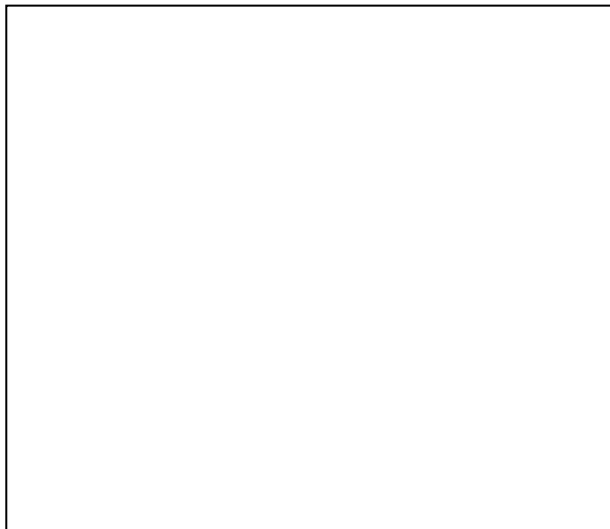
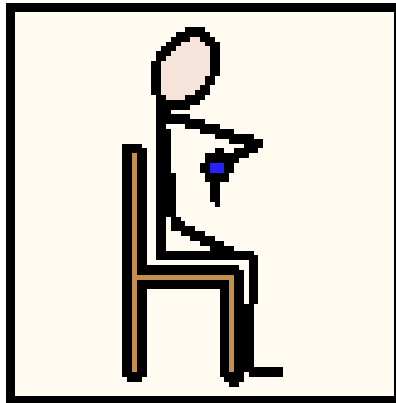
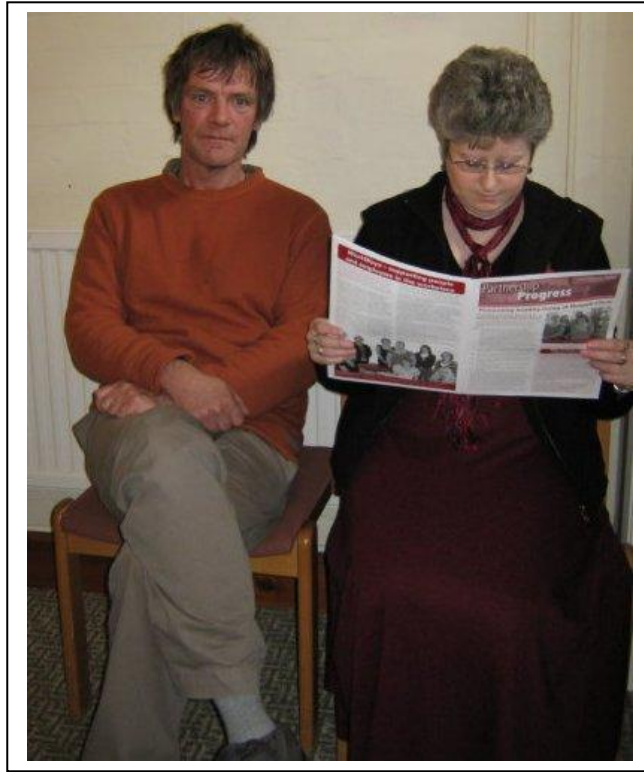


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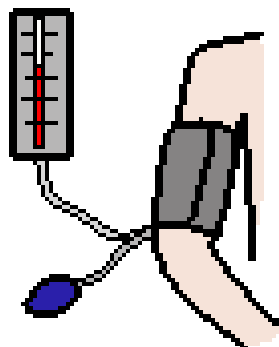
surgery



waiting room

Having your blood pressure taken

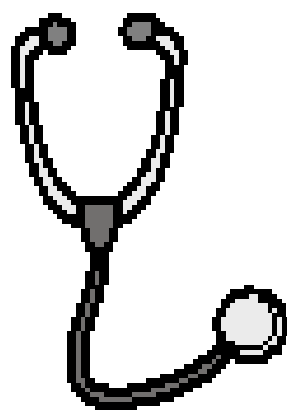
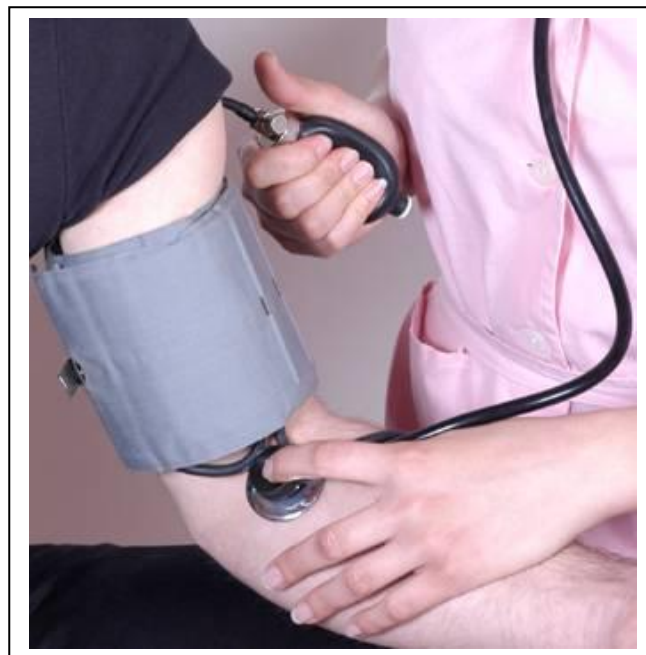
This checks your heart



