

HEALTH AND WELLNESS

This Language Lab is used to further your child's vocabulary and language. The following vocabulary is based on the Ling Thesaurus. **Phase 1** contains words most frequently used and learned first. **Phase 2** contains the next most frequent words. It is important that your child understand the concept of each word in the phases. Use this as a guide and resource as you talk/sign and interact with your child and improve their language.

--Beginnings SC Team

Vocabulary

Phase 1

- Better
- Cold
- Cough
- Cry
- Cut

Phase 2

- All right
- Burn
- Dead
- Die
- Doctor
- Hospital
- Hurt
- Ill
- Needle
- Nurse
- Sick
- Sneeze
- Stay
- Well



ACTIVITIES

Field Trip!

Next time you visit a medical setting, talk to your child about what you see. Take the vocabulary list with you, and highlight and circle each word that you observe. Also create a list of words that you observe that aren't on the list.

Grab some materials!

Help your child write a story about going to the doctor. Have them find toys related to things that the doctor office would have for the patients. Use as many vocabulary words from the list as possible.

Use your imagination!

Play doctor with your child and act out each word on the list. Take turns having your child act out the different vocabulary words.



Changes in hearing levels don't only happen at birth. More kids become deaf or hard of hearing after birth, so pay attention to your child and trust your intuition if you suspect your child isn't hearing the same. Talk to your pediatrician, or call us.