

Listening Comprehension: The Royal Flying Doctor Service

Source: Royal Flying Doctor Service; National DVD 2006, available at <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RsJi9Vau5ic>

Vocab Help:

ICU – intensive care unit; **organ donor** – somebody who gives one of his organs to another person; **GP** – general practitioner (*Hausarzt, Allgemeinmediziner*), **veterinary surgeon / vet** – doctor for animals; **preventative healthcare** -- *Gesundheitsvorsorge*

List of names:

Joanne Ratsch / Amelia and Zachary Fantus / Wal Mobbs / Rachel Amini-Yanner / Tilly Todhunter

Tasks:

0.	Example: <i>This programme is from...</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	BBC Learning
		<input type="checkbox"/>	BBC Radio 4
		<input type="checkbox"/>	BBC World
		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	YouTube
1.	<u>Tick the one correct answer:</u> Joanne Ratsch needed the Flying Doctors because her babies...	<input type="checkbox"/>	arrived too early.
		<input type="checkbox"/>	required an operation.
		<input type="checkbox"/>	were disabled.
		<input type="checkbox"/>	were seriously ill.
2.	The RFDS has 37 bases open 24 hours 365 days a year.	<input type="checkbox"/>	true
		<input type="checkbox"/>	false
3.	The RFDS planes are equipped with all the intensive care equipment you would expect to find in a hospital.	<input type="checkbox"/>	true
		<input type="checkbox"/>	false
4.	The RFDS only cares for people who live in rural Australia.	<input type="checkbox"/>	true
		<input type="checkbox"/>	false
5.	<u>Tick the one correct answer:</u> Zachary Fantus needed....	<input type="checkbox"/>	an emergency operation.
		<input type="checkbox"/>	an organ transplant.
		<input type="checkbox"/>	blood transfusions.
		<input type="checkbox"/>	physiotherapy.
6.	<u>Please complete:</u> Before his accident, Wal Mobbs thought that he would never need the Flying Doctors because		
		
7.	<u>Tick the one correct answer:</u> Wal Mobbs....	<input type="checkbox"/>	collided with a kangaroo.
		<input type="checkbox"/>	crashed into another car.
		<input type="checkbox"/>	hit a tree several times.
		<input type="checkbox"/>	overturned his car several times.
8.	<u>Tick the one correct answer:</u> Every year, the RFDS attends about...	<input type="checkbox"/>	150,000 patients.
		<input type="checkbox"/>	250,000 patients.
		<input type="checkbox"/>	450,000 patients.
		<input type="checkbox"/>	750,000 patients.
9.	The RFDS has a doctor to talk to on a 24-hour standby service.	<input type="checkbox"/>	true
		<input type="checkbox"/>	false

10.	<u>Tick the two correct answers:</u> The RFDS will also....	<input type="checkbox"/> build hospitals in rural areas. <input type="checkbox"/> do plastic surgery. <input type="checkbox"/> provide emergency medical kits. <input type="checkbox"/> provide veterinary services. <input type="checkbox"/> send out female doctors to support women's medical needs. <input type="checkbox"/> train veterinary surgeons.
11.	<u>Please complete:</u> To Rachel Amini-Yanner, the RFDS simply means	
12.	Tilly Todhunter is thankful for the RFDS because they understand that health workers like herself have not had enough medical training.	<input type="checkbox"/> true <input type="checkbox"/> false
13.	<u>Tick the one correct answer:</u> The RFDS is asking for people's donations because...	<input type="checkbox"/> the state only gives them loans. <input type="checkbox"/> the state only pays for some of the RFDS's expenses. <input type="checkbox"/> they do not receive any money from the state. <input type="checkbox"/> they want to make a profit.

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