Unit 1: Lesson 1 – Organs and Tissues of the Immune System

Use the following figure and work in small groups to answer the questions.

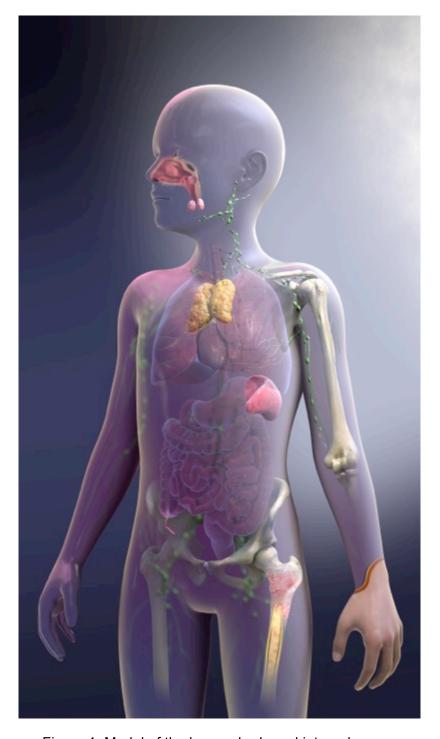


Figure 1. Model of the human body and internal organs.



- 1. Label the parts of the body associated with the immune system and immunity on Figure 1.
- 2. In one or two sentences briefly describe the functions of organs and tissues of the immune system:

a. Nasal cavity	
b. Tonsils	
c. Adenoids	
d. Lymph nodes	
e. Thymus	
f. Spleen	
g. Peyer's patches	
h. Appendix	
i. Bone marrow	
j. Lymphatic vessels	
k. Skin	

- 3. Refer to the online glossary and compare your descriptions with those in the glossary. Make any necessary corrections to your descriptions above.
- 4. The lymph system is a network of vessels throughout the body that is part of the immune system. Identify two other systems that have networks throughout the body and write a short passage to explain how you think each might be related to the immune system.

