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Patient: Dana Welch **Age:** 23 **Blood Pressure:** 118/72 **Temp:** 99.5

Dana is a full-time student at Beehive University. She arrived at the hospital with her boyfriend, Jim Nielsen (who is ill), and her roommate, Angie Johnson.

Dana arrived at the Emergency Room at 12:30 p.m. on November 19th. Her symptoms include: fever around 101, nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, cramps, and abdominal pain.

She had a wonderful pizza dinner at The Pizza Pie with her boyfriend, Jim, and her roommate, Angie, on November 18th. They ordered a veggie pizza with pineapple, spinach, tomatoes, olives, and green peppers. She knew she was sick when she went to bed but the next morning she thought she was dying. She hasn't made it to classes since. Angie has been fine, but Dana and Jim have both spent the last two days sleeping and puking. When asked, she said that the only other place she ate out last week was at The **Bee-stro** for lunch the same day. She had a green salad with grilled chicken, spinach, tomato and cucumber.

Patient: Jim Nielsen **Age:** 24 **Blood Pressure:** 112/69 **Temp:** 101.2

Jim works for Scott Heating and Air Conditioning and attends school part-time at Beehive University. He arrived in the Emergency Room with his girlfriend, Dana Welch (who is ill), and friend, Angie Johnson.

Jim arrived at the Emergency Room at 12:30 p.m. on November 19th. His symptoms include: fever, nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, and stomach cramps. It started about 36 hours ago.

Jim had also eaten at The Bee-stro for lunch on November 17th. He had eaten a grilled chicken wrap on a spinach tortilla with cheese, onion, lettuce, cucumber, and tomato. November 18th he had stopped at Taco Bell for a quick beef taco. It had beef, cheese, onion, lettuce, and tomato.

"I lived in Argentina for two years so I thought my stomach could handle anything. I have eaten grilled intestines on the barbecue. Dana, Angie and I ate the same pizza for dinner at The **Pizza Pie** the other day (November 18), but for some reason, Angie didn't get sick. Dana started throwing up the next morning, but Old iron gut kept it down until it had time to really fester. Two days of vomiting and diarrhea. 104 fever for a significant bit of it. I'm definitely the most sick of the two of us."

Patient: Angie Johnson **Age:** 20 **Blood Pressure:** 116/79 **Temp:** 98.4

Angie is Dana Welch's roommate.

Angie brought Dana and Jim to the Emergency Room at 12:30 p.m. on November 19th. She has no symptoms.

Angie is not ill, although she ate both lunch and dinner with Dana on November 18th. She shared the pizza with Dana and Jim, but she doesn't like pineapple, so she picked it off. At The Bee-stro, she had a grilled chicken sandwich with cheese, tomato, and lettuce and a pickle on the side.

Patient: Bonnie Hall **Age:** 23 **Blood Pressure:** 100/69 **Temp:** 100.3

Bonnie works part time at a Credit Union and goes to school part-time.

Bonnie arrived at the Emergency Room at 1:15 p.m. on November 19th. Symptoms include fever, nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, cramps, dehydration, and abdominal pain.

Bonnie and her husband, George, met at The Bee-stro for dinner on November 18th. Bonnie had a veggie wrap with lettuce, spinach, peppers, olives, cucumbers, and tomato. Bonnie got so deathly ill her husband brought her in to the Emergency Room. She was given fluids intravenously for dehydration, and slept most of the afternoon.

Patient: George Hall **Age:** 25 **Blood Pressure:** 125/85 **Temp:** 97.8

George works part time as a delivery driver for medical supplies and is a part time student studying music education.

George brought Bonnie to the Emergency Room at 1:15 p.m. on November 19th. He has no symptoms.

George met Bonnie for lunch at The Bee-stro on November 18th. He ordered a hamburger with lettuce, cheese, tomato, and pickle.

Patient: Lavonne Worton **Age:** 38 **Blood Pressure:** 135/99 **Temp:** 100.4

Lavonne works at a title company. She is only taking one accounting class at the University.

Lavonne arrived at her doctor’s office about 10:00 a.m. on November 19. Symptoms include a slight fever, headache, nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, and cramps.

