

07 MIND AND BODY

WATCH

A Watch the video. Write what you hear about the following.

The problems Chen and Nicci have.

The medicine they're using for their problems.

The advice they give each other.

B Compare your ideas with a partner.

C Look at the video script. What are the missing words?

D Watch again and check your answers.

PRACTISE PRONUNCIATION

A Practise the conversation in pairs.

B Which words or phrases are difficult for you? Tell a partner.

C Watch again and listen to the words / phrases that are difficult to say.

Ask your teacher to stop the video.

Repeat the word(s) / phrases.

D In pairs, practise reading the dialogue again.

KARAOKE

Watch the karaoke version and look at the video script. Act out the karaoke lines in *italics*.

VIDEO SCRIPT

Nicci Are you OK?
 Chen No, not really. *I've got* ¹ _____ *and a sore throat.* It's awful. I can't concentrate on the class.
 Nicci Oh no! You poor thing! *How long* ² _____ *it?*
 Chen For a few days now.
 Nicci ³ _____ *the doctor's about it?*
 Chen No, not yet. I'll be OK, I think. I'll see how I feel later today.
 Nicci ⁴ _____ *anything for it?*
 Chen Just some ... um ... some medicine for coughs – some cough medicine.
 Nicci *OK, well,* ⁵ _____ *some honey and lemon.*
 Chen Yes, maybe. It might help.
 Nicci *Well,* ⁶ _____ *and get well soon.*
 Chen Thank you. So shall we change?
 Nicci OK.
 Chen So ... are you OK?
 Nicci No, not really! *I've got* ⁷ _____ *on my arm.* It's some kind of allergy. It's really itchy, and I want to scratch it, but if I scratch it then it gets worse.
 Chen *Oh, you poor thing! It sounds awful.* Have you ⁸ _____ *the doctor about it?*
 Nicci Yes, but they don't know why it happens. They said I need lots of tests if I want to find out!
 Chen *Oh,* ⁹ _____ *! Are you taking anything for it?*
 Nicci Yes, I have a special cream I put on it, but it's not really working at the moment.
 Chen ¹⁰ _____ *homeopathy? You know, natural medicine. It might be better.*
 Nicci *That's not a bad idea, actually. Maybe I will.*