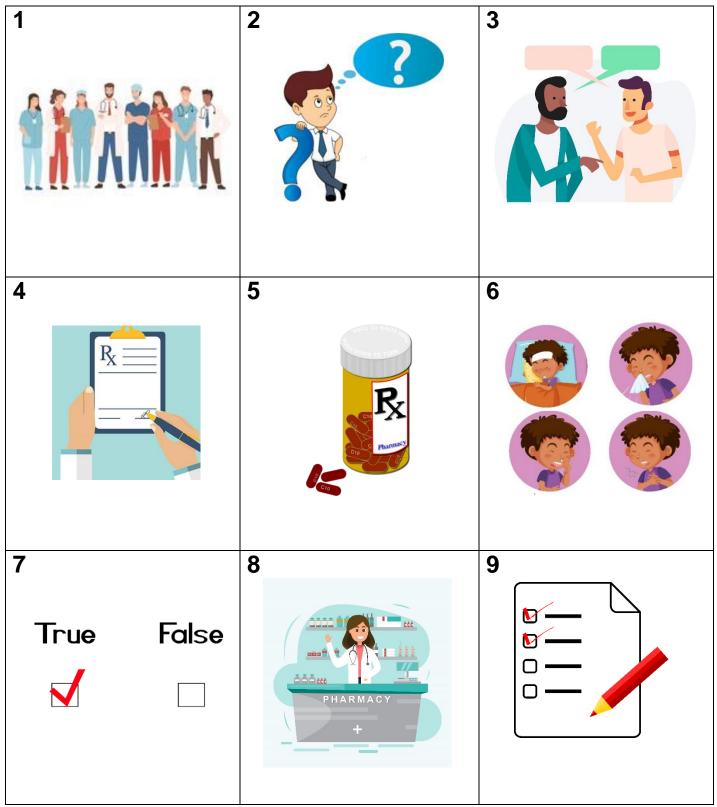
TASK 3 VOCABULARY: COMMUNICATE WITH A HEALTH CARE PROVIDER

Directions: Practice the vocabulary words.



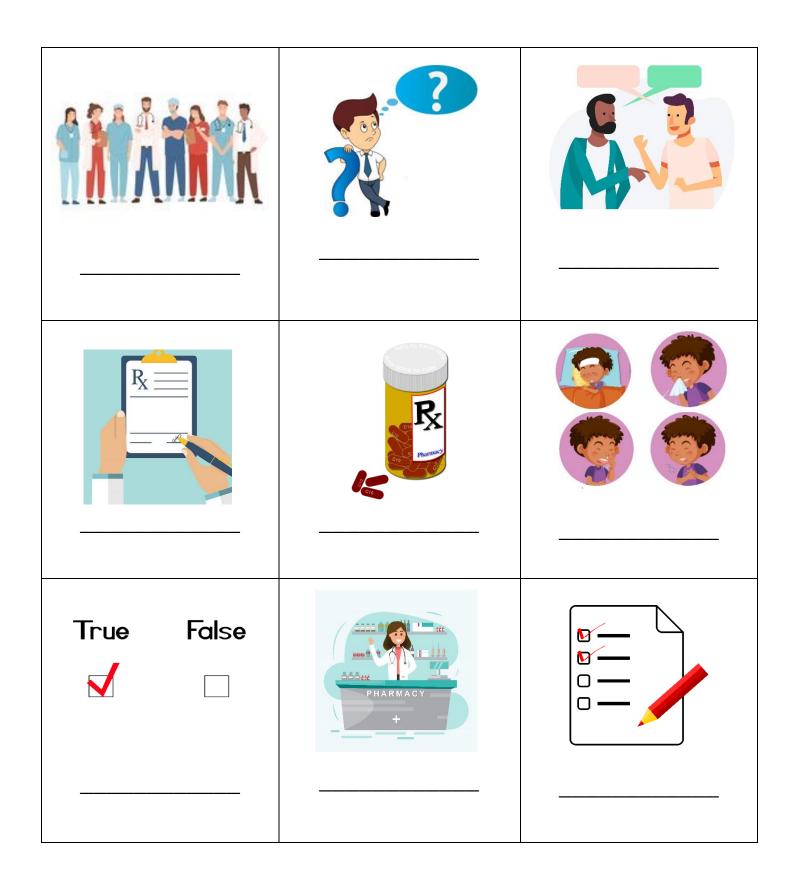
TASK 3 VOCABULARY: COMMUNICATE WITH A HEALTH CARE PROVIDER

Directions: Work with a partner. Ask each other: "What is number 1?", "What is number 2?"



TASK 3 VOCABULARY: COMMUNICATE WITH A HEALTH CARE PROVIDER

Directions: Write the missing words under each picture.



TASK 3 READING: TALKING WITH YOUR DOCTOR

Directions: Read the article and answer the questions below.

Talking with your doctor is one of the most important parts of getting good health care. Unfortunately, talking to your doctor isn't always easy, especially when you're still learning English.

You and your doctor can work as a team, along with nurses, pharmacists, and other health care providers, to solve your medical problems and keep you healthy.

You should ask questions if you don't understand the doctor's instructions are, tell them about new problems, and let the doctor know if you're worried about taking a new medicine.

Make sure to ask questions, so you and your doctor can understand each other.

#### When talking with your doctor ...

Be honest — The doctor is there to help you, so it's important to answer questions honestly. For example, if the doctor asks about your diet, you should tell the truth even if you're not eating healthy foods.

**Decide which questions are most important** — Make a list of your questions and give the list to the doctor at the beginning of your appointment.

