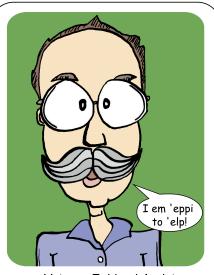
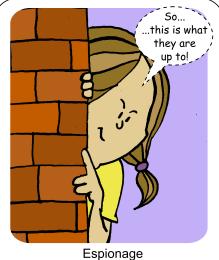


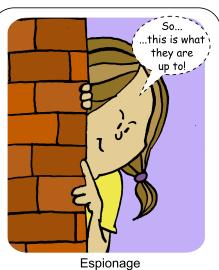
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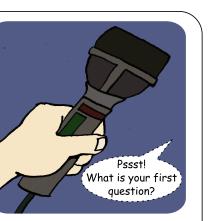


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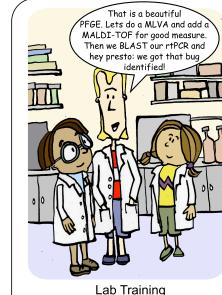
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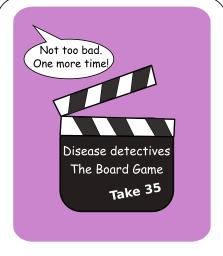
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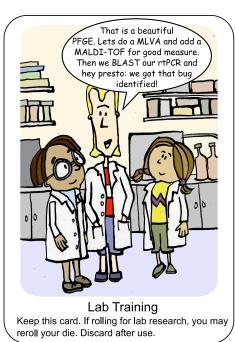
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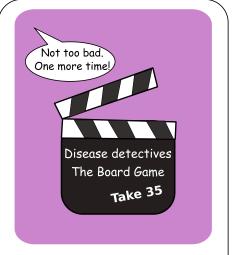


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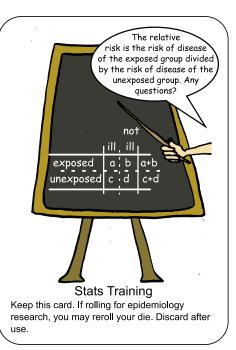


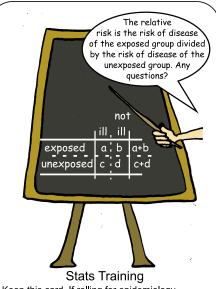
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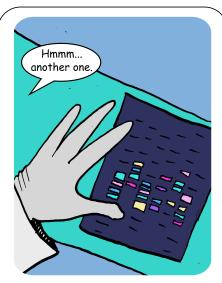




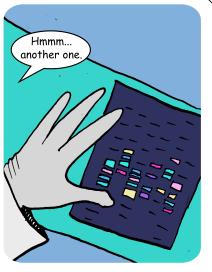
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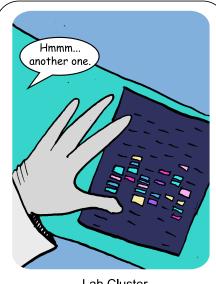
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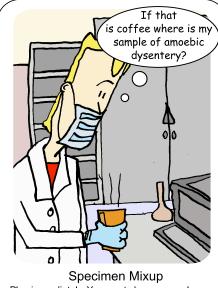
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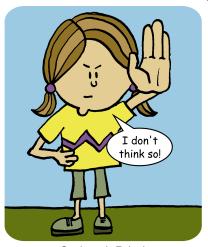
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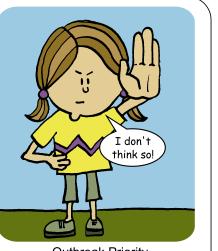
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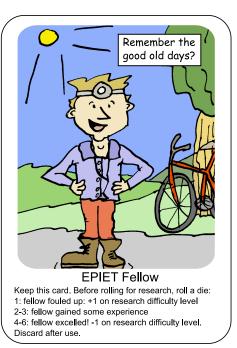
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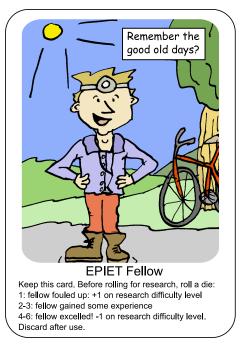


