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# MEDICAL DIAGNOSIS INTERPRETER

Point, mark, translate & communicate +



**BALKANS**

*Edition*





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In our hour of need, our words and how we communicate can be the difference between life and death. Quickly express how you are feeling to get the help and support you need.

Stay safe, protected and return home safely

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# Conversion Table

MASS		VOLUME	
microgram (mcg) / miligram (mg) / gram (g)		teaspoon (tsp) / tablespoon (tbsp) / millilitre (ml) / litre (l)	
500mcg	0.5mg	1 tsp	6ml
600mcg	0.6mg	1 tbsp	3tsp or 15ml
700mcg	0.7mg	100ml	0.1l
800mcg	0.8mg	200ml	0.2l
900mcg	0.9mg	300ml	0.3l
1mg	0.001g	400ml	0.4l
500mg	0.5g	500ml	0.5l
600mg	0.6g	600ml	0.6l
700mg	0.7g	700ml	0.7l
800mg	0.8g	800ml	0.8l
900mg	0.9g	900ml	0.9l
1g	1g	1l	1l

TEMPERATURE			
celsius (°C) / fahrenheit (°F)			
38°C	100.4°F	41.5°C	106.7°F
38.5°C	101.3°F	42°C	107.6°F
39°C	102.2°F	42.5°C	108.5°F
39.5°C	103.1°F	43°C	109.4°F
40°C	104°F	43.5°C	110.3°F
40.5°C	104.9°F	44°C	111.2°F
41°C	105.8°F	44.5°C	112.1°F



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## THREE ELEMENTS OF INFORMATION THAT COULD SAVE YOUR LIFE

When in need of medical assistance, receiving treatment or in the event of an emergency, getting help is crucial. Communicating your current state of health, allergies or pre-existing medical conditions quickly to a medical professional can be a matter of life and death. This situation can be made worse when travelling and speaking to non-native English speakers. Medically trained individuals can provide you with the urgent care you need but who might be struggling to understand what is being explained to them. To help you in this situation, we created the Medical Diagnosis Interpreter (MDI).

The MDI is an innovative way in which you only need to point or mark how you are thinking and feeling, using the many illustrations and translated terms. The tool enables the medical professional to use what is being shown to them to help them diagnose any underlying problems. The MDI is grouped in logical sections. Some can be completed before seeking medical attention (sections A, B, C, D and H). The remaining sections can be used during an emergency (section E, F and G). All of the vital information needed to help the medical professional make an informed diagnosis. A diagnosis that will ultimately help in treating the condition, virus or illness.

A successful diagnosis typically requires three elements of crucial information:-

- Details of any pains, conditions or symptoms you have been experiencing, what hurts, where and for how long
- Any medications you have already taken and how long ago
- Any allergies, pre-existing conditions and important information about you to help with the diagnosis and treatment



ilaç i përdorur | използвана лекарство | употребена медицина | лек кој се користи

PAIN	SYMPOTM	MEDICATION	DURATION	MEASUREMENT	
MINUTES	HOURS	WEEKS	MONTHS	HUNDREDS	THOUSANDS

Any medications taken in the past 24 hours

<input type="checkbox"/>	PARACETAMOL	<input type="checkbox"/>	IBUPROFEN	<input type="checkbox"/>	CANNABIS
	paracetamol   паракетамол   парацетамол   парациетамол		ibuprofen   ибупрофен   ибупрофен   ибупрофен		канп   марихуана   канабис   конопља (конопља)

<input type="checkbox"/>	ANTIBIOTICS	<input type="checkbox"/>	ASPIRIN		OTHER
	antibiotikët   антибиотики   антибиотици   антибиотики		aspirinë   аспирин   аспирин   aspirin (aspirin)		

<input type="checkbox"/>					

	(tsp) teaspoon		(tbsp) tablespoon		(ml) millilitre		(l) litre
	(mcg) microgram		(mg) milligram		(g) gram		(-) other
mikrogramë   микрограмма   микрограмми   микрограмма (mikrograma)	miligram   миллиграмм   милиграмм   миллиграмм (miligram)	gram   грам   грам   грам (gram)	tjetër   друг   други   други (drugi)				

