

preventative

 (*pre-ven-ta-tive*)

Definition

n. 1 remedy that prevents or slows the course of an illness or disease 2 any obstruction that impedes or is burdensome
adj. tending to prevent or hinder

Example Sentence

The doctor prescribed a **preventative** medicine.

Synonyms

hindrance; preventive; prophylactic

Antonyms

catalyst

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