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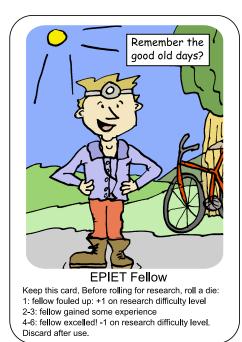




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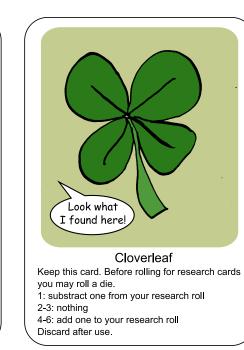
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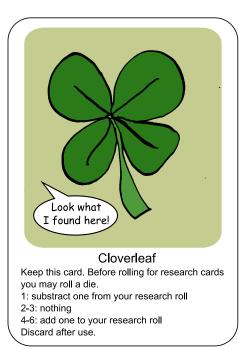


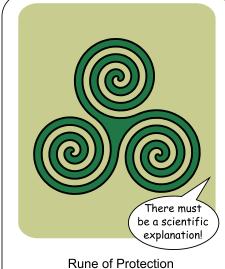
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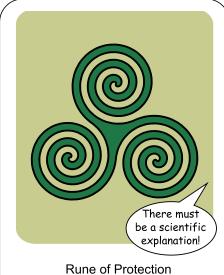




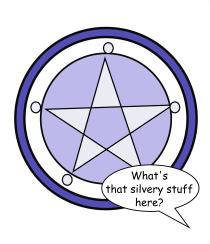
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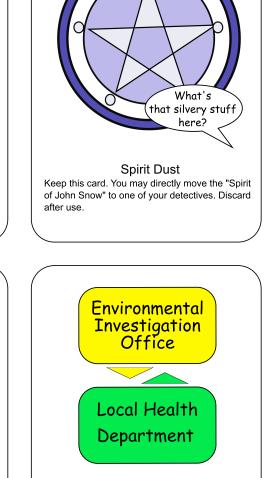
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Spirit Dust Keep this card. You may directly move the "Spirit of John Snow" to one of your detectives. Discard after use.



Communication Shortcut Play immediately. Put this card next to gaming board. From now on, any detective may directly move between the two research units. This cards remains in play.

