## **Spanish for Healthcare Providers; Most Common Phrases in Spanish**

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#### Spanish for Healthcare Providers

The Spanish language is one of the most popular languages spoken. Many medical professionals need to use Spanish in the healthcare industry for their Spanish speaking patients. Some people learn and practice Spanish in middle school and/or high school. Learning the basic Spanish phrases is easy if practiced by actually speaking Spanish every day. Once you learn the basics of Spanish it will benefit you to interact with the Mexican culture. The Spanish words that are listed here will assist you in daily Spanish speaking medical offices. Medical front office and back office personnel will need to use some of the Spanish phrases for their patients. Also you should start or end any request with the word PLEASE (POR FAVOR).

#### **List of Medical Phrases in Spanish**

Thank you	Gracias
Yes/No	Si/No
Bad	Mal
Good	Bien
Please	Por favor
Good morning	Buenos dias
Good afternoon	Buenas tardes
Good evening	Buenas noches
Physician	Medico
Hospital	Hospital
Midwife	Comadre
My name is	Mi nombre es
What is your name?	Como se llama?
How do you feel?	Coma se siente?
Say it once again	Repitalo, por favor
Speak slower	Hablo mas despacio
How old are you?	Cuantos anos tienes?

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# **Spanish Anatomy Terms - Parts of the Body**

- The bones los huesos
- The head la cabeza
- The skin la piel
- The eye el ojo
- The throat la garganta
- The ears los oidos
- The neck el cuello
- The nose la nariz
- The tongue la lengua
- Urine urino
- The nerves los nervios
- The foot el pie
- The shoulder blades las paletillas
- The arm el brazo
- The ankle el tobillo
- The wrist el codo
- The thigh el muslo
- The hand la mano
- The leg la pierna
- The chest el pecho
- The stomach el estomago
- The abdomen el abdomen
- The heart el corazon
- The back la espalda
- The side el flanco
- The ribs las costillas