

## 第4回 医学

### 1. メンタルヘルス

**Have mental health problems been getting more or more serious in modern society?**

What are the major causes of increasing mental health problems?

What problems are caused by (serious) mental health problems?

What are effective countermeasures for mental health problems in society?

Has society effectively [successfully] been dealing with (increasing) mental health problem?

### 2. 予防医学

**Is prevention more important than treatment in healthcare?**

What are examples of preventive medicine?

What are the drawbacks to preventive medicine?

Are people too dependent on doctors and medicines?

Do the benefits of alternative medicine outweigh its disadvantages?

### 3. 医療制度

**What country has an ideal healthcare system?**

What are the positive aspects of Japanese healthcare system?

Are there any problems with the Japanese healthcare system?

How can Japanese healthcare system be reformed?

Should the government ultimately be responsible for the health of its citizens?

### 4. 感染症

**Will infectious diseases will become a bigger problem in the coming decades?**

How can we deal with increasing infections in the world?

Should vaccinations for infectious diseases be mandatory?

Is public health a bigger priority than individual freedom?

What are major obstacles to health maintenance in modern society?

### 5. 安楽死

**Should euthanasia be legalized in Japan ?**

Do the benefits of euthanasia outweigh its disadvantages?

What makes active euthanasia so controversial (in Japan/in many countries/in the world)?

What are the social implications for the legalization of active euthanasia ?