

This is not a story, but a list of important medical terms used in today's hospitals. The terms do not really lend themselves to audio output, so this is a text-only presentation. Read on for . . .

Medical Terminology for the Layperson

- Artery - The study of fine paintings
- Barium - What you do when CPR fails
- Cesarean Section - A district in Rome
- Colic - A sheep dog
- Coma - A punctuation mark
- Congenital - Friendly
- Dilate - To live long
- Fester - Quicker
- G.I. Series - Baseball game between teams of soldiers
- Grippe - A suitcase
- Hangnail - A coat hook
- Medical staff - A doctor's cane
- Minor operation - Coal digging

- Morbid - A higher offer
- Nitrate - Lower than the day rate
- Node - Was aware of
- Organic - Musical
- Outpatient - A person who has fainted
- Post-operative - A letter carrier
- Protein - In favor of young people
- Secretion - Hiding something
- Serology - Study of English knighthood
- Tablet - A small table
- Tumor - An extra pair
- Urine - Opposite of you're out
- Varicose veins - Veins which are very close together