

Common verbs for health and medical treatment



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1 Washing your hands prevents disease



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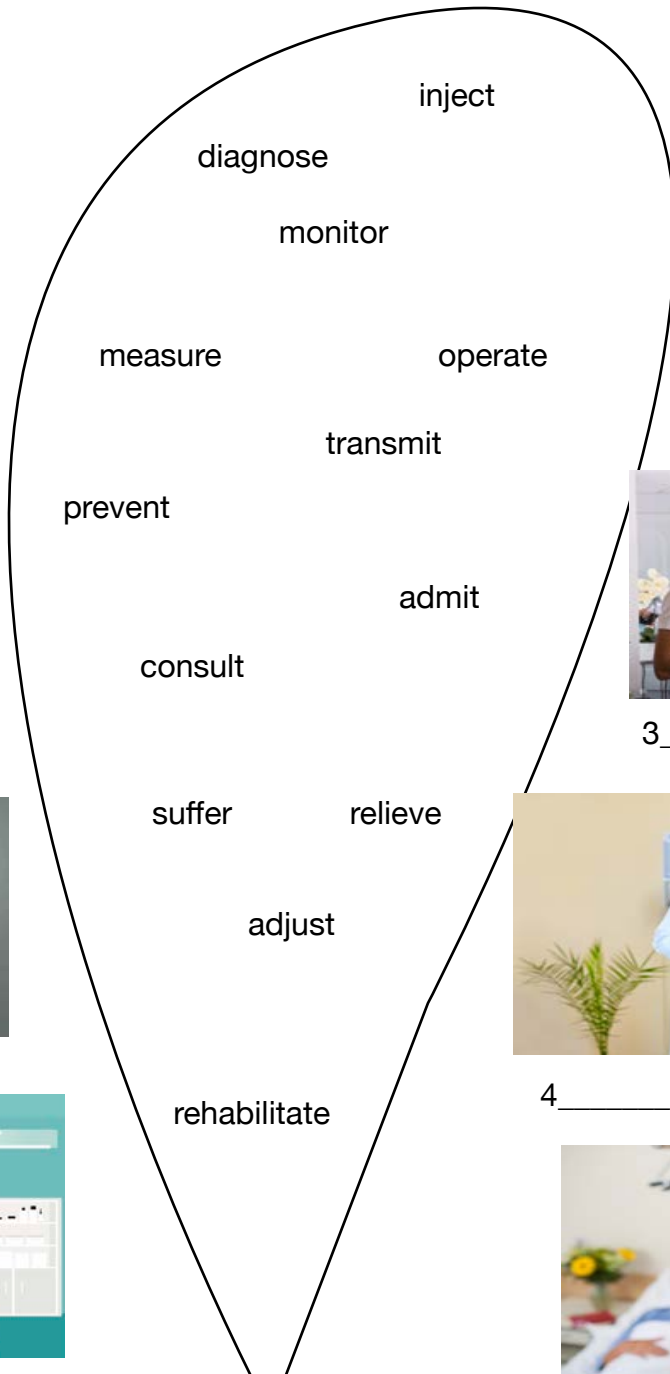
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Possible Answers

- 1 Washing your hands **prevents** disease.
- 2 The doctor uses the x-ray to **diagnose** the illness,
- 3 The nurse **admits** the patient to the hospital.
- 4 The doctor **consults** the patient about her recovery.
- 5 The nurse is **adjusting** the IV.
- 6 The patient is getting an **injection** in the arm./ He is **injecting** a vaccine into the patient's arm.
- 7 The doctor is **measuring** the patient's blood pressure.
- 8 The medical staff have many devices to **monitor** the patients.
- 9 The surgical team are **operating** on a patient.
- 10 Taking medicine **relieves** headaches.
- 11 The therapist is trying to **rehabilitate** the patient's leg movement.
- 12 She is **suffering** from a severe headache.
- 13 Shaking hands can **transmit** bacteria and viruses.