Health Vocabulary -discussion

-examination , check-up

- treat/cure / diagnosis / second opinion

- referral / GP-General practitioner

- admit to hospital / spotless , / look after/ up to scratch

- undergo operation/surgery

- recover / safe and sound / recuperate / on the mend

- Ache (stomachache, headache, armache)

- painful, painkiller , ease/ alleviate the pain - wear off

- medicines: ointment, syrup, pills, tablets,

Dose/overdose - leaflet

* High/low blood pressure
* Heart attack
* Cancer/tumor
* stroke

-catch a flu, infectious diseases

-resistence /anti-virus injection

Fill in the blanks with the correct word or expression from the list be- low.

**fever - sore throat - scratch - chills - dizzy - diarrhea - swollen - allergic - faint**

**nauseated - vomit - sneeze - contagious - rash - bruise - runny - itchy - hangover -rub**

1. When I have a cold, I have a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ nose and I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a lot.

2. Anne is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to some antibiotics. When she takes penicillin, her face

becomes swollen.

3. Betty fell down when she was skating. She has a big, purple \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ on her leg.

4. I have a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. It hurts when I swallow.

5. I can’t get warm. I am shivering. I have the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

6. I have a stomachache and the runs. I have \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

7. She hasn’t eaten for two days. If she doesn’t eat something soon, she is going to

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

8. A mosquito bite is very \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

9. Her temperature is 40 degrees C. She has a high \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

10. When children have chicken pox, they want to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ their skin because it is

very itchy.

11. John twisted his ankle last week. It is still badly \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. It is twice as big as

normal.

12. Cancer is not a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ disease, but influenza is.

13. Yesterday he wore a woolen sweater. Now he has a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ all over his chest.

He is probably allergic to wool.

14. He had too much wine to drink. He feels very \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. The room is spinning.

Tomorrow he will probably have a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

15. She has an upset stomach. She can’t keep her food down. She is going to

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ again. She has felt \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ all day.

16 To apply ointment you need to ………………………………..it on the skin