

FUNCTION #7

Feeling Rough: Health & Pharmacy – Descrivere sintomi, chiedere rimedi, comprare medicine

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1 Ugh, I feel **proper rubbish**. My **head's banging** and I can't stop coughing.

3 Nah. I need **something for this cold**. Can you **recommend** anything?

5 **Since Sunday**. It's **getting worse**. I've got a presentation tomorrow.

4 Of course. **How long** have you had the symptoms?

2 You look **peak**. **Have you taken** anything yet?

6 Get the **strong stuff**. And rest. No cap, you **need to sleep**.

★ **REMEMBER!** 2 phrases you **NEED**:

★ "I feel proper rubbish" / "My head's banging" = "Rubbish" = terrible (very British). "Head's banging" = bad headache. Natural illness descriptions.

★ "Have you taken...?" / "How long have you had...?" = Present Perfect for health. Standard pharmacy questions. Essential real-life medical English.