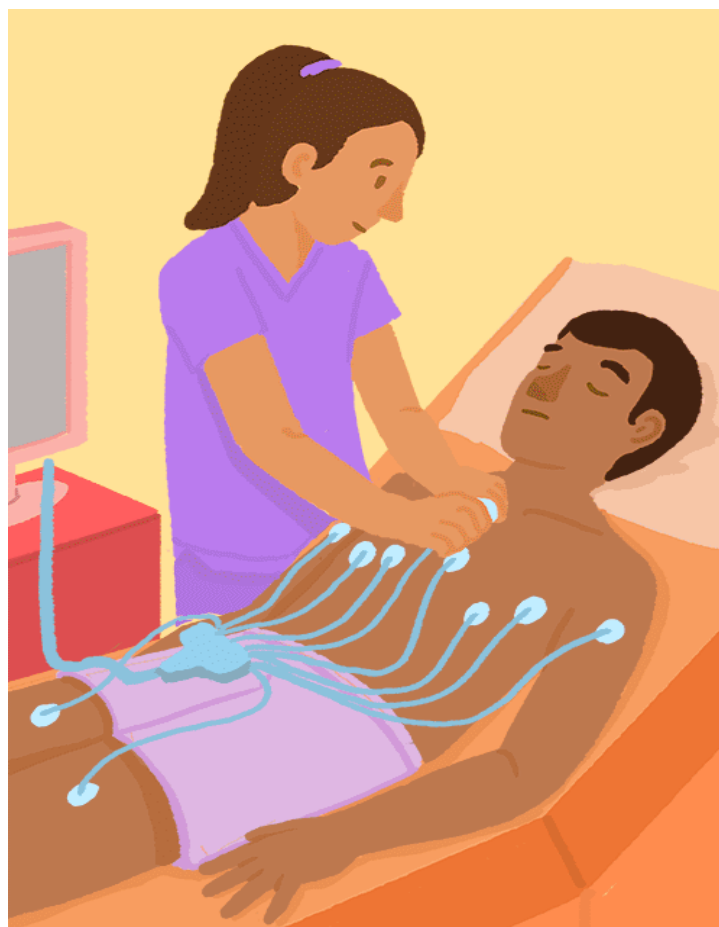


Getting An EKG





This is a story about getting an
EKG, which helps doctors take an
image of how my heart is beating
so I can stay healthy.





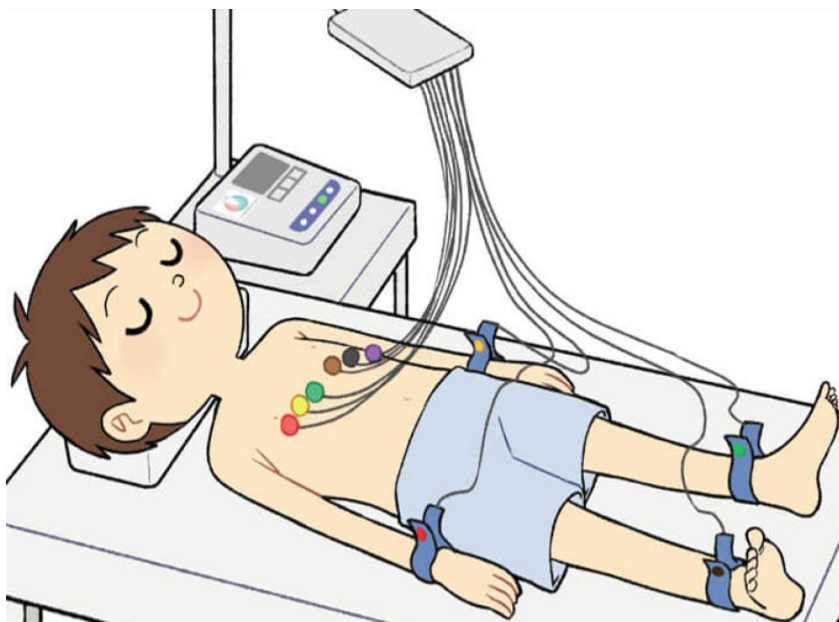
I will go to the hospital with a grown-up. We will wait in the waiting room until it is my turn. I can bring my favorite toy or stuffed animal to play with while I wait.





Then I go to the exam
room where I may put on
special hospital clothes. I
will wait for the doctor.





The doctor will place stickers on my arms, legs, and chest. The stickers will be connected to wires. The wires will make me look like an octopus! I will try to stay very still and breathe normally while my heart is being recorded.





When the EKG is done, the doctor
will take the stickers off my body.
There are so many I wonder if we
could count them all! Then I can go
home.





I did a great job
learning how to
get an EKG!