# F SYMPTOMS



simptomë | симптом | симптом | симптом (symptom)

1 ONE	2 TWO	3 THREE	4 FOUR	5 FIVE	6 SIX	7 SEVEN	8 EIGHT	9 NINE	10 TEN
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**TREMBLING / TINGLING**



dridhje / ndjesi shpimi gjilpërash / треперене / изтръпане | трепет / пецикање | дрхтање / трзање

**LOSS OF BALANCE**



i paqëndrueshëm / humbje e ekilibrit | неустойчивость / загуба на равновесие | нестабилен / губење на рамнотежата | нестабилност / губитак равнотеже

**VOMIT / NAUSEA**



të vjella / vjellje | повръщане / гадене | повраќање / гадење | повраћање / мучнина

**WEAK / LACK OF ENERGY**



i dobët / mungesë energjie | слабо / липса на енергия | слаб / недостаток на енергија | слаб / недостатак енергије

**OTHER**

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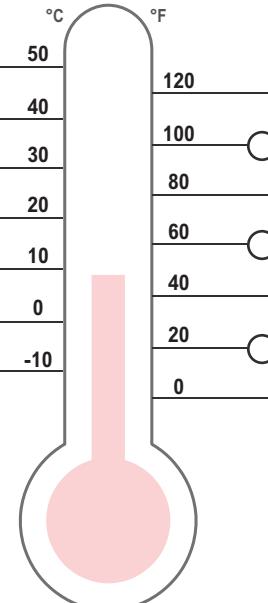


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**HIGH TEMPERATURE**



temperaturë të lartë | висока температура | высокая температура | висока температура

## ABOUT THE BALKANS EDITION

The Balkans edition uses translated terms for four of the most common and spoken languages in that area or region. The information below outlines all of the featured languages and the countries in which they are spoken.



FLAG	LANGUAGE	LANGUAGE SPOKEN IN
	Albanian (al)	Albania, Republic of Kosovo
	Bulgarian (bu)	Bulgaria
	Macedonian (ma)	North Macedonia
	Serbian (se)	Bosnia and Herzegovina, Republic of Kosovo, Serbia



# F SYMPTOMS



simptomë | симптом | симптом | симптом (symptom)

1 ONE	2 TWO	3 THREE	4 FOUR	5 FIVE	6 SIX	7 SEVEN	8 EIGHT	9 NINE	10 TEN
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I cannot...

nuk mundem | не мога | неможам | не могу

	BREATH		SWALLOW		SMELL
	frymë   дъх   здив   дах (dah)		gëlltije   лястовица   проголта   прогутати (progutati)		егё   миризма   мирис   мириз (miris)
	TASTE		SEE / VISION		HEAR
	shije   вкус   вкус   укус (ukus)		shiko / vizion   виждам / виждам   види / визија   вид / визија		dëgjoj   чувам   слушаат   чути (chuti)
	FEEL		PASS URINE		PASS A BOWEL
	ndihem   чувствам   се чувствуваат   осетити (osetiti)		kalojnë urinën   пропускайте урина   помине урина   проћи урин		kalojë një zorrë   минава черва   помине црево   проћи црево
	MOVE		WALK		TALK
	veprim   ход   потег   потез (potez)		eci   разходка   одиме   ходати (hodati)		diskutim   беседа   разговор   разговор (razgovor)
	LIFT				
	ashensor   вдигам   лифт   дизање (dizanje)				

## ALLERGIES

alergji | алергии | алергии | алергије

<input type="checkbox"/>	YES		ро   да   да   да (da)
<input type="checkbox"/>	NO		jo   не   нема   не (ne)

