

2 Write two more sentences using expressions from the chart on page 150.

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2 \_\_\_\_\_  
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### HEALTH AND MEDICINE WORD FAMILIES



3 Complete the word families related to global health and medicine. Use a dictionary to help you if needed.

noun	verb	adjective
access	(1) _____	(2) _____
bacteria	_____	(3) _____
(4) _____	(5) _____	infectious
(6) _____	mutate	mutant
prevention	(7) _____	(8) _____ (9) _____
(10) _____	(11) _____	resistant
therapy	_____	(12) _____
transmission	(13) _____	(14) _____ (15) _____
virus	_____	(16) _____

4 Complete the paragraph with words from Exercise 3 in the correct form.

The spread of infectious disease is a complex phenomenon. Health officials must deal with both (1) \_\_\_\_\_ and (2) \_\_\_\_\_ infections, caused by pathogens that can be (3) \_\_\_\_\_ from one host to another in different ways. What makes the situation even more challenging is that these pathogens can (4) \_\_\_\_\_ over time, allowing them to become (5) \_\_\_\_\_ to medications. Once this occurs, these drugs are no longer (6) \_\_\_\_\_, and scientists need to find new ways to treat the infections. Many experts believe that a better option would be to develop a vaccine to (7) \_\_\_\_\_ these diseases from (8) \_\_\_\_\_ people in the first place.