In the last several days, she has eaten at Taco Bell, Jimmy Johns, and The Bee-stro. On November 16 she had lunch with a friend at Jimmy Johns. She ordered a Turkey sandwich with lettuce, tomato, and avocado. On November 17th she stopped in for a quick lunch at Taco Bell and ordered a Beef Burrito with beans and cheese. It also came with lettuce and tomato. Just before her evening accounting class on November 18th, she stopped at The Bee-stro for a quick dinner. She had a Chicken Caesar Salad. It had grilled chicken, lettuce, cucumber, cheese, and Cesar dressing. She ate the salad at my 4:30 between work and class. By midnight that night she was severely throwing up, the diarrhea started around 3:00 a.m. The next morning she had a slight fever.

Patient: Joyce King **Age:** 53 **Blood Pressure:** 149/102 **Temp:** 100.9

Joyce is an English professor at Beehive University.

Joyce arrived at her doctor’s office at 11:00 a.m. on November 19th. Her symptoms include fever, headache, weakness, nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, and cramps.

Joyce often eats out for lunch and/or dinner at locations close to the university. On November 16th, she had a pita from The Bee-stro with grilled chicken, sprouts, cucumber, avocado, tomato, and lettuce. On November 17th, she had lunch at Taco Bell. She ordered a Taco salad with ground beef, lettuce, tomato, cheese, beans, sour cream, guacamole, and pico de gallo. On November 18th she met a group of students for an afternoon study session at The Pizza Pie on November 18th. She had a personal pizza with pepperoni, pineapple, Canadian bacon, mushrooms, olives, and green peppers.

Patient: Mandi Cook **Age:** 19 **Blood Pressure:** 120/80 **Temp:** 99.9

Mandi is a full time student at Beehive University.

Mandi went to her doctor at 4:30 p.m. on November 18th. Her symptoms include fever, nausea, vomiting, mild diarrhea, cramps, and abdominal pain.

Mandi often eats lunch at Taco Bell. Most recently she had lunch there on November 17th. She had a Quesarito. It has beef, rice, and cheese. She also had Cheesy Fiesta Potatoes. She also said that she had dinner at The Bee-stro that night. She had a Chicken Cobb Salad with tomato, mushrooms, bacon, cucumber, gorgonzola crumbles, chicken, and hard boiled eggs. She is also one of the students in Prof. King’s class who met for the study session at The Pizza Pie. She had a pepperoni cheese bread with olives and pineapple. She said, “I don’t know what it was but I was SO sick. Vomiting, diarrhea, and stomach pain.”

Patient: Steven Castaneda **Age:** 27 **Blood Pressure:** 118/82 **Temp:** 101.5

Steven works for United Parcel Service (UPS). His route includes Beehive University as well as the surrounding area.

Steven went to the doctor after leaving work early on November 19th. He arrived at 2:00 p.m. His symptoms include fever, headache, nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, and cramps.

Being a delivery driver, Steven often eats on the run. He ate at Jimmy Johns on November 16th. He had a roast beef sandwich with lettuce, tomato, bean sprouts, olives, and cucumber. On November 18th, he was delivering on campus and so stopped at The Bee-stro. He had a Pita with grilled chicken, tomato, sprouts, cucumber, cheese, and olives. He wouldn’t have gone to the doctor, but his work needs a doctor’s note to excuse him for missing work so close to the holidays.

Patient: Jason Anderson **Age:** 21 **Blood Pressure:** 85/55 **Temp:** 103.4

Jason is a full time student. He has a heart condition that reduces his resistance to infections.

Jason arrived in the Emergency Room at 1:30 a.m. on November 19th. His symptoms include high fever, nausea, vomiting, diarrhea with stomach cramps, and dehydration.

Jason is in Prof. King’s English class. He went to the study session at The Pizza Pie on November 18th. He had a personal pan pizza with ham, pineapple, and olives. That night he had dinner at The Bee-stro. He had a chef salad with lettuce, ham, grilled chicken, cheese, cucumber, tomato, and croutons. Jason’s roommate brought him in because he found Jason in bed running a high fever and not responding well to questions. Jason was given intravenous fluids and antibiotic.

Patient: Lindsay Rigby **Age:** 20 **Blood Pressure:** 119/75 **Temp:** 101.1

Lindsay works part time at Walmart and goes to school part time.

Lindsay went to the doctor around 2:00 p.m. on November 19th because she had been sick for over 24 hours. Her symptoms include fever, nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, cramps, and abdominal pain.

Lindsay usually brings her meals from home to save money, but on November 17th, she slept late and didn’t have time to make a lunch before her first class. She ended up getting her lunch at The Bee-sto. She just got a side salad with lettuce, tomato, and cucumber.

Patient: Alexis Fawcett **Age:** 32 **Blood Pressure:** 130/90 **Temp:** 99.2

Alexis is a Health teacher at a nearby Middle School.