## BLOOD GROUP

grupi i gjakut | кръвна група | крвна група | крвна група

	A POSITIVE		A NEGATIVE
a pozitiv   а положителен   а позитивно   а позитивно	a negativ   а отрицателен   а негативно   а негативно	ab pozitive   ab положителен   ab позитивно   ab позитивно	ab negativ   ab отрицателен   ab негативен   ab негативно
	AB POSITIVE		AB NEGATIVE
b pozitive   б положителен   б позитивно   б позитивно	b negativ   б отрицателен   б негативно   б негативно	o pozitive   o положителен   o позитивно   o позитивно	o negativ   o отрицателен   o негативно   o негативно
	UNKNOWN		
i panjohur   неизвестен   непознат   непознат (nepoznat)			

# B ALLERGIES

alerđi | алергии | алергии | алергии

Please mark or tick (✓) -all of the allergies you have or have had in the past. Any allergies you may have can have a severe impact on any treatment or medication you receive.

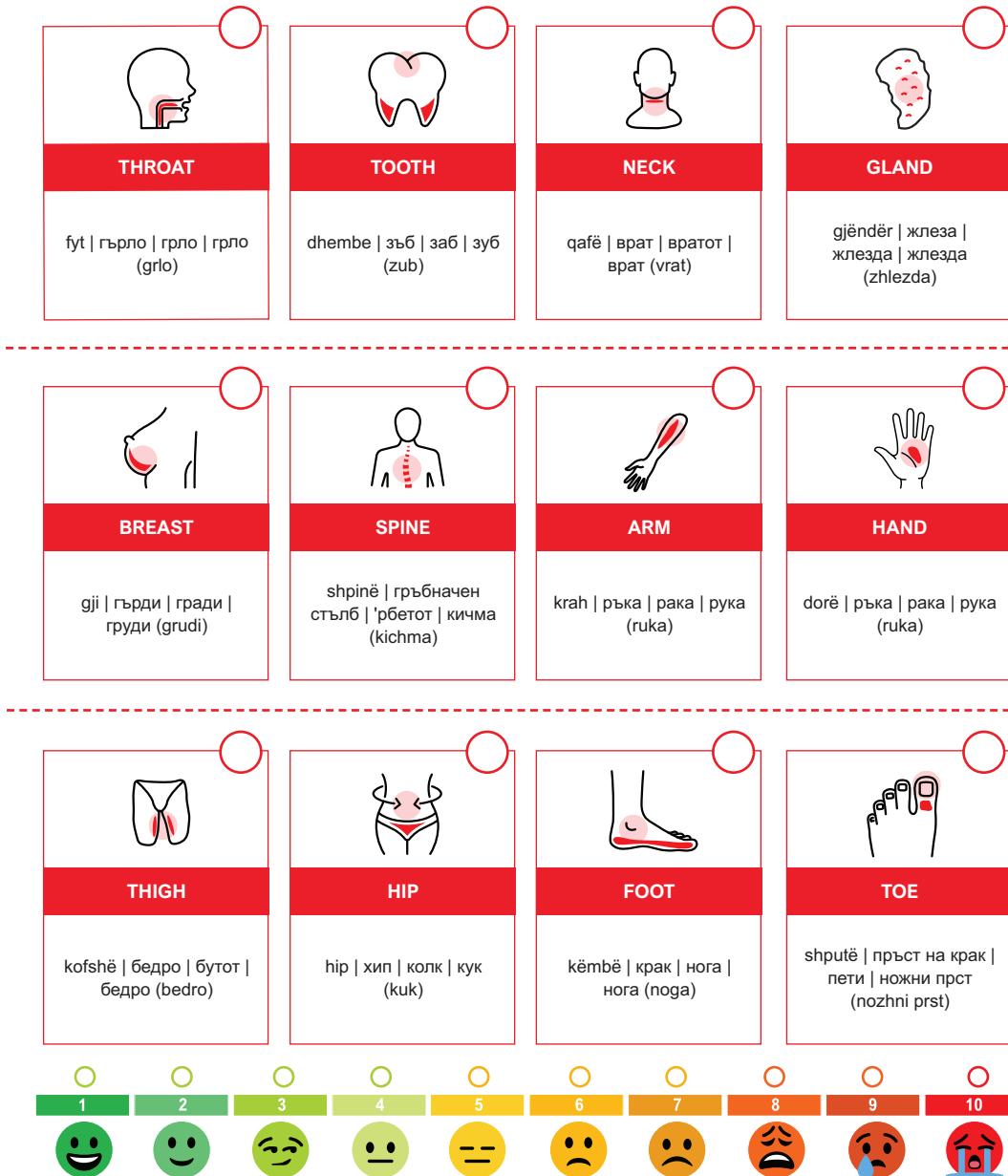
<input type="checkbox"/> PENICILLIN	<input type="checkbox"/> ASPIRIN	<input type="checkbox"/> CHEMICAL
penicilinë   пеницилин   пенациллин   пеницилин (penicillin)	aspirinë   аспирин   аспирина   аспирин (aspirin)	kimik   химически   хемиски   хемијски (hemijski)
<input type="checkbox"/> POLLEN	<input type="checkbox"/> DUST	<input type="checkbox"/> MOULD
polen   цветен прашец   полен   полен (polen)	pluhur   прах   прашина   прашина (prashina)	tušk   мухъл   мува   калуп (kalup)
<input type="checkbox"/> ANIMALS	<input type="checkbox"/> FISH	<input type="checkbox"/> DAIRY
kafshë   животно   животните   животиня (zhivotinja)	peshk   риба   риба   риба (riba)	baxho   мандра   млечни   млечара (mlekara)
<input type="checkbox"/> NUTS	<input type="checkbox"/> BITE	<input type="checkbox"/> STING
arra   ядки   ореви   ораси (orasi)	kafshoj   хапя   залак   угрести (ugristi)	djeg   ужилване   стинг   убод (ubod)
<input type="checkbox"/> OTHER		
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# BACK

