ENGLISH VOCABULARY TESTS

Medical Vocabulary Quiz: Diagnosis, Prognosis, Chronic, Acute

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1. After the blood test, the doctor was able to make a ___.
A) screening **B)** diagnosis
C) relapse **D)** consultant

2. The ___ is good: most patients with this injury recover fully within a year.
A) symptom **B)** referral
C) screening **D)** prognosis

3. Asthma is a ___ illness: it lasts for years. A heart attack is ___: sudden and serious.
A) chronic ... acute
B) acute ... chronic
C) benign ... contagious
D) contagious ... benign

4. People with ___, such as diabetes, are at greater risk from flu.
A) side effects
B) immune systems
C) underlying conditions
D) waiting lists

5. My GP wrote a ___ to a skin specialist at the hospital.
A) prescription **B)** referral
C) diagnosis **D)** screening

6. In British hospitals, the most senior doctor in a department is called a ___.
A) consultant **B)** GP
C) paramedic **D)** nurse

7. There are 200 people ahead of me on the ___ for a hip operation.
A) calendar **B)** timetable
C) menu **D)** waiting list

8. Mum was ___ to hospital on Monday and ___ on Friday, so she slept at home again.
A) discharged ... admitted
B) referred ... diagnosed
C) admitted ... discharged
D) relapsed ... screened

9. You don't need to stay the night: it's an ___ appointment.
A) outpatient **B)** inpatient
C) outdoor **D)** underlying

10. All children have an eye ___ at school, to find any problems early.
A) relapse **B)** screening
C) prognosis **D)** referral

11. Stay at home for a few days: this virus is highly ___.
A) chronic **B)** benign
C) contagious **D)** acute

12. Fresh fruit, sleep and exercise all help your ___ fight infections.
A) waiting list **B)** outpatient
C) prognosis **D)** immune system

13. He was almost well again, but then he had a ___ and was back in bed for a week.
A) recovery **B)** relapse
C) discharge **D)** diagnosis

14. The good news is that the lump is ___. If it were ___, it could spread.
A) benign ... malignant
B) malignant ... benign
C) chronic ... acute
D) contagious ... immune

15. In the UK, NHS care is ___. In the US, most people need ___.
A) on a waiting list ... a consultant
B) a referral ... screening
C) free at the point of use ... health insurance
D) an outpatient ... a relapse

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