

Answer key

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1. immovable
2. impalpable
3. impure

in-

1. inactive
2. inadequate
3. incoherent
4. incompatible
5. incomplete
6. independent
7. indirect
8. infertile
9. inoperable
10. insanitary
11. insoluble

Exercise 2.

1. unconscious
2. unwell
3. incapable
4. unhealthy
5. irregular
6. unfit
7. unpasteurised
8. insanitary
9. unstable
10. uncontrollable

Word formation: verbs (p. 8)

Exercise 1.

1. abuse
2. admit
3. bandage
4. blood
5. breathe
6. coagulate
7. consult
8. convalesce
9. fertilise
10. identify
11. immunise
12. implant
13. macerate
14. manage
15. occur
16. perspire
17. prepare
18. provide
19. reabsorb
20. regenerate
21. register
22. regurgitate
23. rehabilitate
24. reproduce
25. resuscitate
26. sedate
27. stammer
28. stitch
29. suppress
30. sweat

Word association 3: mind maps (p. 9)

Exercise 1.

1. operating theatre
2. theatre nurse
3. A&E department
4. major surgery
5. surgeon
6. local anaesthetic
7. consultant
8. heart surgery
9. scrub up
10. surgery

Parts of Speech

Nouns (p. 10)

1. allergy
2. paroxysms
3. overdose
4. surgery
5. course
6. recurrence
7. tendency
8. examination
9. injection
10. exercise
11. ambulance
12. intake
13. biopsy
14. consent
15. progress
16. treatment
17. excess
18. accident
19. vaccination
20. rash

Adjectives 1 (p. 11)

1. safe
2. poisonous
3. compatible
4. inoperable
5. lethal
6. inborn
7. incipient
8. inactive
9. severe
10. confused
11. motionless
12. hygienic
13. predisposed
14. aware
15. delicate
16. insanitary
17. depressed
18. regular
19. infectious
20. hoarse

Adjectives 2 (p. 12)

1. lethal
2. critical
3. persistent
4. subjective
5. infirm
6. inflamed
7. mobile
8. painful
9. viable
10. deaf
11. premature
12. excessive
13. acute
14. bedridden
15. latent
16. obsessive
17. tender
18. severed
19. depressed
20. harmful

Verbs 1 (p. 13)

- a) diagnose
- b) treat
- c) cure
- d) endanger
- e) prescribe
- f) specialise
- g) suffer
- h) operate
- i) vaccinate
- j) soothe
- k) dress
- l) suppress

Verbs 2 (p. 14)

- a) transfer
- b) harm
- c) penetrate
- d) perforate
- e) probe
- f) save
- g) limp
- h) admit
- i) prevent
- j) respond
- k) faint
- l) perform

Verbs: past tense ~ regular verbs (p. 15)

1. received
2. strained
3. recovered
4. fainted
5. required
6. suffered
7. adapted
8. developed
9. fractured
10. reacted
11. weighed
12. prolonged
13. aggravated
14. examined
15. trembled

Verbs: mixed tenses (p. 16)

1. visit
2. overcame
3. rebuilt
4. undergone
5. froze
6. bruised
7. measures
8. expelled
9. hurting
10. heal
11. burnt
12. controls
13. amputated
14. bitten
15. progressing

Phrasal verbs (p. 17)

1. got over
2. looking after
3. picked up
4. drops off
5. passed out
6. broke down
7. takes after
8. take off
9. bringing up
10. got around
11. give up
12. knocked out
13. propped up
14. go down
15. coughing up

Verbs: active/passive (p. 18)

1. A rise in the patient's pulse was noticed by the nurse.
2. He is being allowed by the consultant to watch the operation.
3. The tablets are sold by all chemists.
4. Appendicitis was diagnosed by the doctor.

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5. The injured person was comforted by the paramedics until the ambulance arrived.
6. The twins were delivered by the midwife.
7. An excess of hormones was being produced by the gland.
8. He was very well looked after in hospital.
9. The tissue was examined under the microscope.
10. I was given an unpleasant mixture to drink by the doctor.
11. The lotion cannot be taken orally.
12. The workers were poisoned by toxic fumes.
13. A rise in cases of whooping cough is being predicted by doctors.
14. The body's natural instinct to reject the transplanted tissue is suppressed by the drug.

Adverbs (p. 19)

1. The bandage was *loosely* tied around her wrist.
2. *Mentally*, she is very advanced for her age.
3. If the patient sweats *excessively*, it may be necessary to cool his body with cold compresses.
4. The tumour is *awkwardly* placed and not easy to reach.
5. She manages all her patients very *efficiently*.
6. The relief team *urgently* requires more medical supplies.
7. This is a *mildly* antiseptic solution.
8. *Physically*, he is very weak, but his mind is still alert.
9. He became ill *immediately* after he came back from holiday.
10. The herb can be used *medicinally*.
11. He has been working as a doctor only for a *fairly* short time.
12. Her breathing was *severely* affected.

Prepositions (p. 20)

1. The hospital has installed new apparatus ~~through~~ ⁱⁿ the physiotherapy department.
2. Her lips were cracked ~~of~~ ^{from} the cold.
3. The boy's little toe was crushed ^{by} the door.
4. The tissue was examined ~~on~~ ^{under} the microscope.
5. It is important that needles used ~~at~~ ^{for} injections should be sterilised.
6. He is recovering from a bout ^{of} flu.
7. She was given ~~to~~ a pain-killing injection.
8. Some types of wool can irritate ~~to~~ the skin.
9. This report quotes the number of cases of cervical cancer ~~from~~ ^{per} thousand patients tested.
10. The doctor put the patient to sleep with ~~in~~ a strong narcotic.
11. She burnt her hand ~~at~~ ^{on} the hot frying pan.
12. We have no spare beds ~~on~~ ⁱⁿ the hospital at the moment.

13. He will have an operation to remove ~~of~~ an ingrowing toenail.
14. Please ensure that the patient takes ~~of~~ his medicine.

Pronunciation

Word stress 1 (p. 21)

Group A: hospital regular exercise alcohol minimum haemorrhage operate theatre serious painkillers positive medical history

Group B: admitted improvement condition develop injection equipment allergic reaction prescription infection opinion

Group C: recommend reassure incomplete

Word stress 2 (p. 22)

Exercise 1.

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|-----------------|------------------|-----------------|
| 1. complication | 2. paralysis | 3. emergency |
| 4. respirator | 5. operation | 6. anaesthetic |
| 7. disposable | 8. intolerance | 9. circulation |
| 10. coordinate | 11. experiment | 12. malignancy |
| 13. responsible | 14. Analysis | 15. compatible |
| 16. saturated | 17. demonstrated | 18. dehydration |
| 19. communicate | 20. Penicillin | |

Exercise 2.

	A ■ □ □ □	B □ ■ □ □	C □ □ ■ □
anaesthetic			x
analysis		x	
circulation			x
communicate		x	
compatible		x	
complication			x
coordinate		x	
dehydration			x
demonstrated	x		
disposable		x	
emergency		x	
experiment		x	
intolerance		x	
malignancy		x	
operation			x
paralysis		x	
penicillin			x
respirator	x		
responsible		x	
saturated	x		