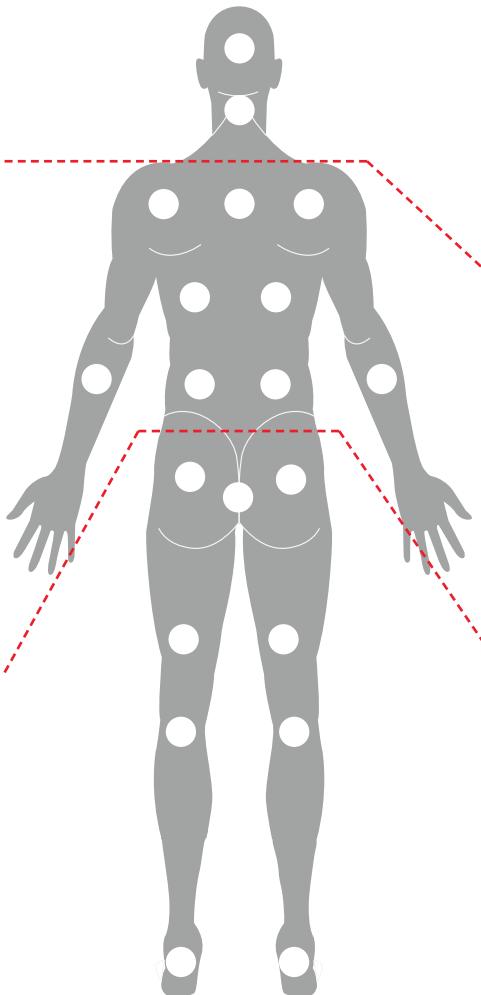
прака | обратно | назад | назад (nazad)

PAIN	SYMPTOM	MEDICATION	DURATION	MEASUREMENT
MINUTES	HOURS	WEEKS	MONTHS	



dhimbje | болка | болка | бол (bol)

