

The Medical Diagnostic Process

1. How did medical practice probably begin thousands of years ago at the very beginning of man's evolution?

2. What does 'subjective' information refer to?

3. How is 'objective' information different from 'subjective' information?

4. What is a 'diagnosis'?

5. What does the word 'critical' mean when describing the condition of a patient?

6. Describe the 'Scientific Method' as utilized in the practice of medicine.

7. Describe how physicians use both **art** and **science** in treating patients.
