

General Training Reading Sample 15

Questions 6-13

Look at the patient information leaflet on the following page.

Match each of the following sentences with **TWO** possible endings **A-M** from the box below.

Write the appropriate letters **A-M** in boxes **6-13** on your answer sheet.

Example

Answer

Borodine table should not be given to

A and M

Questions 6 and 7

Borodine tablets might be used to treat.....

Questions 8 and 9

You must ask your doctor before taking Borodine tablets if you are already being treated for

Questions 10 and 11

You do not need to consult your doctor immediately if Borodine tablets give you

Questions 12 and 13

You must consult your doctor at once if you find Borodine tablets cause.....

Possible Endings

- A children under 12 years of age.
- B a headache.
- C an uncomfortable feeling in your stomach.
- D symptoms similar to a cold.
- E a change in your skin colour.
- F anything treated by a prescription medicine.
- G a kidney complaint.
- H a whitening of the eyes.
- I sore or broken skin.
- J a fungal infection.
- K a feeling of sadness.
- L shortness of breath.
- M a woman expecting a child.

PATIENT INFORMATION LEAFLET

The name of your medicine is Borodine tablets.

WHAT ARE **Borodine** TABLETS USED FOR?

Borodine tablets are used to help relieve hay fever and conditions due to allergies, in particular skin reactions and a runny nose.

It is not recommended that **Borodine** tablets are given to children under 12 years of age or pregnant or breastfeeding women.

BEFORE YOU TAKE **Borodine** TABLETS

In some circumstances it is very important not to take **Borodine** tablets. If you ignore these instructions, this medicine could affect your heart rhythm.

Are you taking oral medicines for fungal infections?

Have you suffered a reaction to medicines containing **Borodine** before?

Do you suffer from any liver, kidney or heart disease?

If the answer to any of these questions is YES, do not take *Borodine* tablets before consulting your doctor.

AFTER TAKING *Borodine* TABLETS

Borodine tablets, like many other medicines, may cause side-effects in some people.

If you faint, stop taking *Borodine* tablets and tell your doctor immediately.

In addition **Borodine** tablets may cause problems with your vision, hair loss, depression or confusion, yellowing of your skin or your eyes.

If you have these effects whilst taking *Borodine* tablets tell your doctor immediately.

Other side-effects are dizziness or headaches, and indigestion or stomach ache. However, these effects are often mild and usually wear off after a few days' treatment. If they last for more than a few days, tell your doctor.

Answer:

6 & 7: D, I (In either order)

8 & 9: G, J (In either order)

10 & 11: B, C (In either order)

12 & 13: E, K (In either order)