1 ONE	2 TWO	3 THREE	4 FOUR	5 FIVE	6 SIX	7 SEVEN	8 EIGHT	9 NINE	10 TEN
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<b>SKULL</b>	
kafkë   череп   че́реп   лоба́нja (lobanja)	
<b>SKIN</b>	<b>KIDNEYS</b>
lëkurë   кожа   кожата   кожка (kozha)	veshka   бъбреци   бубрезите   бубрези (bubrezi)
<b>BUTTOCKS</b>	<b>RECTUM</b>
mollaqe   задник   задникот   задњица	anus   анус   анусот   чмар (chmar)

preexist | предхожда | preexist | преекист (preekist)

Please mark or tick (✓) all of the pre-existing medical conditions you have or may have had in the past. If applicable, please circle (○) the relevant type or stage

<input type="checkbox"/> <b>CANCER</b> <table border="1"><tr><td>1</td><td>2</td><td>3</td><td>4</td></tr></table> kancer   рак   рак   рак (rak)	1	2	3	4	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>DIABETES</b> <table border="1"><tr><td>1</td><td>2</td></tr></table> diabet   диабет   дијабетес   дијабетес (dijabetes)	1	2	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>LEUKAEMIA</b> <table border="1"><tr><td>1</td><td>2</td><td>3</td><td>4</td></tr></table> leukimi   левкемия   леукемија   леукемија (leukemija)	1	2	3	4
1	2	3	4									
1	2											
1	2	3	4									
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>PREGNANCY</b> <table border="1"><tr><td>0-3</td><td>4-6</td><td>7-9</td></tr></table> barrë   бременност   бремено   трудноћа	0-3	4-6	7-9	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>ASTHMATIC</b> <table border="1"><tr><td>ASTHMA</td><td>COPD</td></tr></table> astmatik   астматичен   астматичен   астматичан (astmatisch)	ASTHMA	COPD	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>LUPUS</b> <table border="1"><tr><td>SLE</td><td>CLE</td><td>DLE</td></tr></table> lupus   кожна туберкулоза   лупус   лупус	SLE	CLE	DLE		
0-3	4-6	7-9										
ASTHMA	COPD											
SLE	CLE	DLE										
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>HIV / AIDS</b>  hiv / aids   хив / спин   хив / сида   хив / аидс	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>EPILEPSY</b>  епилепси   епилепсия   епилепсија   епилепсија (epilepsija)	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>MENTAL HEALTH</b>  shendeti mendor   душевно здраве   ментално здравје   ментално здравље (mentalno zdravje)										
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>HEART DISEASE</b>  sēmundje zemre   сърдечно заболяване   срцева болест   болест срца (bolest srca)	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>HIGH CHOLESTEROL</b>  colesterol i larte   висок холестерол   висок холестерол   висок холестерол	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>HIGH BLOOD PRESSURE</b>  tensioni i gjakut   кръвно налягане   крвен притисок   крвни притисак (krvni pritisak)										
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>OTHER</b>												

