Current Health 2 Checkup

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Flu Review

Part 1:

Directions: Read the article "Flu's Blues" (page 8). Circle T for true or F for false for the following questions.

1. In North America, people tend to get the flu in the summer.	T	F
2. The flu can cause other illnesses in the body, such as pneumonia.	T	F
3. Symptoms of the flu include sneezing and a sore throat.	T	F
4. A fever is a sign that the immune system is trying to clear an infection by overheating and killing the virus.	T	F
5. There are four types of flu virus, called A, B, C, and AB.	T	F
6. A flu vaccine tricks the body into thinking the flu virus has invaded it.	T	F
7. If you think you might have the flu, you might as well go to school anyway.	T	F
8. Wash your hands for at least 15 seconds to stay healthy.	T	F
9. A person is infectious with the flu for two to three days.	T	F
10. Sneezing sends the stuff in your nose airborne at about 100 miles per hour.	T	F

Part 2:

What will you do to avoid the flu this year?

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