

Grade 7 Vocabulary

Week 40: Worksheet 1

Directions: Use your knowledge of the vocabulary words below to answer the following questions.

pneumonia	infection	patch	mortality	ailment
demise	complication	ravaged	embolism	inflammation
phlegm	pus	fatigue	resistant	bloodstream

- 1) Due to a _____ of surgery, the patient had to stay in the hospital for an extra week.
- 2) The virus was so harsh on the system that the _____ rate was higher than ever before, causing many to lose loved ones.
- 3) Though the doctors had tried three different types of medication, the infection seemed _____ and continued to spread.
- 4) When someone has _____ they may find it difficult to breathe deeply or catch their breath as it spreads in the lungs.
- 5) The little girl was suffering from an unknown _____, but the doctors were working hard to discover the cause.
- 6) The entire healthcare system had been _____ by the continual wave of people getting extremely sick.
- 7) When a nurse draws blood, it is used to test the _____ for certain viruses, bacteria, or other components.
- 8) Smoking can often cause many health problems like coughing up large amounts of _____, especially in the morning.
- 9) He had worked hard all day out in the sun and it seemed as soon as he sat down extreme _____ set in and he fell asleep.
- 10) The infected cut had yellow _____ leaking from the edges.

Answer Key

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- 1) complication
- 2) mortality
- 3) resistant
- 4) pneumonia
- 5) ailment
- 6) ravaged
- 7) bloodstream
- 8) phlegm
- 9) fatigue
- 10) pus