blood pressure

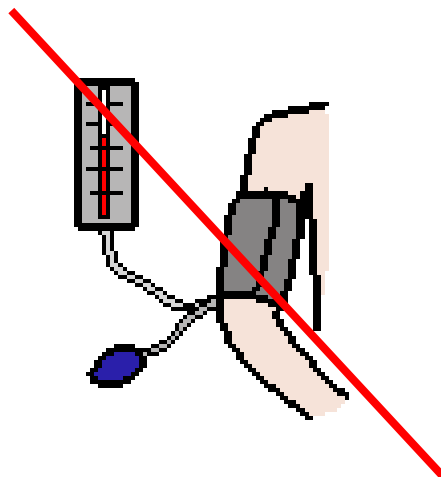
The band will go tight on your arm.

The stethoscope checks your heart beat



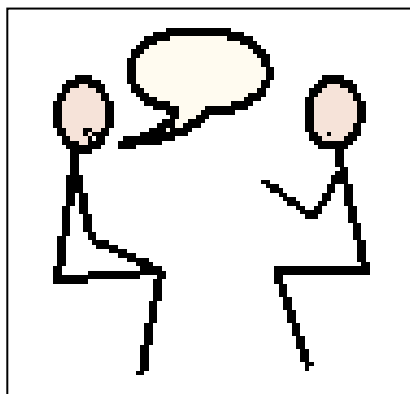
stethoscope

The band gets loose and it is taken off

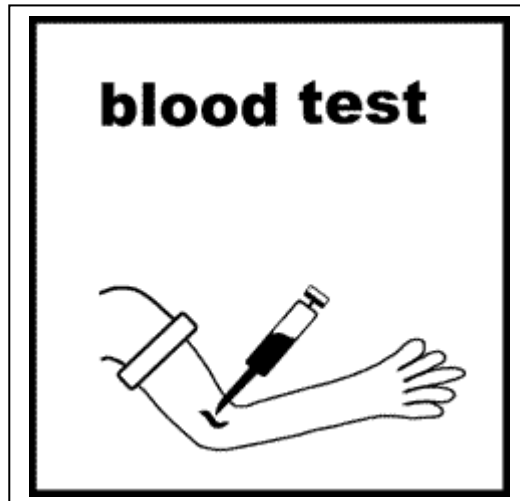


band

The nurse or doctor will tell you about your blood pressure check

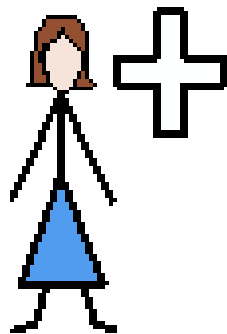


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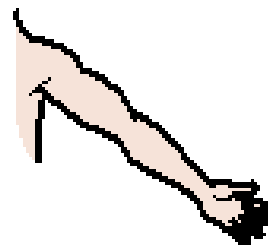


Having a blood test

The nurse will ask you to put your arm out

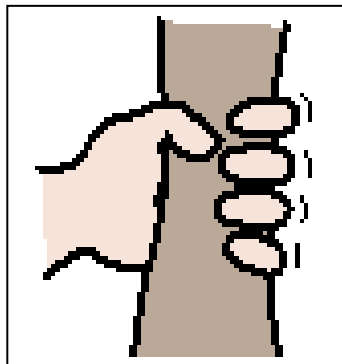


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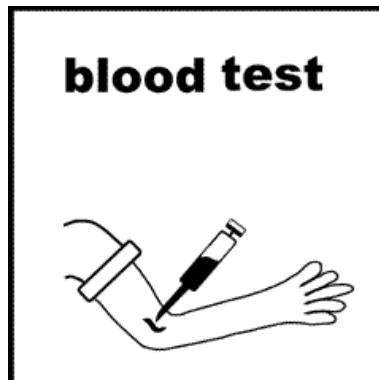
arm