Alexis went to her doctor on November 19th at 3:00 p.m. Her symptoms include low fever, nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, cramps, and abdominal pain.

Alexis was attending a lecture on campus after work on November 17th. She had a light dinner in between work at the lecture at The Bee-stro. She had a wrap with grilled chicken, cheese, lettuce, tomato, cucumber, and sprouts. She’s been sick since the afternoon of November 18th. She’s pretty sure it’s food poisoning, but doesn’t want to expose her students until she’s sure it’s not contagious. She’s looking for a quick diagnosis so that she can return to work tomorrow.

Patient: Aaron Wilson **Age:** 25 **Blood Pressure:** 115/81 **Temp:** 100.6

Aaron is a student at Beehive University. He brings his 3-year-old daughter, Abby, with him and leaves her in the on-campus child care program.

Aaron went to the campus clinic at 11:15 a.m. on November 18th. His symptoms include low fever, nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, stomach cramps, and abdominal pain.

Aaron picked up Abby from the child care on November 17th and took her over to The Bee-stro for a “treat”. He bought her a giant cookie and got himself a turkey sandwich with lettuce, tomato, cucumber, and avocado. Abby did not get sick.

Patient: Abby Wilson **Age:** 3 **Blood Pressure:** 93/50 **Temp:** 98.4

Abby Wilson is a 3-year-old who attends the child care program at Beehive University while her father attends school.

Abby was not seen by a doctor. Her father reported that she had no symptoms.

Abby’s father took her to The Bee-stro on November 17th for a “treat”. She only had a giant sugar cookie.

Patient: Chris Perez **Age:** 30 **Blood Pressure:** 145/95 **Temp:** 102.0

Chris is a network administrator at Wells Fargo.

Chris went to his doctor on November 18th at 4:30 p.m. His symptoms include fever, nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, cramps, and abdominal pain.

Chris met his wife, Tina, for lunch at The Bee-stro on November 17th. He had a chicken taco salad with grilled chicken, lettuce, tomato, spinach, and cucumber. They also had dinner at The Pizza Pie on the 18th. They ordered a chicken pesto pizza with chicken, spinach, olives, and green peppers.

Patient: Tina Perez **Age:** 26 **Blood Pressure:** 115/69 **Temp:** 98.8

Tina is attending Beehive University after working for several years to put her husband through school.

Tina went to her doctor on November 18th at 4:30 p.m. Her symptoms include low fever, nausea, vomiting, slight diarrhea, and cramps.

Tina’s husband, Chris met her for lunch at The Bee-stro on November 17th. She had a taco salad with ground beef, lettuce, tomato and spinach. She also tasted her husband’s salad. They also had dinner at The Pizza Pie on the 18th. They ordered a chicken pesto pizza with chicken, spinach, olives, and green peppers.

Patient: Jazmine Jensen **Age:** 30 **Blood Pressure:** 112/71 **Temp:** 100.3

Jazmine is a divorcee with a 5 year old daughter, Kaili. Jazmine is working on earning a bachelor’s degree in Early Childhood Education so that she can support herself and her daughter. Jazmine’s mother, Lynette, babysits Kaili while Jazmine is at school.

Jazmine arrived at the doctor’s office at 8:30 a.m. on November 20th. Her symptoms include fever, nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, and cramps.

Jazmine’s mother brought Kaili up to the college for lunch at the Bee-stro on November 18th because it was Kaili’s birthday and the three of them wanted to celebrate together. Lunch was the only break Jazmine had during the day to celebrate. They all ate the same thing: chef salad with lettuce, spinach, grilled chicken, ham, tomato, cucumber, and then a piece of chocolate cake for dessert. She also ate at Jimmy Johns for on November 18th. She had a turkey and avocado sandwich with lettuce and tomato.

Patient: Kaili Jensen **Age:** 5 **Blood Pressure:** 95/52 **Temp:** 103.8

Kaili is the daughter on Jazmine Jensen.

Kaili’s mother brought her to the doctor’s office at 8:30 a.m. on November 20th. Her symptoms include high fever, nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, cramps, and signs of dehydration.

Kaili was on campus having lunch with her grandma, Lynette Hardy, and her mom for her birthday on November 18th. They all ate the same thing: chef salad with lettuce, spinach, grilled chicken, ham, tomato, cucumber, and then a piece of chocolate cake for dessert.