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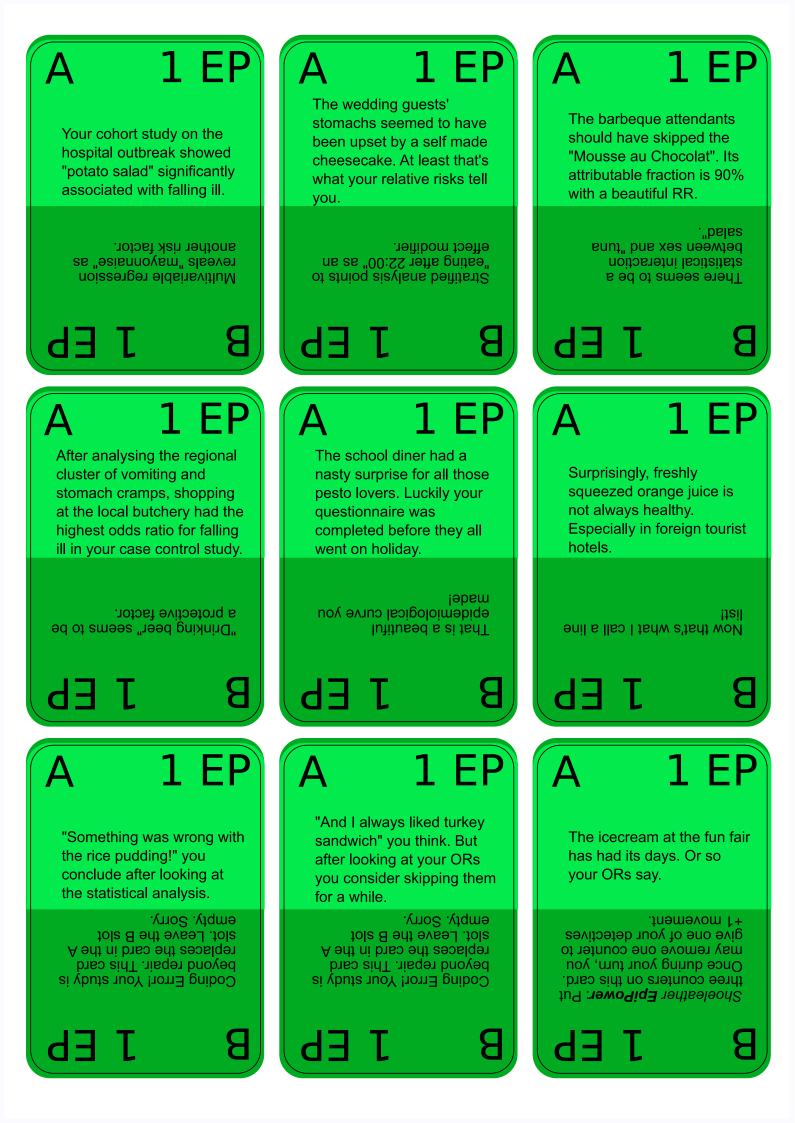
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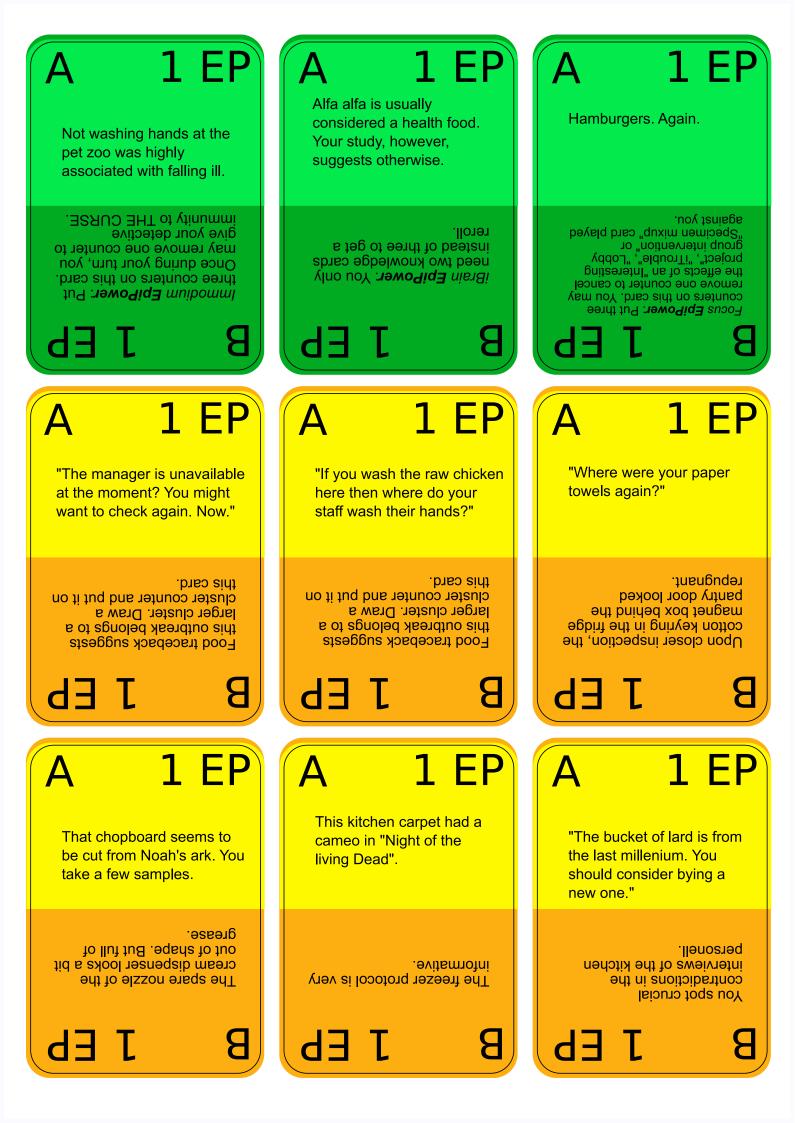
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