The nurse will put a band around your arm



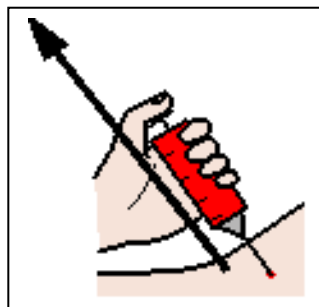
Tight

The nurse will put a needle in your arm.
You will need to keep still



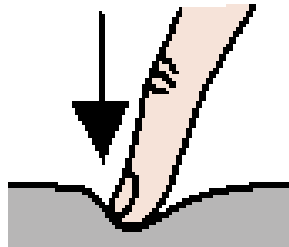
Blood test

The blood will go into the syringe and then
the nurse will take the needle out of your
arm



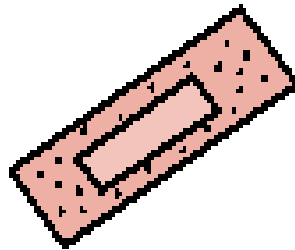
Syringe

The band will be taken off and then you will be asked to press cotton wool on your arm



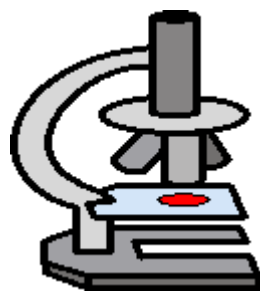
Press

The nurse may put a plaster on your arm



Plaster

Your blood will be sent away to be tested



Testing blood

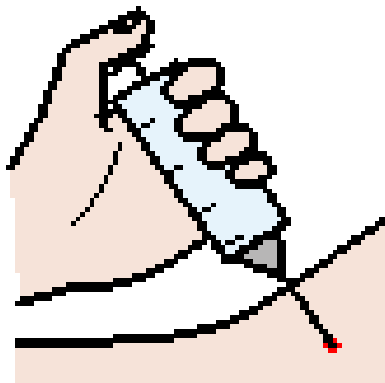
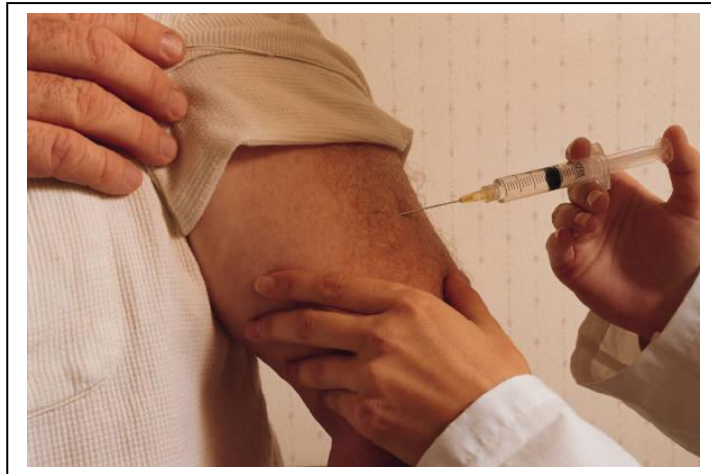
Having an injection

