



DOCTORS **A**Gainst **S**ources of **H**umanity: Unit 5

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VERIFY THE DISORDER

THREAT LEVEL: YELLOW

ASSIGNMENT #1

Establish whether or not the reported symptoms are real, connected, and related to a transmitted pathogen.

DETAILS:

DASH⁵ needs you to determine whether we're dealing with an infectious disease. We've set up conferences for you to participate in with two other teams of doctors. While all teams of doctors have the **same charts**, each team within your conference group will have different parts to contribute to the conversation. You should take notes during the conversation, but with some insight, you'll spot the **one thing** said each turn that's important. When you have an answer, send a representative from each of the three teams together to verify it with DASH⁵.

RESULT: _____

Dr. Robert Baby

As Dr. Baby, you will wait for Dr. Albert to begin the conversation.

Aaaaas youuuuuu wiiiiiiish. I am Dr. Robert Baby. And before you ask, I'm not a pediatrician. I'm looking forward to working with—hey is someone on the line chewing loudly?

Back to diet and gastro, huh, Dr. Albert? We just don't have any good leads, and this is a real tough nut to crack. What happens if this is a global pandemic and we're not fast enough to stop it?

Enough talk of lunch, both of you. Let's get down to business. We've got a lot of work to do to figure out if this is an outbreak, and I've got an Inspector General breathing down my neck asking for answers.

I'm not sure your influence will get you as far as you think. Every time I try to talk to a government official about this, they clam up. If they keep this up, I'm going to start leaking info to the press to get them to take me seriously. I don't like being backed into a corner!

Ok, sounds good! Phone, hang up... No. Phone, hang up. Gah, this voice interface never works. I wish I knew how to quit—you both have to hang up on me, I guess.

Several of the patients were International Baccalaureate students. Maybe it's a coincidence, but what if it's not?

The endoscopy chart isn't helpful at all. I can hardly believe the useless tripe coming out of your mouth! Like I said before, we should focus on the EKG, that's what's really bothering me.

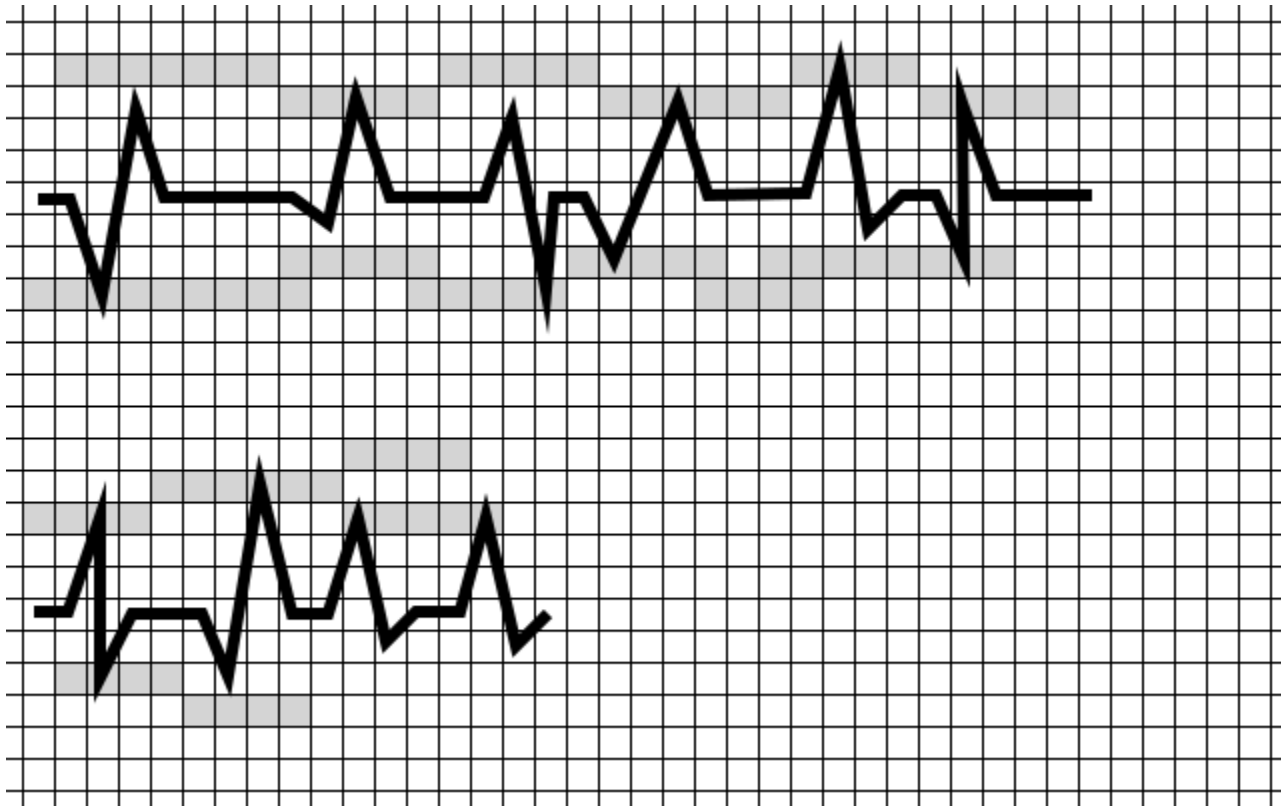
The military could probably block the Interstate Highway out, that would really halt the virus.

Well, regardless of whether Dr. Albert can find out about adrenaline online, I know that there's no way it could have been administered via Intravenous injection to so many people. So that still leaves us with no explanation for these EKGs.

Yes, and I wanted to focus on the heart, since those EKGs are so odd looking, but I got distracted by one of the assistants from a rival researcher, and when I looked back, it was just her pen sitting there, and the heart was gone. I gave her my heart and she gave me a pen!

EKG

It's almost as if two hearts are beating as one.



iChart

The patient wasn't reading the letters in the right order. I wonder if there's a pattern to the track his eyes went in.



G

E

D

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B

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Endoscopy Chart

All of the food swallowed over the last day, along with what appears to be a serving of alphabet soup.

