**Typhoid Mary Video Questions-**

1. What is typhoid? Tell what causes it, how it is spread and what its symptoms are.
2. How do they discover Mary’s role in the outbreak? Describe the detective work.
3. Mary Mallen mentioned several reasons as to why she should not be blamed for the spread of typhoid fever. What were her reasons?
4. According to people who lived during Mary Mallen’s time, disease came from…
5. Why were immigrants seen as a source of infection?
6. How were Irish immigrant women seen?
7. After Soper could not get any stool samples from Mary, the health department had to assign someone else to do so? Who was that other person and what work did she perform?
8. How was the health department able to get stool samples from Mary Mallen, and what did the lab results reveal?
9. Why did Mary never know she had typhoid fever?
10. What type of carrier was Mary?
11. Where would poor people, with disease be taken in order to prevent further spread of disease?
12. How did doctors try to cure Mary while she was on the island?
13. How many people, aside from Mary, were carriers?
14. How was Mary spreading disease?
15. When Mary decided to pursue her freedom, she had her boyfriend take some stool samples to a doctor she knew well. Why would Mary’s lab results not show any typhoid when compared to the results from the health department?
16. Under what conditions was Mary Mallen allowed her freedom?
17. What percent of people became carriers after getting sick with typhoid fever and later recovering from it?
18. Why do you think that she went back to cooking after they had told her not to?
19. How many people got sick with typhoid fever as a result of Mary?
20. How many years passed before antibiotics were used to treat the disease and cure “healthy carriers”