An injection is a way of giving medication,
often in your arm



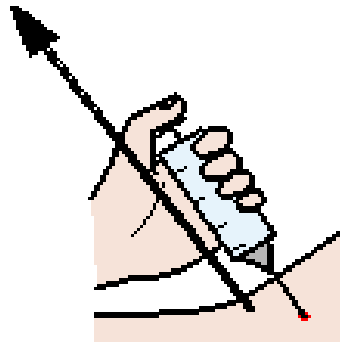
Medication

The nurse puts the medication into the syringe and then injects it into your arm



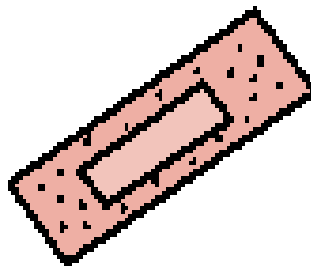
injection

The needle is taken out of your arm



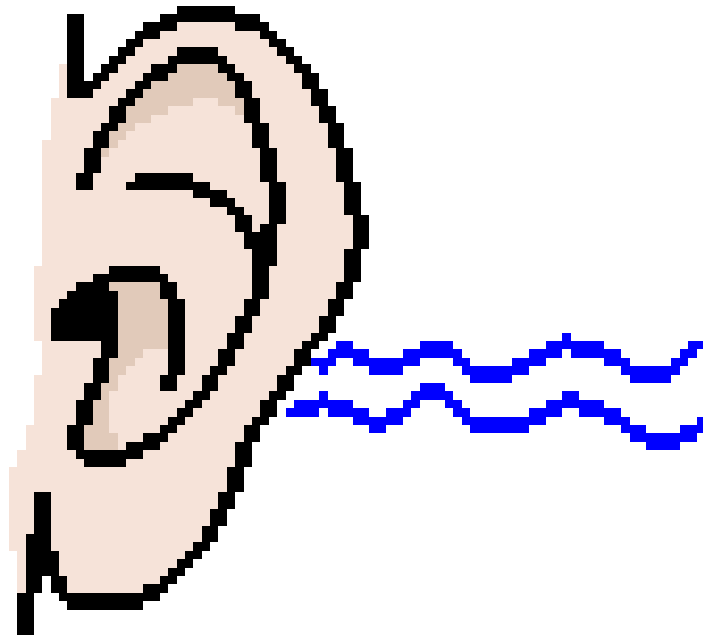
Out

The nurse puts a plaster on your arm



Plaster

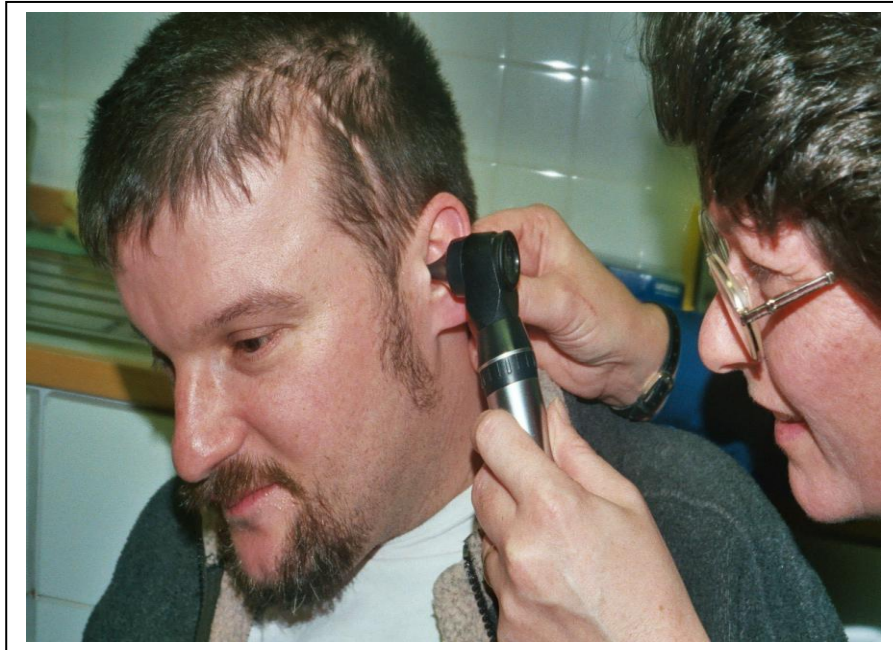
HAVING YOUR EARS CHECKED



This is what the nurse uses to look in your ears.

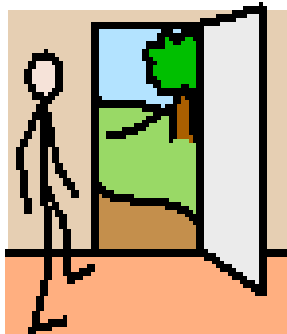


The nurse looks into your ears to see if you have any problems with your hearing.



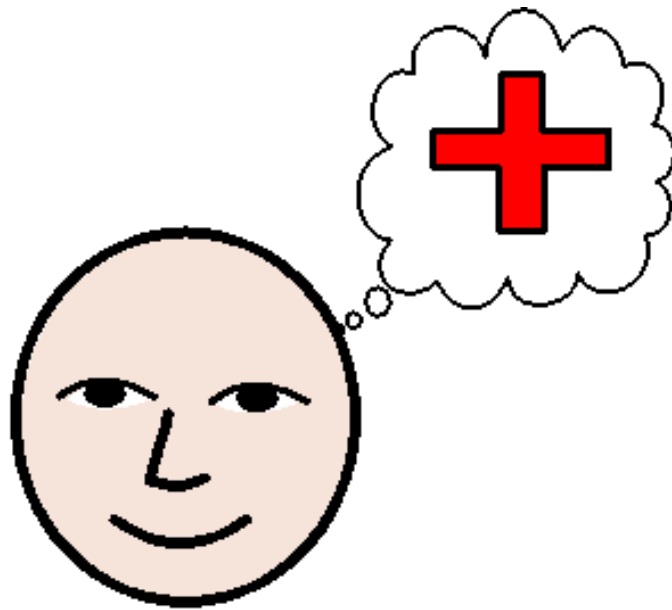
If you have a problem the nurse will tell the doctor. They will then talk about any treatment.

The visit is finished at the surgery and you can now go



Go

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