#### **True or False?**

You shouldn't ask your doctor any questions.	TRUE	FALSE
2. You should be honest with your doctor.	TRUE	FALSE
3. Talking with your doctor is important for good health care.	TRUE	FALSE
4. You can make a list of questions to ask your doctor.	TRUE	FALSE
5. Sometimes, it's okay to lie to the doctor.	TRUE	FALSE

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#### TASK 3 PRACTICE: TALKING WITH A DOCTOR

Directions: Practice the role plays with a partner. Then answer the questions below.

Doctor: Good morning. Why are you here today?

Patient: I'm feeling very sick.

Doctor: What are your symptoms?

Patient: I have a cough and a sore throat.

Doctor: Are you taking any medicine?

Patient: No, I'm not.

Doctor: Do you have a fever?

Patient: Yes, I do.

Doctor: Here is a prescription. Take your medicine twice a day, for 10 days.

Patient: Thank you, Doctor.

#### Follow-up visit:

Doctor: Good morning. How are you feeling?

Patient: I'm feeling much better. My fever is gone.

Doctor: Are you taking your medicine?

Patient: Yes, I am.

Doctor: That's good. Make sure to take it with food and drink a lot of water.

Patient: Okay. Thank you.

## 1. What are the patient's symptoms?

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## 2. What did the doctor give the patient?

#### TASK 3 READING: COMMUNICATE WITH A HEALTH CARE PROVIDER

Directions: Read the role play and answer the questions below.

**Doctor:** Good morning. My name is Doctor Stanford. Patient: Hello. My name is Brenda Stevens. **Doctor:** What's the matter? Patient: I have a sore throat. **Doctor:** How long have you had this problem? Patient: For about four days. **Doctor:** How are you feeling now? I have a headache. Patient: **Doctor:** Okay, I'm going to write you a prescription. Take the medicine for 10 days and you should feel better. Do you have any questions for me? Patient: Yes, how long do I need to take the medicine? Ten days. Doctor: Patient: Thank you, Doctor Stanford. **Questions:** 1. What's wrong with Brenda? 2. What did Dr. Smith give Brenda?

3. How long does Brenda need to take the medicine? \_\_\_\_\_

#### TASK 3 ROLE PLAY: DESCRIBE SYMPTOMS

Directions: Practice describing different symptoms. Fill in the missing answers.

**Doctor:** Hello. My name is Dr. Liu.

Patient: Hello, Dr. Liu. My name is \_\_\_\_\_\_.

**Doctor:** What's the matter?

Patient: \_\_\_\_\_. \*

**Doctor:** How long have you had this problem?

Patient: For about \_\_\_\_\_ days.

\* Possible answers:

I have a sore throat.

I have a runny nose.

I have a fever.

I have a headache.

I have a cough.

I have chest pain.







**Runny Nose** 



Cough



**Chest Pain** 

#### TASK 3 PRACTICE: COMMUNICATE WITH A HEALTH CARE PROVIDER

Directions: Practice the role play with a partner. Fill in the missing answers.

**Doctor:** Hello. My name is Dr. Smith. Hello. My name is \_\_\_\_\_\_. Patient: What's the matter? Doctor: Patient: **Doctor:** How long have you had this problem? Patient: For about three days. How are you feeling now? **Doctor:** Patient: I feel tired. **Doctor:** Okay, I'm going to write you a prescription. Take the medicine for 10 days and you should feel better.

\* Possible answers:

Thank you, Dr. Smith.

I have a sore throat.

I have a runny nose.

I have a fever.

Patient:

I have a headache.

I have a cough.



## TASK 3 PRACTICE: COMMUNICATE WITH A HEALTH CARE PROVIDER (CONT.)

Directions: Practice the role play with a partner. Introduce yourself and answer the questions.

Doctor: Hello. My name is Doctor Lewis.

Patient: Hello. My name is Mary Brown.

Doctor: What's the matter?

Patient: I have a sore throat.

Doctor: How long have you had this problem?

Patient: For 2 days.

Doctor: How are you feeling now?

Patient: I feel very tired.

Doctor: Okay, I'm going to write you a prescription. Take the medicine

for 7 days, and you should feel better.

Patient: Thank you, Doctor Lewis.

Doctor: What am I going to give you?

Patient: A prescription.

Doctor: How many days do you need to take the medicine?

Patient: 7 days.

## TASK 3 PRACTICE: COMMUNICATE WITH A HEALTH CARE PROVIDER (CONT.)

Directions: Practice the role play with a partner. Introduce yourself and answer the questions.

Doctor: Hello. My name is Doctor Perez.

Patient: Hello. My name is Sara Kim.

Doctor: What's the matter?

Patient: I have a cough.

Doctor: How long have you had this problem?

Patient: For 3 days.

Doctor: How are you feeling now?

Patient: I feel very sick.

Doctor: Okay, I'm going to write you a prescription. Take the medicine

for 10 days, and you should feel better.

Patient: Thank you, Doctor Perez.

Doctor: What am I going to give you?

Patient: A prescription.

Doctor: How many days do you need to take the medicine?

Patient: 10 days.

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#### TASK 3 PRACTICE: COMMUNICATE WITH A HEALTH CARE PROVIDER (CONT.)

Directions: Practice the role play with a partner. Introduce yourself and answer the questions.

Doctor: Hello. My name is Doctor Green.

Patient: Hello. My name is \_\_\_\_\_.

Doctor: What's the matter?

Patient: I have \_\_\_\_\_\_.

Doctor: How long have you had this problem?

Patient: For .

Doctor: How are you feeling now?

Patient: I feel \_\_\_\_\_.

Doctor: Okay, I'm going to write you a prescription. Take the medicine

for 10 days, and you should feel better.

Patient: Thank you, Doctor Green.

Doctor: What am I going to give you?

Patient: A prescription.

Doctor: How many days do you need to take the medicine?

Patient: 10 days.

