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## Untangle the Web

The article “Sites to See” (page 26) suggests different ways to determine whether a health Web site gives accurate information. After reading the article, select a health topic, and find three related Web sites to test out. Then, fill out the chart below with information for each site. Finally, answer the questions below the chart.

**My Topic:** \_\_\_\_\_

	Web site 1	Web site 2	Web site 3
<b>URL (Web address)</b>			
<b>Sponsor (who owns the site)</b>			
<b>Date site was last updated</b>			
<b>Number of advertisements</b>			
<b>Health on the Net symbol? (Yes/No)</b>			
<b>Information reviewed by advisory board, doctor, or medical editor? (Yes/No)</b>			
<b>Personal information requested (If yes, what type?)</b>			

1. Which Web site seemed to be the most trustworthy? Why?

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2. Which Web site looked the least reliable? Why?

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3. Did you find any other clues about whether a health Web site was a good source of accurate information?

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