

Ideas about the cause of disease and illness	Supernatural and religious explanations of the cause of disease
	Rational explanations: the Theory of the Four Humours
	Rational explanations: the Miasma Theory
	The continuing influence in England of Hippocrates and Galen
Approaches to prevention and treatment	Approaches to prevention and treatment: religious actions
	Approaches to prevention and treatment: bloodletting and purging
	Approaches to prevention and treatment: purifying the air
	Approaches to prevention and treatment: use of remedies
	New and traditional approaches to hospital care in the C13th
	The role of the physician, apothecary and barber surgeon in treatment and care
CASE STUDY	Dealing with the Black Death, 1348-49; approaches to treatment and attempts to prevent its spread.
Ideas about the cause of disease and illness	Continuity and change in explanations of the cause of disease and illness
	A scientific approach, including the work of Thomas Sydenham in improving diagnosis
	The influence of the Printing Press
	The work of the Royal Society on the transmission of ideas
Approaches to prevention	Continuity in approaches to prevention, treatment and care in the community and in hospitals.

and treatment	Change in care and treatment: improvements in medical training and the influence in England of the work of Vesalius.	
CASE STUDIES	William Harvey and the discovery of the circulation of the blood	
	Dealing with the Great Plague in London, 1665; approaches to treatment and attempts to prevent its spread	
Ideas about the cause of disease and illness	Continuity and change in explanations of the cause of disease and illness	
	The influence in Britain of Pasteur's Germ Theory and Koch's work on microbes	
Approaches to prevention and treatment	The extent of change in care and treatment: improvements in hospital care and the influence of Nightingale	
	The impact of anaesthetics and antiseptics on surgery	
	New approaches to prevention: the development and use of vaccinations	
	New approaches to prevention: the Public Health Act 1875	
CASE STUDIES	Jenner and the development of vaccination	
	Fighting Cholera in London, 1854; attempts to prevent its spread; the significance of Snow and the Broad Street pump	
Ideas about the cause of disease and illness	Advances in understanding the causes of illness and disease: the influence of genetics	
	Advances in understanding the causes of illness and disease: the influence of lifestyle factors	
	Improvements in diagnosis: the impact of the availability of blood tests, scans and monitors	
Approaches to prevention and treatment	The extent of change in care and treatment. The impact of the NHS; improved access to care.	
	The extent of change in care and treatment. The impact of science and technology; advances in medicines, including magic bullets and antibiotics.	
	The extent of change in care and treatment. The impact of science and technology; high-tech medical and surgical treatment in hospitals.	

CASE STUDIES	New approaches to prevention: mass vaccinations and government lifestyle campaigns.	
	Fleming, Florey and Chain's development of penicillin.	
	The fight against lung cancer in the C21st: the use of science and technology in diagnosis and treatment; government action.	