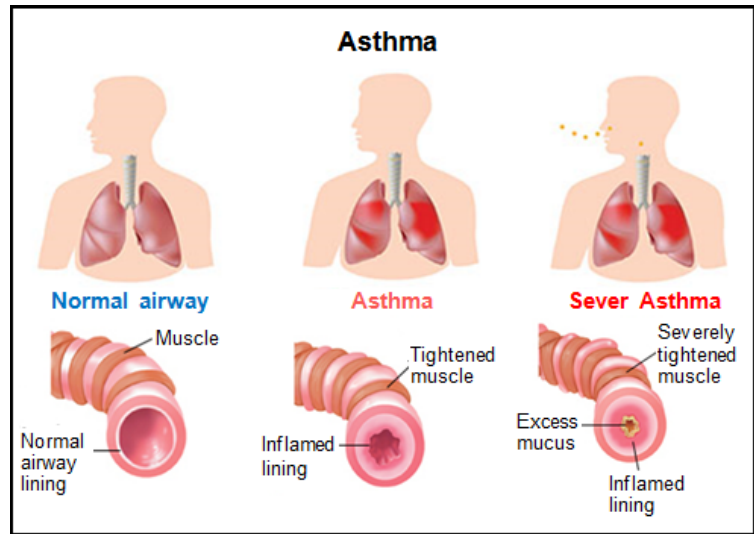


Unit 6 - Text 1: Asthma

Collocations: Study these phrases and learn them by heart



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| inflammation | = φλεγμονή |
| bronchial tubes | = βρογχικοί αεραγωγοί |
| the key is.. | = το μυστικό είναι.. |
| the underlying cause | = η υποβόσκουσα αιτία |
| every now and again | = που και που |
| to overreact | = αντιδρά υπερβολικά |
| allergen | = αλλεργιογόνος παράγοντας |
| airways | = αεραγωγοί |
| the airways constrict | = οι αεραγωγοί συστέλλονται |
| the supply of oxygen | = η παροχή οξυγόνου |
| to cut off the supply of oxygen | = κόβω την παροχή οξυγόνου |

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| the numbers have grown alarmingly | = οι αριθμοί έχουν αυξηθεί ανησυχητικά |
| the numbers have jumped 50% | = οι αριθμοί εκτινάχθηκαν κατά 50% |
| the numbers have risen sharply | = οι αριθμοί έχουν αυξηθεί ραγδαία |
| the prime suspect | = ο βασικός ύποπτος |
| tightly-sealed workplaces | = αεροστεγώς-σφραγισμένοι χώροι εργασίας |
| irritants | = παράγοντες ερεθισμού |
| allergens | = αλλεργιογόνοι παράγοντες |
| dust mites | = ακάρεα |
| pet dander | = μικροσωματίδια από τα κατοικίδια |



Summary and Oral Presentation

WRITE a summary (~80 words) of the text and prepare an oral presentation following questions below.

Use as many of the collocations as possible!

- a. What are the **symptoms** of asthma
- b. What are some possible underlying **causes**?



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Unit 1 - Text 2: Virtual Clinics

Collocations: Study these phrases and learn them by heart

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| an obvious drawback | = προφανές μειονέκτημα |
| to let smn loose | = ελευθερώνω κάποιον |
| a growing number of institutions | = αυξανόμενος αριθμός |
| ινστιτούτων | |
| to add a new dimension to sth | = προσθέτει μια νέα διάσταση |
| would-be doctors | = εκκολαπτόμενοι ιατροί |
| to hone your skills | = βελτιώνεις τις ικανότητές σου |
| real-life consequences | = επιπτώσεις στην πραγματική ζωή |
| disastrous consequences | = καταστροφικές συνέπειες |



§B

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| over the course of the year | = στη διάρκεια του έτους |
| to log on to a website | = 'μπαίνεις' σε μία ιστοσελίδα |
| an inch-long cut | = μία τομή 2,5 εκατοστά |
| to stitch up the cut | = ράβω την τομή |
| to remove the stitches | = αφαιρώ τα ράματα |