# D MEDICATION

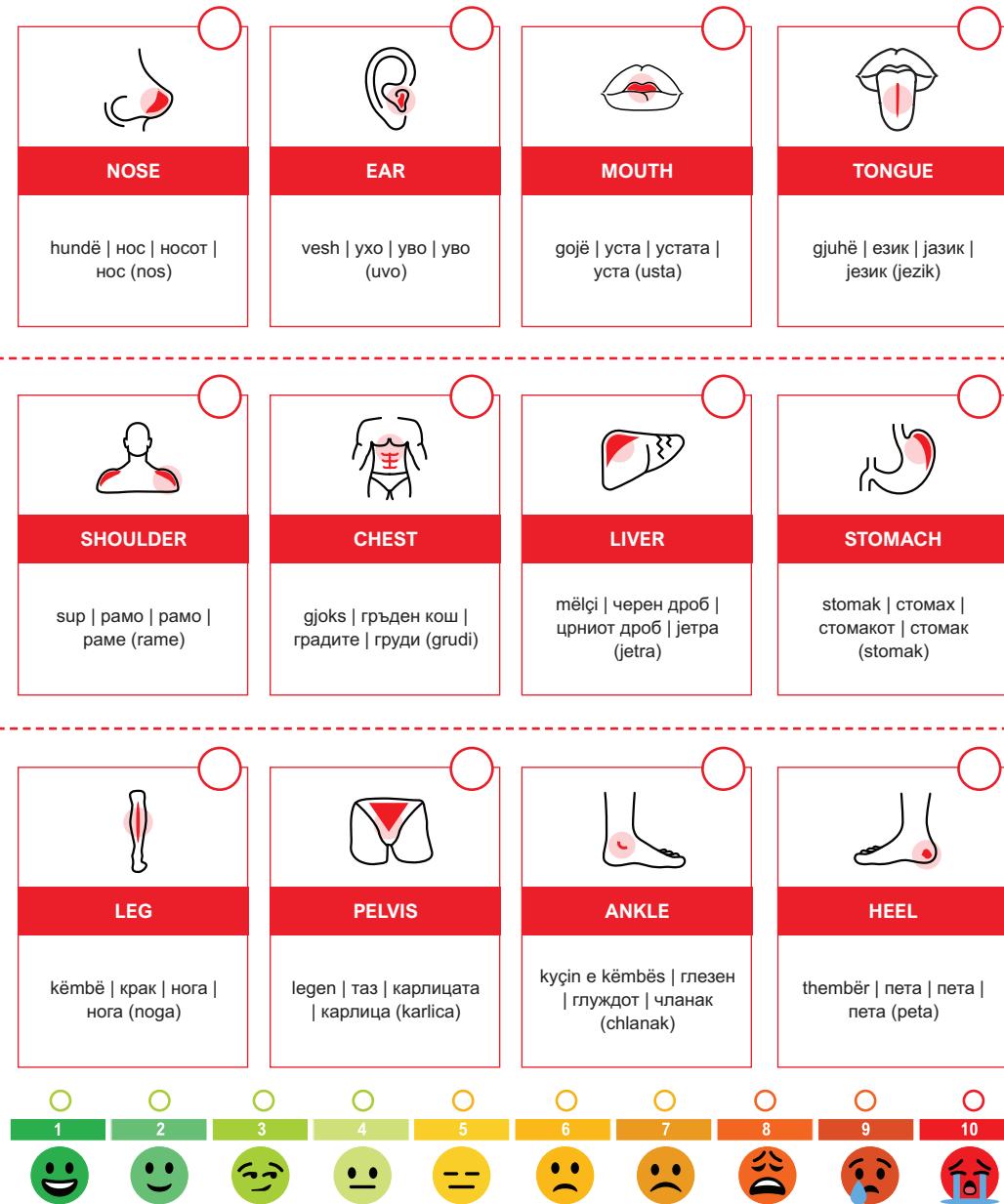
mjekim | лечение | лекови | лек (lek)

Please list all of the medications that you frequently take concerning your allergies or pre-existing conditions. Medical professionals must be made aware of any medications that you may take as it will affect decisions relating to any medication prescribed when you seek treatment

