



**GCSE**

**HISTORY**

**Paper 2 Section A/A:**

**Britain: Health and the people: c1000 to the present day**

**8145/2A/A**

**Sources Booklet**

**SOURCE A for use in answering  
Question 01**

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## **SOURCE A**

**A cartoon drawn in 1809. It shows a patient who represents Britain being offered several treatments for an illness.**

**The cartoon was published in 'The Satirist' a magazine whose main aim was to make fun of and expose fakes.**

**The cartoon shows a patient looking terrified, surrounded by a crowd of well-dressed men. They are fighting to give him a treatment for an illness. There are several treatments labelled on various objects in the hands of the crowd members. These include; Guillotine, Milk, Quinine, Cushion, Leeches, Opium, Emetic, Beef soup and Itch ointment.**



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