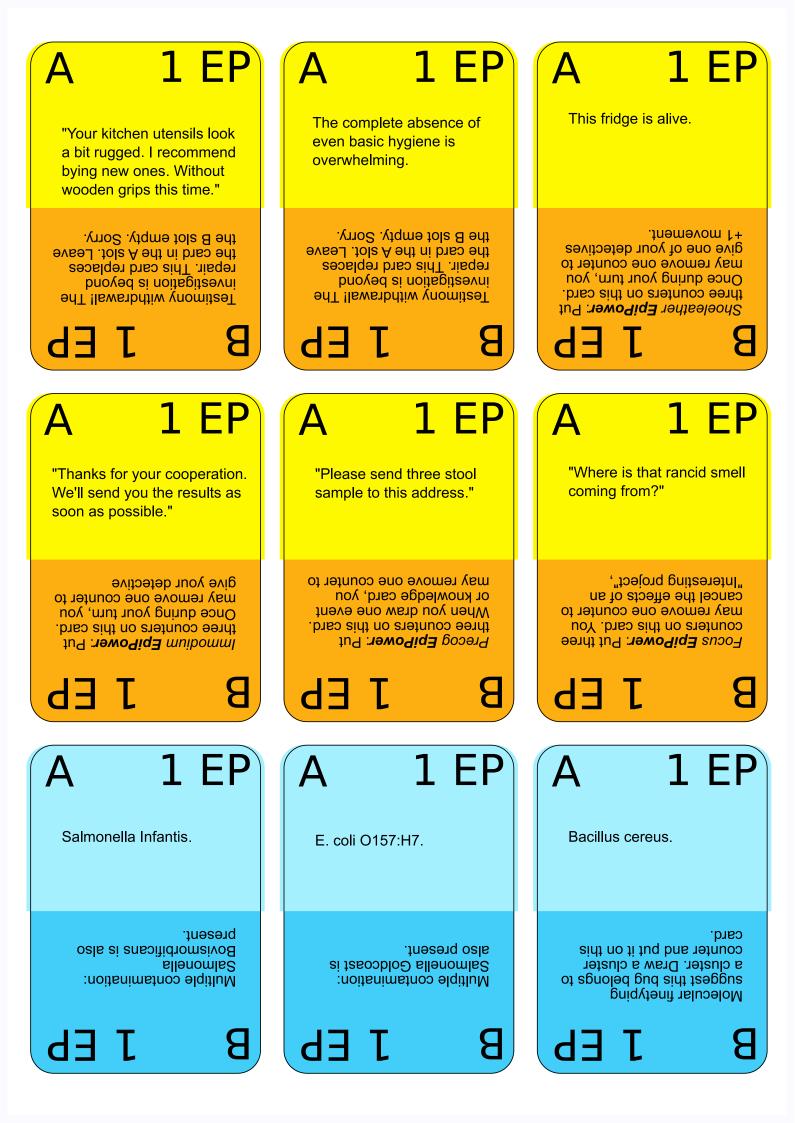
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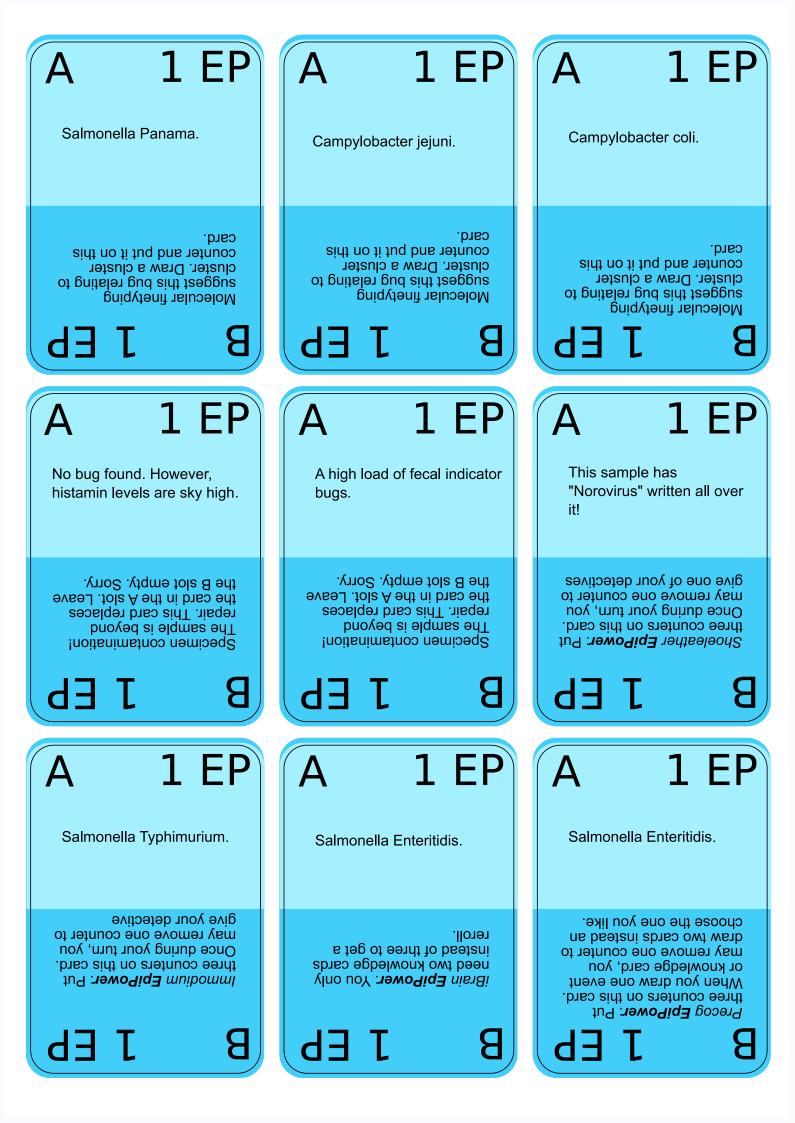
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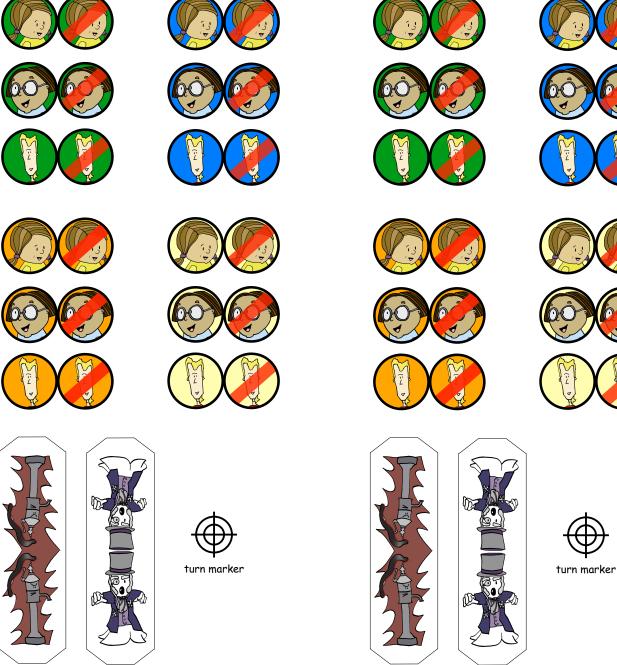
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Answer: "Infantis" is the serovar/serotype, not the species name. The proper name of Salmonella Infantis would be "Salmonella enterica subspecies:enterica serovar:Infantis"