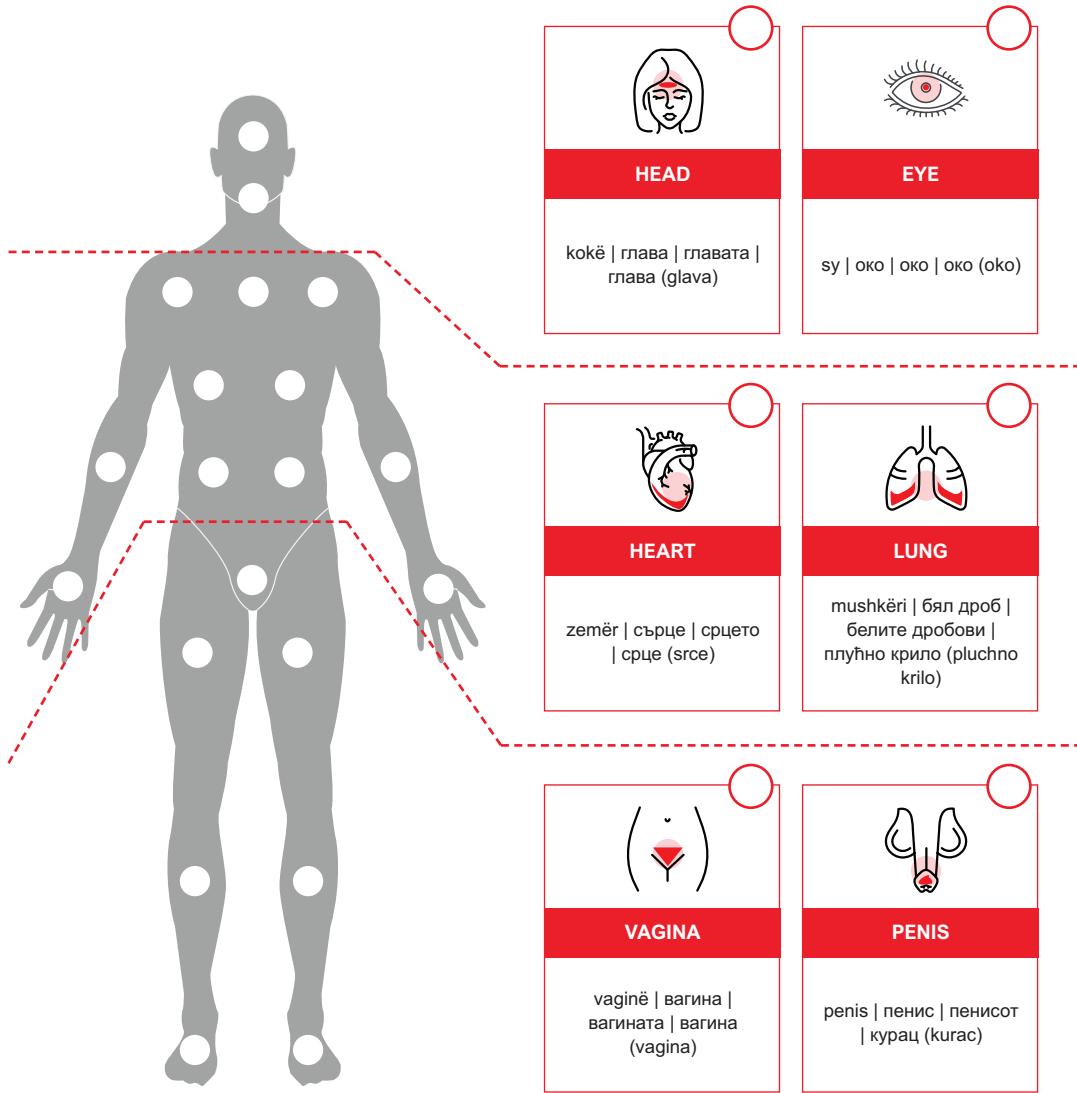
	MEDICATION	FREQUENCY	MEASUREMENT
	mjekim   лечение   лекови   лек (lek)	frekuencë   честота   фреквенција   фреквенција (frekvenciya)	матје   измерване   мерење   мера (mera)
1	HOURLY   DAILY	TSP   TBSP   MCG   MG   G   ML   L	
2	HOURLY   DAILY	TSP   TBSP   MCG   MG   G   ML   L	
3	HOURLY   DAILY	TSP   TBSP   MCG   MG   G   ML   L	
4	HOURLY   DAILY	TSP   TBSP   MCG   MG   G   ML   L	
5	HOURLY   DAILY	TSP   TBSP   MCG   MG   G   ML   L	
6	HOURLY   DAILY	TSP   TBSP   MCG   MG   G   ML   L	<p>hourly   čdo orë   всеки час   на час   по сату daily   i përditshëm   ежедневно   дневно   дневно</p> <p>tsp   lugë çaji   чаена лъжичка   лажичка   кашичика (kashichica)  tbsp   lugë gjelle   супена лъжица   лажица   кашика (kashika)  mcg   mikrogramë   микрограма   микрограми   микрограма (mikrograma)  mg   miligram   милиграмм   милиграм   милиграмм (miligram)  g   gram   грам   грам   gram (gram)  ml   milliliter   миллилитър   миллилитар   миллилиттар (militar)  l   litër   литър   литар   liter (litar)</p>

