

3 a) Complete the sentences below with a preposition (from, with, on, etc.).

My sister complained that something was wrong ¹ her. She said she has a pain ² her back and that she suffered ³ bad headaches. As she was getting worse and worse I sent ⁴ a doctor. Immediately afterwards she was taken ⁵ hospital. Yesterday she was operated ⁶ Now she feels much better.

3 b) Fill the blank with the right word from the list below. You may use each word only once.

wound antiseptic disease cleanse ointment plaster skin suppurate

¹ the wound thoroughly and apply an ² to counteract germs which spread ³ Otherwise the wound may ⁴ Sticking ⁵ may be applied or the ⁶ may be bandaged. ⁷ may be smeared over the ⁸

4. Choose the right answer.

1. A week after the operation he was from hospital.
a) discharged b) released c) liberated d) freed
2. My sister is not very strong and is often ill. Her health is very
a) unwell b) sick c) delicate d) thin
3. Anne is almost well again now, but she still looks rather
a) light b) poor c) reconciled d) pale
4. His long illness left him so that he had to spend four months regaining his strength.
a) decreased b) weak c) invalid d) unhealthy
5. The patient was to hear that he had not broken his leg.
a) refreshed b) relaxed c) relieved d) reconciled
6. My son is ill so I must go home and look him.
a) about b) after c) for d) of
7. The main purpose in keeping fit is to feel more pleasure in being
a) conscious b) alive c) live d) lively
8. My grandma is not very well, in fact, we are rather about her.
a) anxious b) careful c) troublesome d) urgent