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| kidding aside | = χωρίς πλάκα |
| to broaden your experience | = διευρύνεις την εμπειρία σου |
| to be treated as an outpatient | = σε αντιμετωπίζουν ως εξωτερικό ασθενή |
| to compensate | = αποζημιώνω |
| to monitor the heartbeat | = καταγράφω τον καρδιακό παλμό |
| virtual patients | = εικονικοί ασθενείς |
| a crushing pain | = αφόρητος πόνος |
| a crushing headache | = αφόρητος πονοκέφαλος |
| a crushing chest pain | = αφόρητος πόνος στήθους |
| to release a patient | = δίνω εξιτήριο σε ασθενή |
| to discharge a patient | = δίνω εξιτήριο σε ασθενή |
| to quit smoking | = κόβω το κάπνισμα |

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| to offer a second chance | = δίνω 2η ευκαιρία |
| to don a headset | = φορώ μια συσκευή στο κεφάλι |
| a gravely injured victim | = σοβαρά τραυματισμένος ασθενής |
| the forgiving world of virtual clinics | = ο συγχωρητικός κόσμος των εικονικών κλινικών |
| a better outcome | = ένα καλύτερο αποτέλεσμα |
| it's just a click away | = είναι μόλις ένα άγγιγμα του κουμπιού μακριά |



Summary and Oral Presentation

WRITE a summary (~80 words) of the text and prepare an oral presentation following questions below.

Use as many of the collocations as possible!

- a. What are the **virtual clinics** ?
- b. How can they benefit would-be doctors?



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Vocabulary Extension (pages 72, 73)

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| 1. cardiac arrest | = καρδιακή προσβολή |
| 2. cuts and lacerations | = κοψίματα και σχισίματα |
| 3. heart attack | = καρδιακό επεισόδιο |
| 4. intensive care | = εντατική θεραπεία |
| 5. renal failure | = νεφρική ανεπάρκεια |
| 6. respiratory distress | = αναπνευστική δυσκολία |
| 7. ruptured appendix | = ρήξη σκωληκοειδίτιδας |

Doctors:

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| 1. anesthesiologist | = αναισθησιολόγος |
| 2. neurologist | = νευρολόγος |
| 3. gynecologist | = γυναικολόγος |
| 4. obstetrician | = μαιευτήρας |
| 5. hematologist | = αιματολόγος |
| 6. cardiologist | = καρδιολόγος |
| 7. pulmonary expert | = πνευμονολόγος |
| 8. dermatologist | = δερματολόγος |
| 9. radiologist | = ακτινολόγος |
| 10. ophthalmologist | = οφθαλμίατρος |
| 11. orthopedic | = ορθοπεδικός |
| 12. orthodontist | = ορθοδοντικός |
| 13. gastrointestinal expert | = γαστρεντερολόγος |
| 14. pediatrician | = παιδίατρος |
| 15. geriatrician | = γηροντολόγος |



Video Speaking (blog No 14)

Source: <https://quitsmokingcommunity.org/the-big-debate-should-cigarette-smoking-be-banned/>

1. WATCH the video and tick the arguments that the speaker uses.
2. WRITE and make your own presentation on whether we should impose a complete tobacco ban or not.

In favor of smoking

1. People should be allowed to do what they like, so long as they are not harming anyone. Bans, make many smokers feel like their rights are being violated and like they cannot have freedom to do as they please.
2. According to the Constitution and the Bill of Rights they should have the freedom to smoke within their own property and in some public places should be allowed.
3. A ban totally outlawing cigarettes would cause anarchy. It will bring about large-scale havoc since black market activities and the crime ensued will thrive.

Against smoking

1. It would do the public good to be rid of cigarettes and smoking once and for all. According to scientific research both inhaled and secondhand smoke are dangerous.

2. Smoking infringes on the rights of those nearby to smokers. It puts them at risk without their consent and causes numerous health issues for smoker and secondhand smoker alike.

3. Smoking causes cancer, emphysema, lung and throat disease, and various other kinds of health issues. We must also note also the detrimental effect it has on children, as it affects them more severely.

4. The smokers' rights may be violated by outlawing their favorite habit but it is a small price to pay for the greater good. A complete ban on tobacco would serve public health and result in lower insurance rates for all.



Composition and Oral Presentation

For & Against Essay

Many countries have laws that ban smoking in public places and office buildings.

Some people are against the bans because they say they violate the rights of the smokers and business owners, while others believe that the threat to public health through secondhand smoke justifies government intervention.

What is your opinion?

Support your ideas with reasons and examples.

WRITE your essay in 300-350 words.



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