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Germs: Infection, Detection, and Protection

Go to the Infection Detection Protection website.

www.amnh.org/nationalcenter/infection/index.html

Click on “How Lou Got the Flu”. Read through the story, clicking the *next* button to go on to each page. Then answer Question 1.

1. How did Lou get the flu?

Click the *back* button until you get back to the purple page you started on.

Click on “**Prevention Convention**”. Read the tips on the page.

When you are finished, click the *back* button to return to the purple page.

Click on “**Infection!**” Read the page.

Use the information from the “Prevention Convention” and “Infection!” pages to answer Questions 2, 3, 4, and 5.

2. List six ways you can stay healthy (and keep your immune system working well).
3. List four ways germs can spread.
4. What is your body’s first line of defense?
5. What is your body’s second line of defense?

When you finish, play “Infection” or return to the purple page and click on “Bacteria in the Cafeteria” to play a different game. You may also return to the pages you’ve already visited.