+ □ ▶ front | преден | напред | предни (prednji)

PAIN	SYMPOTM	MEDICATION	DURATION	MEASUREMENT
MINUTES	HOURS	WEEKS	MONTHS	



dhimbje | болка | болка | бол (bol)



gjatë një emergjencë | по време на спешна ситуация | за време на итен случај | током ванредне ситуације

The following sections have been designed to help you communicate any pains, symptoms you are experiencing or any medication you have taken when speaking to a medical professional. You can either point or mark the relevant boxes, describing your symptoms quickly and easily using the Medical Diagnosis Interpreter (MDI).

### HOW TO COMMUNICATE

Communicating in a four-step process, let us start by going to section E or the areas of pain to begin

**Step 1** - Please go to the numbers bar at the top of section E, where you can either point or tick (✓) the number of pains you are experiencing. One for a single area of pain, two for the second pain and so on



**Step 2** – When ready to describe your first or only pain, you can either point or tick the region of the body (front or back) or specific body parts where the pain is located. When you have finished highlighting all of the areas, you can either point to the stop or next marker if you have more than one pain. Both markers can be found at the top right-hand side of the page



**Step 3** – Next, you will need to indicate how long you have been experiencing the pain. You do this by selecting the duration marker, followed by the minutes, hours or days markers (for example, 10 + minutes). If you are trying to describe multiples, such as 30 minutes, you could point to the ten marker three times (e.g., 10 plus 10 plus 10), followed by the minute marker



**Step 4** – Finally, we will highlight the pain level on a scale from 1 to 10. If you are suffering multiple pains, go back to the beginning of section E, select two from the number scale to describe the subsequent pain and so on.



You will follow a similar process for symptoms (section F) and any drugs/medication taken (section G). In the medication taken section, you will also be required to use the numbering system to describe measurements, such as 1 + 2 + thousand + mg, which would represent one 2000mg tablet)

**Important:** During an emergency, you must convey areas of pain, symptoms and any drugs or medication you have taken quickly and efficiently. If a pain, symptom or drug/medication is not listed, write it within the relevant 'other' box, remembering to use BLOCK CAPITAL letters. Providing any information that is not listed helps the medical professional to look it up and translate the terms quickly to form a diagnosis

1 ONE	2 TWO	3 THREE	4 FOUR	5 FIVE	6 SIX	7 SEVEN	8 EIGHT	9 NINE	10 TEN
пје един	dy две	tre три	катер четирима	pesë пет	gjashtë шест	shtatë седем	tetë осем	nëntë девет	dhjetë десет
еден	две	три	четири	пет	шест	седум	осум	девет	десет
један	два	три	четири	пет	шест	седам	осам	девет	десет
(jedan)	(dva)	(tri)	(chetiri)	(pet)	(shest)	(sedam)	(osam)	(devet)	(deset)

PAIN	dhimbje   болка   болка   бол (bol)	HOURS	орë   час   час   сат (sat)
SYMPOTM	симпотоë   симптом   симптом   симптом (simptom)	WEEKS	јавë   седмица   недела   недеља (nedelja)
MEDICATION	тјеким   лечение   лекови   лек (lek)	MONTHS	тиуј   месец   месец   месец дана
DURATION	конгезгјатје   продължителност   времетраењето   трајање (trajanje)	HUNDREDS	нјëqind   сто   сто   сто (sto)
MEASUREMENT	матје   измерване   мерење   мера (mera)	THOUSANDS	тјије   хиляда   илјади   хиљада (hiljada)
MINUTES	минутë   минута   минути   минут (minut)		

- Albanian (al)
- Bulgarian (bu)
- Macedonian (ma)
- Serbian (se)