

Unit 5 Taking Body Temperature

量体温

Exercise

Task 1

Match column A with column B.

| column A | column B |
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| 1. 测量体温 | a. vital signs |
| 2. 免疫系统 | b. immune system |
| 3. 血压 | c. count the respiration |
| 4. 发烧 | d. check the pulse |
| 5. 口腔温度 | e. take body temperature |
| 6. 生命体征 | f. axillary temperature |
| 7. 测量呼吸 | g. oral temperature |
| 8. 摄氏温度 | h. degree centigrade |
| 9. 腋下温度 | i. blood pressure |
| 10. 测量脉搏 | j. have a fever |

Task 2

Complete the following sentences with the words given below.

temperature feverish armpit rectal respiration
thermometer assess vital immune

1. She brought her to life by artificial (人工的) _____.
2. Just put this thermometer under your _____.

3. When a patient undergoes surgery, it's important to maintain their _____ signs.
4. Hold the _____ in your mouth.
5. The oral temperature is lower than the _____ temperature.
6. The _____ boy soon infected (传染) other children.
7. Laughing can strengthen your _____ system.
8. A nurse took his _____.
9. Body temperature is used to _____ the patient's present condition.

Task 3

Translate the following sentences into English.

1. 让我来给你量体温。
2. 我多少度?
3. 人体正常体温通常在 37°C 左右。
4. 我是把温度计放到她的舌头下面还是腋下?
5. 是的, 你不仅要量体温还要测脉搏和呼吸。

Task 4

Role-play

Work in groups. Discuss a physical examination experience in hospital.

The following questions should be considered.

1. Have you ever experienced a fever?
2. How do you take temperature?
3. What's the function of taking body temperature?

Answers

Task 1

1-e 2-b 3-i 4-j 5-g 6-a 7-c 8-h 9-f 10-d

Task 2

1. respiration 2. armpit 3. vital 4. thermometer 5. rectal
6. feverish 7. immune 8. temperature 9. assess

Task 3

1. Let me take your temperature.
2. What's my temperature?
3. The normal temperature of the human body is usually around 37 degree centigrade/ 37°C.
4. Shall I put the thermometer under her tongue or in her armpit?
5. Yes, you should not only take the temperature but also check the pulse and count the respiration.