



# OATH OF HIPPOCRATES

I swear by Apollo the Physician and Aesculapius and Health and all Heal, and all the gods and goddesses, that, according to my ability and judgement, I will keep this oath and this stipulation.

I reckon him who taught me this art equally dear to me as my parents, to share my substance with him and relieve his necessities if required, to look upon his offspring in the same footing as my own brothers, and to teach them this art, if they shall wish to learn it, without fee or stipulation and that by precept, lecture and every other mode of instruction, I will impart a knowledge of the art to my own sons, and those of my teachers and to disciples bound by a stipulation and oath according to the law of medicine, but to none others.