**Medicine through Time**

**Key Questions**

**For the different periods of study (i.e. Greeks, Romans etc.) there are several questions you should be able to answer:**

**Disease & Infection**

**What diseases affected people at this time?**

**What did people think caused disease/infection?**

**How did people try and prevent disease/infection?**

**What opposition was there to new ideas?**

**How did people share their ideas or techniques? (book etc.)**

**What affect did religion have on the understanding/treatment of disease & infection?**

**Surgery & Anatomy**

**How much did people at this time understand about the make-up of the human body (anatomy)?**

**How did they find out about the make-up of the human body? In other words, did they do dissections?**

**What major discoveries were made in the field of anatomy?**

**What surgery took place at this time?**

**Who performed surgery at this time?**

**How clean and infection free was surgery at this time?**

**What key figures helped improve surgery?**

**What affect did religion have on surgery?**

**Public Health**

**How good was Public Health at this time?**

**What were living conditions like for people at this time?**

**Did the Government help improve Public Health? How?**

**What key figures tried to improve Public Health?**