Patient: Lynette Hardy **Age:** 58 **Blood Pressure:** 135/85 **Temp:** 100.8

Lynette Hardy does not work. She does babysit her granddaughter, Kaili Jensen, while Kaili’s mother and Lynette’s daughter, Jazmine Jensen goes to school.

Lynette arrived at the doctor’s office at 8:30 a.m. on November 20th. Her symptoms include fever, nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, and cramps.

Lynette took Kaili up to The Bee-stro to meet her mom for lunch on November 18th. It was Kaili’s Birthday and lunch was the only break Jazmine would have during the day to celebrate Kaili’s birthday. They all ate the same thing: chef salad with lettuce, spinach, grilled chicken, ham, tomato, cucumber, and then a piece of chocolate cake for dessert.

Patient: Wendie Harrop **Age:** 37 **Blood Pressure:** 118/82 **Temp:** 99.9

Wendie recently returned to college to get her teaching degree.

Wendie arrived at the campus clinic at 10:30 on November 19th. Her symptoms include fever, nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, and stomach cramps.

Wendie ate at Taco Bell on November 17th She had 2 beef soft tacos with lettuce, tomato, and cheese. On November 18th she ate at The Bee-stro. She had a ham and cheese pita with lettuce, tomato, and cucumber.

Patient: Steffani Morgan **Age:** 28 **Blood Pressure:** 115/75 **Temp:** 99.8

Steffani is in graduate school at Beehive University.

Steffani went to her doctor at 3:30 p.m. on November 18th. Her symptoms include low fever, nausea, vomiting, diarrhea and cramps.

Steffani eats out near campus most days. Her school schedule is very tight and it is difficult to find time to go home during the day. She ate at Taco Bell on November 16th for lunch. She had a chicken quesadilla and cheesy fiesta fries. She ate dinner at The Bee-stro between classes that evening. She had a loaded chicken wrap with grilled chicken, lettuce, spinach, onion, avocado, tomato, cheese, cucumber, and peppers. On November 17th she ate at Jimmy Johns. She had a roast beef and cheese with lettuce and tomato.

Patient: Lisa Linford **Age:** 23 **Blood Pressure:** 110/70 **Temp:** 103.2

Lisa is a full time student at Beehive University. She has an auto-immune disease that makes her susceptible to infections.

Lisa’s mother brought her in to the Emergency Room on November 19th at 9:40 a.m. Her symptoms include high fever, headache, weakness, nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, cramps, abdominal pain, and dehydration.

Lisa was brought in by her mother who was concerned because she was very ill. When her mom got to the apartment, Lisa was fairly incoherent and didn’t seem to know what was going on. She was a little better when she arrived at the Emergency Room. Lisa was given IV fluids and fever reducers. When she was more coherent and able to remember, she told the doctor that she had eaten out 3 times that week. On November 16th she had eaten at Jimmy John’s. She had a club sandwich with beef, turkey, cheese, lettuce, tomato, and avocado. On November 17th she had eaten at The Bee-stro. She had a chicken pita with grilled chicken, lettuce, spinach, tomato, spouts, and cucumber. She is also in Prof. King’s English class and had gone to the study lunch at The Pizza Pie on November 18th. She shared a pizza with a friend. They had a small pepperoni with mushrooms and olives.

Patient: Michelle Stevens **Age:** 18 **Blood Pressure:** 98/70 **Temp:** 99.7

Michelle is a freshman at Beehive University.

Michelle’s mother took her to the doctor at 9:15 a.m. on November 19th. Her symptoms include fever, nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, and cramps.

This is Michelle’s first semester at college. Her parents encouraged her to live in the dorms and participate in the school’s “food plan”. Therefore, she eats at least one meal a day at The Bee-stro. She had her dinner there on November 17th. She had a taco salad with beef, lettuce, onion, cheese, tomato, cucumber, and sour cream. She’s on a very tight budget, so her other meals are usually prepared at home. However, she is in Prof. King’s English class and attended the study session on November 18th. She didn’t have much money, so she only ordered some pepperoni cheese bread.

Patient: Crystal Pearson **Age:** 23 **Blood Pressure:** 110/72 **Temp:** 100.2

Crystal works part time at Beehive Central Credit Union and goes to school part time.

Crystal arrived at the campus clinic at 1:00 p.m. on November 18th. Her symptoms include fever, nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, cramps, and abdominal pain.

Beehive Central Credit Union is barely off campus and right next door to Taco Bell. Crystal normally just gets something at Taco Bell between classes. On November 16th she had a taco salad from Taco Bell with beef, lettuce, tomato, beans, and cheese. On November 17th, however, she was tired of the Taco Bell food and decided to go over to The Bee-stro before class. She had a grilled chicken pita with grilled chicken, cheese, lettuce, cucumber, and tomato. She says she’ll never do that again!

