

MINIMUM CORE VOCABULARY LIST FOR TOPIC AREAS A, B & C

A4 HEALTH AND FITNESS		
Saying how well/unwell you feel		
病	bìng	illness; disease
觉得	jué de	feel; think
看病	kàn bìng	see a doctor
身体	shēn tǐ	body
生病	shēng bìng	be sick/ ill
受伤	shòu shāng	injured
舒服	shū fu	comfortable
疼	téng	ache; pain
体重	tǐ zhòng	weight
我觉得不舒服	wǒ jué de bù shū fu.	I am feeling unwell.
吸烟	xī yān	to smoke
Saying where a pain is and giving symptoms		
鼻子	bí zi	nose
肚子	dù zi	belly
恶心	ě xīn	nausea
耳朵	ěr duo	ear
发烧	fā shāo	have a fever
脚	jiǎo	foot
咳嗽	ké sou	cough
流血	liú xiě	bleed vt.
你哪儿不舒服?	nǐ nár bù shū fu?	Which part of your body is feeling unwell?
皮肤	pí fū	skin
嗓子	sǎng zi	throat
身体	shēn tǐ	body
手	shǒu	hand
手指	shǒu zhǐ	finger
疼	téng	ache; pain
头	tóu	head
头发	tóu fa	hair
腿	tuǐ	leg
胃	wèi	stomach
西药	xī yào	western medicine
心	xīn	heart
牙齿	yá chǐ	teeth
严重	yán zhòng	serious
眼睛	yǎn jīng	eye
嘴	zuǐ	mouth

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Calling for help; medical personnel		
打电话	dǎ diàn huà	make a phone call
大夫	dài fu	doctor
护士	hù shì	nurse
救护车	jiù hù chē	ambulance
请你帮助我	qǐng nǐ bāng zhù wǒ.	please help me
牙医	yá yī	dentist
医生	yī shēng	doctor
At the chemist or hospital		
草药	cǎo yào	Chinese herbal medicine
吃药	chī yào	take medicine
出院	chū yuàn	be discharged from hospital
打针	dǎ zhēn	have an injection
开刀	kāi dāo	have an operation
看病	kàn bìng	see a doctor
西药	xī yào	western medicine
西医	xī yī	doctor of modern medicine
药	yào	medicine
药店	yào diàn	drugstore; chemist's
药房	yào fáng	pharmacy; dispensary
医院	yī yuàn	hospital
治疗	zhì liáo	treatment
中药	zhōng yào	Chinese medicine
中医	zhōng yī	doctor of traditional Chinese medicine
住院	zhù yuàn	be in hospital