Question: What is the proper taxonomic name for Salmonella Enteritidis, starting with genus?

Answer: Salmonella enterica subspecies:enterica serovar:Enteritidis

Question: How do you calculate relative risks (show 2x2 table,

hide answer)?		Out	come	
•		ill	not ill	
sure	exposed	۵	σ	a+b
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**Answer**: The relative risk is the risk of disease for the exposed divided by the risk of disease for the unexposed.



Question: How do you calculate attributable risk % (show 2x2 table, hide answer)?

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Question: Which of the following measures is best suited for measuring the strength of association between exposure and outcome:

- a) Relative Risk
- b) Risk Difference
- c) Attributable Risk
- d) Population Attributable Risk

#### Answer: Relative Risk

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Answer: Risk of exposed - risk of unexposed

a		С
a+b	-	c+d

Question: How do you calculate vaccine preventable fraction (show 2x2 table, hide answer)?

	ill	not ill	
vaccinated	۵	b	a+b
not vaccin.	с	d	c+d
	a+c	b+d	Е

Answer: Risk of unvacc. - risk of vacc. per risk of unvaccinated = 1 - Relative Risk C ۵ c+d a+b С c+d

Question: How do you calculate
population attributable risk %
(show 2x2 table hide answer)?

exposed		Ь	C		
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- a) Relative Risk
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**Answer**: Population Attributable Risk

**Question**: How do you calculate the positive predictive value (show 2x2 table, hide answer)?

			<b>Value</b> not ill	L
est sult	positive	۵	b	a+b
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Answer: PPV= The % among those classified as sick (tested positive) who really are sick. P(D|T+) = probability of disease given a positive test.

a+b

**Question**: How do you calculate the specificity of a test (show 2x2 table, hide answer)?

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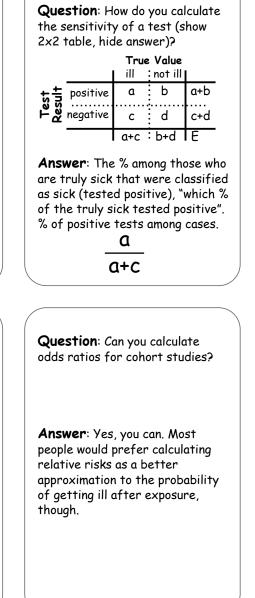
Answer: The % among those who are truly healthy that were classified as healthy (tested negative), "which % of the truly healthy tested negative". % of negative tests among noncases. db+d Question: How do you calculate the negative predictive value (show 2x2 table, hide answer)? True Value ill inot ill positive a b a+b

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		a+c	b+d	E

Answer: NPV= The % among those classified as healthy (tested negative) who really are healthy. P(H|T-) = probability of being healthy given a negative test  $\frac{d}{c+d}$ 

**Question**: Why can't you calculate relative risks from a traditional case control study?

**Answer**: The total number of exposed and the total number of unexposed needed for the relative risks varies with the number of selected controls, which is arbitrary. This effect cancels itself out for odds ratios.



