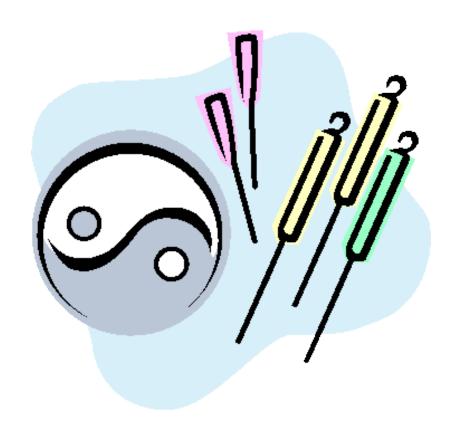
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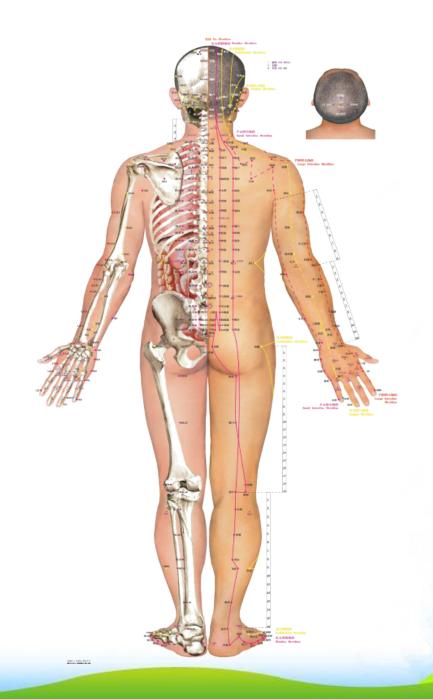


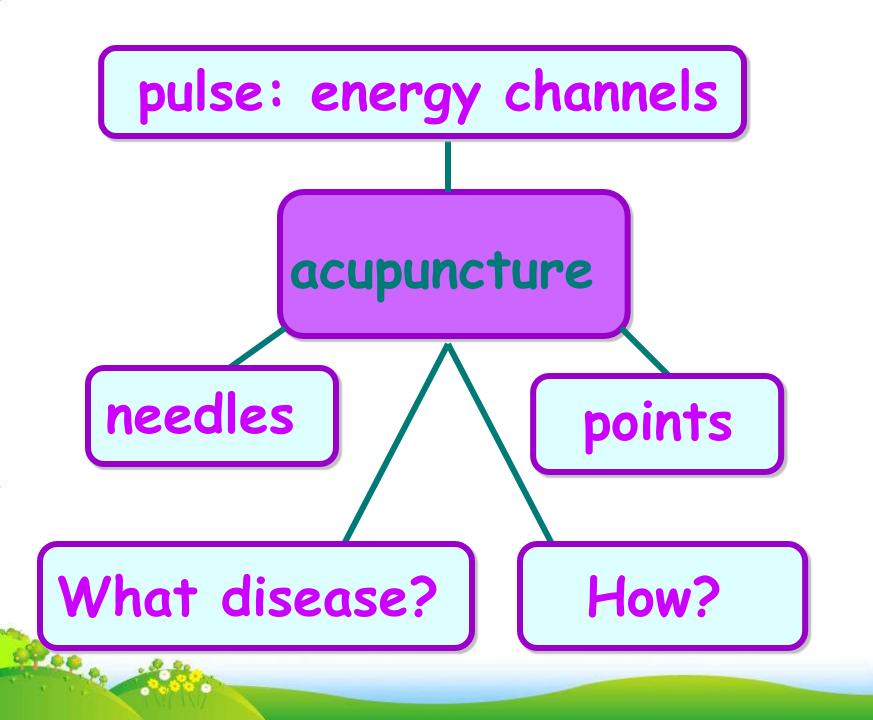


# What is happening to this person?

She is receiving an acupuncture treatment

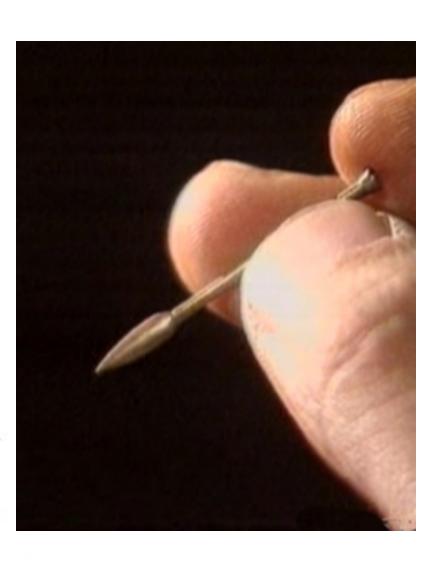








## different kinds of needles used in the past



## arrowhead needle

镜针

## round needle 圆针





# a needle that is not sharp

推针

## sword-like needle 剑头针





- ·Original form: 'bian stones'
- ·Uses then: making holes on swollen areas of the body
- ·Development:
- :Uses of 4 different needles:

### Uses of different needles

Arrowhead needle	cutting the surface of the skin
Round needle	rubbing
A needle that is not sharp	knocking or pressing
Sword-like needle	letting liquid out of swollen parts

Examination	<ul> <li>ask the patient's medical history and lifestyle</li> <li>look at the color of the patient's skin and tongue</li> <li>listen to his breathingnd check his pulse</li> </ul>
Pulse checking	<ul> <li>number of pulses: 6 on each wrist</li> <li>each is connected with a body organ or function of an organ.</li> </ul>
Reasons for pulse checking	·help find out which e <u>nergy channel</u> doesn't have enough energy.

#### Numbers:

- past- 365
- · nowadays- 2000



# How do acupuncturists do acupuncture treatment?

- · insert needles at or near the site of the disease
- select points based on the symptoms that the patient has

·What medical problems can acupuncture treat?

·How does acupuncture reduce and relieve pain?

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# What medical problems can acupuncture treat?

·bad pains (such as neck and back pains), headaches, injuries, stomach problems and blood pressure problems.

·addictions to cigarettes, drugs, alcohol and food (overeating).

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