12 Language summary

VOCABULARY

Nouns Parts of the body ankle arm back brain chest chin ear elbow eve eyebrow finger(s) foot (plural: feet) hair hand head heart hip knee leg mouth neck nose shoulder skin stomach

throat thumb toe(s) tooth (*plural*: teeth) wrist

Health problems

backache cold cough dry eyes earache fever the flu headache sore throat stomachache toothache

Medications/

remedies antacid aspirin chamomile tea chicken soup cold medicine cough syrup eye drops ice pack nasal spray

Other

bacteria cells dentist electricity hour part patient rest signals soda Adjectives

Positive feelings

better fantastic fine great terrific

Negative feelings

awful exhausted horrible miserable sick sore terrible tired

Other

noisy wrong

Verbs

beat feel have hurt lose relax stay up take a look

Adverbs

much so (= very) well

EXPRESSIONS

Talking about health problems

How are you? How do you feel (today)? I feel better. Not so good/well. What's the matter? What's wrong? I feel sick/terrible. I don't feel well.

Expressing sympathy

That's too bad. I'm sorry to hear that. That's good. I'm glad to hear that.

Refusing something politely

Do you want . . . ? No, but thanks anyway.

Asking for permission Is that OK?

Giving a suggestion

I have an idea. Take/Don't take . . . Eat/Don't eat . . .

Asking for more information Anything else?