#### Question: What is confounding?

**Answer**: "A confounder is connected to exposure and disease, but not on a causal pathway. It can mask the true effect of a variable or fake an effect." "Confounding can occur when a variable related to the condition under study is associated with, but not a consequence of, the exposure under investigation." "I have a leather allergy. Whenever I go to bed with my leather shoes on, I wake up with a headache." The researcher postulates an effect of wearing leather shoes (exposure) on morning headache (outcome). The true reason is his binge the night before: he was too drunk to get of his shoes. Here, alcohol (confounder) fakes an effect "leather shoes > headache" , without being a consequence of the exposure (wearing leather shoes).

# **Question**: What is effect modification?

**Answer**: "Effect modification leads to different degrees of association between exposure and outcome in different subgroups of the population."

"A third variable is an effect modifier if its strata show different degrees of association between the exposure variable and outcome."

"Effect modification occurs when the magnitude of the association between one variable and another differs according to the level of a third variable." Question: Name your vaccinations.

Answer: Under 6: shame on you! discard card. 6 and more: keep card.

**Question**: When was global smallpox eradication officially certified by WHO?

Answer: December 1979

**Question**: What does PFGE stand for?

**Answer**: Pulse Field Gel Electrophoresis. Genomic bacterial DNA gets chopped up into characteristic pieces. The pieces are separated using a cleverly set up gelelectrophoresis chamber with alternating current flows. Allows genetic finetyping. **Question**: What does MALDI-TOF stand for?

**Answer**: Matrix Assisted Laser Desorption Ionisation Time Of Flight, short for blast-my-probewith-a-laser-and-see-how-fastits-fragments travel. A protein gets split up in a characteristic way, resulting in a fingerprint.

# **Question**: What does MLVA stand for?

**Answer**: "Milva": Multiple Loci VNTR Analysis, VNTR: Variable Number of Tandem Repeats. Measure the number of DNArepeats at different sites in a bacterial genome to obtain a genetic fingerprint of it. **Question**: What does CDC stand for?

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**Answer**: European Centre for Disease Prevention and Control.

Shame on you if you got this wrong and are employed by ECDC!

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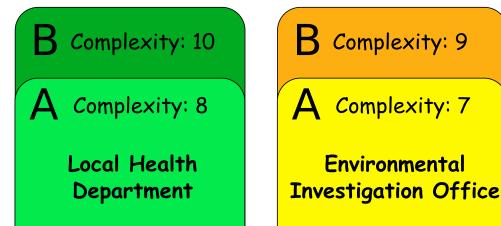


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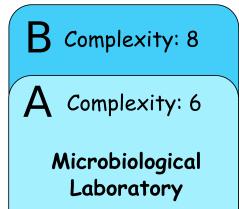
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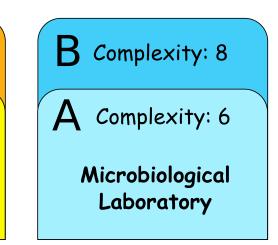
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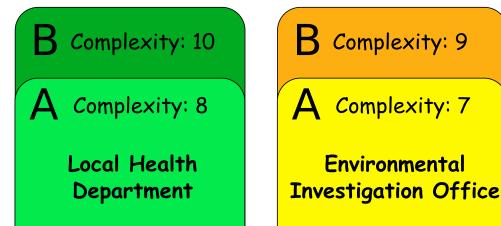


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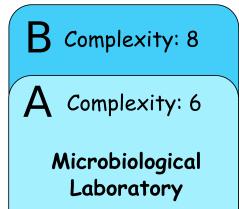
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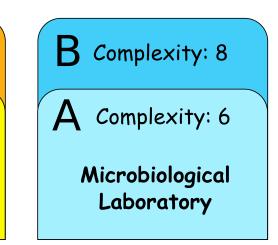
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## Research Roll: active

detectives in a research unit roll two die. Apply rerolls or card bonuses. Add one for each of your research tokens in that research unit. After modification, your result has to be at least as high as the complexity level for a successful research.

If successful, draw a research card. The A-slot has to be filled before drawing for the B-slot. After research roll, remove all of

your tokens, whether you were successful or not and move your researching detective to his HQ.