Patient: Rob Slaughter **Age:** 19 **Blood Pressure:** 115/70 **Temp:** 100.7

Rob is attending Beehive University on an athletic scholarship (soccer). He also works part time at the campus fitness center.

Rob went to the Campus Clinic at 11:00 a.m. on November 19th. His symptoms include fever, nausea, diarrhea, and cramps. He reports that he’s only “thrown up” once (vomiting).

Part of Rob’s scholarship includes the campus “food plan” where he can eat up to ten meals per week at The Early Bird Café or The Bee-stro. He ate dinner on November 17th at The Bee-stro with his friend, Alli. He had a Chicken Caesar Salad with grilled chicken, lettuce, spinach, cheese, and cucumber. He is also in Prof. King’s English class. He generally tries to eat healthy, but allowed himself a fatty meal as a real treat. He ordered a personal pizza with pepperoni, olives, mushrooms, and green peppers.

Patient: Alli Richardson **Age:** 20 **Blood Pressure:** 113/68 **Temp:** 101.0

Alli is trying to get into the nursing program at Beehive University. She is currently working on her general education courses.

Alli went to her doctor at 4:30 p.m. on November 19th. Her symptoms included fever, headache, nausea, vomiting, mild diarrhea, and stomach cramps.

Alli ate dinner with her friend, Rob, on November 17th. She had a Chicken Caesar Salad with grilled chicken, lettuce, cheese, and cucumber. She is also in Prof. King’s English class (which is where she met Rob) and went to The Pizza Pie on November 19th for the study session. She had a personal pizza with chicken, spinach, and green peppers.

Patient: April Wergin **Age:** 25 **Blood Pressure:** 95/65 **Temp:** 100.5

April works full time at Beehive Central Credit Union.

April went to her doctor at 3:00 p.m. on November 18th. Her symptoms include fever, nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, and cramps

April’s boyfriend, Bryan, is working on his Masters of Business Administration (MBA) at Beehive University. She met him for lunch at The Bee-stro on November 17th. She had a wrap with ham, cheese, spinach, tomato, and cucumber. Working right next to Taco Bell, she had lunch on November 18th there with a few co-workers. She had a Chicken Quesadilla and Cheesy Fiesta Fries.

Patient: Debbie Whiting **Age:** 21 **Blood Pressure:** 103/77 **Temp:** 100.6

Debbie works with April Wergin and they have become good friends.

Debbie went to her doctor at 8:00 a.m. on November 19th. Her symptoms include fever, nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, cramps, and abdominal pain.

Debbie went to lunch at Taco Bell with April on November 18th. She had a taco salad with beef, beans, cheese, lettuce, tomato, sour cream, and guacamole. She originally didn’t remember eating out any other time that week, but then remembered that April brought her a salad from The Bee-stro on November 17th. It was a chef salad with chicken, ham, cheese, lettuce tomato, and cucumber.

Patient: Bryan Crumbliss **Age:** 25 **Blood Pressure:** 105/67 **Temp:** 101.2

Bryan is working on his Masters of Business Administration (MBA) at Beehive University.

Bryan arrived at the Emergency Room at about 12:30 a.m. on November 18th. His symptoms include fever, nausea, vomiting, severe diarrhea, cramps, and abdominal pain

Bryan had lunch at The Bee-stro with his girlfriend, April, on November 17th. He had a chef salad with ham, chicken, cheese, lettuce, tomato, cucumber, olives, and mushrooms. His symptoms came on suddenly around 11:30 p.m. and by midnight he was miserable. He can’t afford to miss too much school at this point in his degree program, so he went to the emergency room right away.

Patient: Logan Cook **Age:** 24 **Blood Pressure:** 108/69 **Temp:** 99.9

Logan is in his sophomore year at Beehive University. He also works in the meat department at Smith’s in the evenings and on weekends.

Logan arrived at his doctor’s office at 8:00 a.m. on November 20th. He had been sick since mid-morning on November 18th. His symptoms include low fever, nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, and cramps.

Logan had dinner at The Bee-stro on November 17th. He had a pita with ham, chicken, lettuce, sprouts, cheese, tomato, and cucumber. He started to feel sick on November 18th a little before noon. He is in Prof. King’s English class and wanted to go to the study session, but didn’t feel like eating anything so he just had a Coke. He ended up leaving early and going home.