

► **Underline twice the verb that each prepositional phrase in parentheses modifies.**

1. Sir Alexander Fleming discovered penicillin (by accident).
2. He was experimenting (with a different substance).
3. A mold had infected a culture dish (by mistake).
4. He worked (at top speed).
5. Fleming's mold stopped bacteria (in its tracks).
6. Fleming's discovery was (during World War II).
7. Doctors used penicillin (on wounded soldiers).
8. (Around the world) doctors called penicillin the first "wonder drug."
9. (Across the globe) penicillin saved the lives of many soldiers.
10. (In these days) penicillin prevents many serious medical complications.
11. (In some people) penicillin causes allergic reactions.
12. Medicine is prescribed (with great care).
13. Report any allergic reactions (to your physician) immediately.



► **Add a prepositional phrase that modifies each underlined verb. Write your prepositional phrase in the blank.**

14. The brave soldiers fought _____.
15. Airplanes flew by our unit _____.
16. _____ the people thanked us.