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Words

西医 西醫
xīyī Western medicine / a doctor trained in Western medicine

西药 西藥
xīyào Western medicine

> 医生说这种西药饭后吃。
> Yīshēng shuō zhèzhǒng xīyào fàn hòu chī.
> The doctor said to take this Western medicine after meals.

中医 中醫
zhōngyī traditional Chinese medical science / a doctor trained in Chinese medicine

> 中医有几千年的历史。
> Zhōngyī yǒu jǐqiān nián de lìshǐ.
> Traditional Chinese medicine has a history of several thousand years.

医学 醫學
yīxué medicine / medical science / study of medicine

> 医学也解释不了这种怪事。
> Yīxué yě jiěshì bu liǎo zhèzhǒng guàishì.
> Even medical science can't explain this strange thing.

中药 中藥
zhōngyào traditional Chinese medicine

> 中药通常要煮很久。
> Zhōngyào tōngcháng yào zhǔ hěn jiǔ.
> Chinese herbal medicine usually has to be boiled for a long time.

手术 手術
shǒushù operation / surgery

> 你是否同意手术?
> Nǐ shìfǒu tóngyì shǒushù?
> Do you give your consent to the operation?

诊断 診斷
zhěnduàn to diagnose

> 医生诊断他得了感冒。
> Yīshēng zhěnduàn tā dé le gǎnmào.
> The doctor diagnosed him with a cold.

治疗 治療
zhìliáo medical treatment / therapy / to treat (an illness)

> 你必须坚持完成治疗。
> Nǐ bìxū jiānchí wánchéng zhìliáo.
> You must complete the treatment until the end.

药物 藥物
yàowù medicaments / pharmaceuticals / medication / medicine / drug

> 你对任何药物过敏吗?
> Nǐ duì rènhé yàowù guòmǐn ma?
> Are you allergic to any medicine?

研发 研發
yánfā research and development / to develop

> 他们正在研发新的手机。
> Tāmen zhèngzài yánfā xīn de shǒujī.
> They are developing a new phone.

预防 預防
yùfáng to prevent / to take precautions against / to protect / to guard against / precautionary / prophylactic

> 怎么预防食物中毒?
> Zěnme yùfáng shíwùzhòngdú?
> How can you prevent food poisoning?

基因
jīyīn gene (loanword)

> 我们应该对人使用基因编辑吗?
> Wǒmen yīnggāi duì rén shǐyòng jīyīn biānjí ma?
> Should we use genetic engineering on people?

细胞 細胞
xìbāo cell (biology)

> 人的身体由无数细胞组成。
> Rén de shēntǐ yóu wúshù xìbāo zǔchéng.
> The human body is made up of countless cells.

病毒
bìngdú virus

> 经常洗手能防病毒吗?
> Jīngcháng xǐshǒu néng fáng bìngdú ma?
> Can washing your hands often protect against viruses?

细菌 細菌

xìjūn bacterium / germ

> 天气暖和了，细菌就容易繁殖。
> Tiānqì nuǎnhuole, xìjūn jiù róngyì fánzhí.
> When the weather gets warm, bacteria multiply easily.

免疫

miǎnyì immunity (to disease)

> 你对这种病免疫吗？
> Nǐ duì zhèzhǒng bìng miǎnyì ma?
> Are you immune to this illness?

遗传 遺傳

yíchuán heredity / to inherit (a trait) / to pass on (to one's offspring)

> 知识不是遗传的。
> Zhīshi bú shì yíchuán de.
> Knowledge is not heritable.

检测 檢測

jiǎncè to test / to detect

> 出门前要先检测体温。
> Chū ménqián yào xiān jiǎncè tǐwēn.
> You need to check your temperature before going out.

传染 傳染

chuánrǎn to infect / contagious

> 感冒会传染给别人。
> Gǎnmào huì chuánrǎn gěi biéren.
> A cold can be passed on to other people.

隐私 隱私

yǐnsī secrets / private business / privacy

> 上网时要保护好隐私。
> Shàngwǎng shí yào bǎohù hǎo yǐnsī.
> You need to protect your privacy when you go online.

突破

tūpò to break through / to make a breakthrough / to surmount (an obstacle) / to break through the opponent's defense

> 士兵们突破了敌人的防线。
> Shìbīngmen tūpòle dírén de fángxiàn.
> The soldiers broke through the enemy's line of defense.

康复 康復

kāngfù to recuperate / to recover (health) / to convalesce

> 你会很快康复的。
> Nǐ huì hěn kuài kāngfù de.
> You'll get well soon.

医药 醫藥

yīyào medical care and medicines / medicine (drug) / medical / pharmaceutical

> 农村的医药条件还不太好。
> Nóngcūn de yīyào tiáojiàn hái bútàihǎo.
> Medical care and supplies in the countryside are still not very good.