



Medical English Quiz

Test What You Know



How good is your medical English? First of all we need to test your verbal ability to answer the following questions. Use the spaces to make some notes if necessary. Then contact us at contact@realmedicalenglish.com to book your free 30 minute language assessment.

1. What is the difference between hypotension and hypertension?

2. In English how do we say “120/70”? (What preposition is used?)

3. A patient tells you “my guts are killing me!” What is their problem?

4. A patient has a body mass index (BMI) of 42. What is their problem?

5. What medical condition do you associate with the following words?
a) Wheezing b) bronchodilator c) PEFR

6. Your patient has a drip. What is it?

7. What is venepuncture and what equipment is used?

8. What does NBM mean? N _____ B _____ M _____
9. A patient attends A&E with central chest pain radiating to their left arm. What medical condition do you suspect?

10. How would you explain to a patient that they need a gastroscopy in a way that they will understand?
