

Unit 3 :
Medicine in Britain c. 1250—present
inc. The British Sector of the Western
Front, 1914—18: surgery and
treatment



Topic	Covered it	Revised it
1. MEDIEVAL MEDICINE, c1250-1500		
1.1 Ideas about causes of disease and illness		
1.2 Approaches to treatment and prevention		
1.3 Dealing with the Black Death, 1348-49		
2. RENAISSANCE MEDICINE, c1500-1700		
2.1 Ideas about the cause of disease and illness		
2.2 Approaches to prevent and treatment		
2.3 William Harvey		
2.4 Dealing with the Great Plague in London, 1665		
3. INDUSTRIAL MEDICINE, c1700-1900		
3.1 Ideas about the causes of disease and illness		
3.2 Approaches to prevention and treatment		
3.3 Fighting cholera in London, 1854		
4. MODERN MEDICINE, c1900-present		
4.1 Ideas about the causes of disease and illness		
4.2 Approaches to prevention and treatment		
4.3 Fleming, Florey, Chain & the development of penicillin		
4.4 The fight against lung cancer in the 21st century		
5. WESTERN FRONT, 1914-1918 INJURIES, TREATMENTS & TRENCHES		
5.1 The context of medicine in the early 20th century		
5.2 The context of the British sector of the Western Front		
5.3 Conditions requiring medical treatment on the Western Front		
5.4 The work of the RAMC and FANY		
5.5 The significance of the Western Front in surgery and medicine		