



Healthy, Happy Koala I.D.

Can you identify signs of a healthy koala?
Do you know how to tell if a koala is sick?
Try this activity to find out!

Decide whether these are symptoms of a sick or a healthy koala.

1. Has red or pink around its eyes
2. Is up high in a gum tree
3. Has a thick grey coat
4. Has a brown, wet bottom
5. Has a white bottom
6. Has a rounded belly
7. Has brown fur
8. Has puffy, swollen eyes
9. Moves and climbs without difficulty
10. Has grey fur
11. Has sagging skin
12. Is missing fur around its eyes
13. Has clear, alert eyes
14. Responds to noises, movement
15. Is sitting on the ground
16. Is skinny or boney
17. Does not allow humans to touch it
18. Allows humans to pick it up or pet it



ANSWERS

Signs of illness: 1, 4, 7, 8, 11, 12, 15, 16, 18
Signs of Good Health: 2, 3, 5, 6, 9, 10, 13, 14, 17