



IS IT AN EMERGENCY?

Which of the following scenarios do you think it would be appropriate to visit A&E for?

SCENARIO

YES OR NO

1. IF SOMEONE HAS LOST CONSCIOUSNESS	
2. CHEST PAINS	
3. POSSIBLE BROKEN FINGER	
4. SEVERE BURNS	
5. A SKIN INFECTION OR RASH	



GENUINE LIFE-THREATENING EMERGENCIES

Go online to the NHS website and make a note of the other situations that are given as examples of genuine life-threatening emergencies that the NHS recommends going to A&E for and make a note of them below.

999 EMERGENCY OR A 111 CALL

Discuss these scenarios, and decide which ones would be a 999 emergency or a 111 call.

SCENARIO

999 OR 111

You've been stung by a bee and your finger is swelling up	
Your friend has had a fit or seizure lasting 30 seconds and it's the third time that they've had one when you're with them.	
You are walking with your grandfather and he suddenly starts to complain of chest pains and is struggling to catch his breath	
You're at a picnic and your friend takes a sip of their drink and feels a sharp pain on their tongue and you notice a wasp fly out of the drink. Within minutes, your friend's tongue becomes swollen along with the rest of their face.	



EMERGENCIES

LESSON 27



REGISTERING WITH A GP

Discuss as a class and note down below, some of the advantages of registering with a General Practitioner.

THE VALUE OF THE NHS

Investigate the cost of these medical treatments in 2 different countries.

- Consultations with your doctor
- Contraception and sexual health services
- Appointments with a midwife - including scans
- Cancer treatment - including chemotherapy
- Treatment for Bone Fractures - such as a broken arm
- Specialist treatment - such as HIV medication
- Lifelong treatment for conditions such as diabetes

Discuss as a class how many treatments or services of those listed above that you have used already. Make notes of any below

THE COST OF DENTAL CARE

Go to the NHS website and find out, which band each of these treatments is in and how much each band costs

TREATMENT	NHS BAND	NHS COST	PRIVATE COST
A FILLING			
A SCALE AND POLISH			
A ROOT CANAL			
A TOOTH EXTRACTION			
HAVING DENTURES CREATED			
A CHECK-UP			

