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outbreak	n.	(傳染病、蟲害等的)突然
[`aut.brek]		發生或蔓延;爆發

SARS (Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome)

**symptom** *n.* 徵候;徵兆;前兆
[sɪmptəm]

quarantinen.隔離;檢疫[kwɔrən.tin]v.[常用被動語態〕隔離;檢疫diagnosev.診斷

[daɪəg`nos]
immune system n. 免疫系統

[i`m jun sistəm]
after-effect n. 後遺症

[æ`fta lfekt]

[væk`sin]

vaccine n. 疫苗;痘苗

transmit v. 將(疾病等)傳染(給人) [træns`mɪt]

precaution n. 預防措施;小心;警惕 [prɪˈkɔʃən]

**suspected case** *n*. 疑似病例 [sə`spɛktɪd `kes]

latency period n. 潛伏期 [letṇsɪ ,pɪrɪəd]





A: It's already been 6 weeks since the beginning of the SARS outbreak.

B: It seems like it's been 6 months.

A: SARS 疫情爆發到現在已經六個禮拜了。

B: 感覺起來像已經六個月了。

A: What are the most common symptoms of SARS?

**B**: If you have a fever or cough, you should see a doctor immediately.

A: SARS 最常見的症狀有哪些?

B: 如果你發燒或咳嗽,就應該儘快就醫。

A: Why are there police outside that hospital?

**B**: The entire hospital was put under quarantine for 15 days after one of the doctors was diagnosed with SARS.

A: 為什麼那家醫院外面有警察?

B: 在一個醫生經診斷發現感染 SARS 之後,整棟醫院被隔離了十五天。



A: I had my temperature taken at least six times today.

**B**: I don't like it when they put the thermometer in my ear.

A: 今天我至少量了六次體溫。

B: 我不喜歡人家把溫度計塞進我耳朵裡。

A: How can you prevent yourself from getting SARS?

**B**: A healthy immune system can help keep your body from contracting SARS.

A: 如何預防感染 SARS?

B: 健康的免疫系統,能幫助避免感染 SARS。



二〇〇三年 SARS 對台灣經濟造成空前危機。調查顯示與前一年同期比較,一些產業的業績減少將近四成。航空公司受創更是嚴重。二〇〇三年四月,出國的旅客人數掉落六成,之後世界衛生組織更對台灣發佈長達一個月的旅遊建議,請旅客非必要不要來台灣。