

1. Listen again to the previous sections of this Listening. Afterwards, with your group, discuss what the conclusion to this passage would look like and write sentences in the organizer below which you used for the Reading.

General Statement:
Summary (two sentences):
Thesis Statement:

2. Now listen to the Conclusion for this Listening. Using the same organizer, write in the main ideas you hear for each section of the Conclusion.

**General Statement**: Alright. Regardless of whether we're talking about the system of Chinese or Western medicine, it's clear that they were designed to treat the society that created them in the way the suited them best.

**Summary (two sentences)**: Chinese drugs were developed in a culture which puts more importance on nature, so are natural, whereas drugs of the industrialized West are more chemical and artificial, yet each has advantages and disadvantages regarding side effects and speed. The goals of both systems also differ, where Chinese doctors work closely with the patient in hopes of preventing illness in the long run and Western physicians try to remove as much pain and symptoms as quickly as possible.

**Thesis Statement**: It is amazing that both of these medical philosophies, while being so different in the fundamental way they go about approaching and dealing with sickness, work well and have the end result of healing the sick in their own way.

3. The questions below are all multiple choice and cover the entire Listening. Listen again to the entire passage and answer them without looking back at your previous answers.

Are the following mentioned in the lecture about Chinese and Western medicine? For each answer, select Yes or No.

		Yes	No
а	Chinese drugs are primarily made from organic material.	X	
b	Doctors practicing Chinese medicine usually visit patients at home.		X
С	A patient's personal life and daily activities are important to Chinese doctors.	X	
d	Western scientists closely analyze natural sources to find their active ingredients.	X	
е	Chemotherapy and radiotherapy are examples of drugs with serious side effects.	X	

Which of the following are discussed about the goals of Chinese medicine? Select 3 answers.

f	Chinese doctors have a very personal approach to their patients.	X
g	The immediate problem needs to be dealt with before long-term care is considered.	
h	Possible lack of payment can motivate Chinese doctors to do a better job.	X
i	Drugs are given to sick people prior to any symptoms of illness to help prevent them.	X

- j. The primary goal of Western physicians is to...
  - 1. make money
  - 2. stop symptoms
  - 3. make patients happy
  - 4. work with other medical professionals
- k. What could result from a lack of personal attention by Western doctors?
  - 1. Doctors will not be paid.
  - 2. Healing will not be as quick.
  - 3. Patients may become ill again.
  - 4. A patient's mental health could deteriorate.