**Word association: partnerships**

Word-building

**Exercise 1.**

Link each *verb* on the left with a *noun* on the right to make 10 'partnerships'. The first one has been done for you as an example.

|  | Verbs | Nouns |
| --- | --- | --- |
| 1. | administer \ | an improvement |
| 2. | analyse \ | a baby |
| 3. | arrange \ | antibiotics |
| 4. | burp \ | the treatment |
| 5. | catch \ | your arms |
| 6. | detect \ | an appointment |
| 7. | discontinue \ | a sample |
| 8. | ease \ | the pain |
| 9. | fold ' | a drug |
| 10. | prescribe | a cold |

**Exercise 2.**

Complete these sentences using the partnerships from Exercise 1. You may have to make some changes to fit the grammar of the sentences. The first one has been done for you as an example.

1. The doctor will **administer a drug** to the patient.
2. She was --------------------
3. As soon as the patient reported severe side-effects, the doctor decided to --------------------
4. I've -------------------- from one of my colleagues at work.
5. The laboratory -------------------- of the food and found traces of bacteria.
6. He sat down and --------------------.
7. I would like to-------------------- with the dental hygienist for 10.00am tomorrow.
8. She had an injection to-------------------- in her leg.
9. The health visitor advised the new parents to -------------------- after feeding.
10. The nurses -------------------- in the patient's condition.

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