

Jack Quaid turns rare condition into superpower in 'Novocaine'

Description

Actor Jack Quaid, best known for his role in "The Boys," stars in the new action film "Novocaine," where he plays Nathan Cain, a man who can't feel pain due to a rare medical condition. The movie is a mix of action and horror, with intense violence and gore.

Quaid shared that the film also features a heartfelt romance between his character and Sherry. He emphasized the importance of believing in their relationship to fully enjoy the action-packed scenes. As the story unfolds, Nathan uses his unique condition as a superpower to rescue his kidnapped love interest, leading to a physically demanding role for Quaid.

Despite the film's setting appearing to be in San Diego, it was actually filmed in Cape Town, South Africa. Quaid advised watching "Novocaine" on the big screen to truly appreciate its visuals. He mentioned that the production was a demanding experience, requiring a lot of stunt training and physical preparation.

On a different note, Quaid confirmed that the fifth season of "The Boys" is currently in production. Fans of the Amazon Prime Video series can look forward to more superhero action from the talented actor.

"Novocaine" hits theaters this Friday and is distributed by Paramount Pictures.

Vocabulary List:

- 1. Condition /kən'dɪ[ən/ (noun): A state or situation that affects someone or something.
- 2. Romance /roʊˈmæns/ (noun): A narrative or relationship centered around love and emotional connection.
- 3. **Superpower** /'su:pər,paʊər/ (noun): An extraordinary ability or power that exceeds normal human capabilities.
- 4. Visuals /'vɪʒ.u.əlz/ (noun): Images or pictures especially in a film or presentation.
- 5. **Production** /prəˈdʌk.ʃən/ (noun): The process of creating or manufacturing a product especially in the film industry.
- 6. **Demanding** /dɪˈmændɪŋ/ (adjective): Requiring a lot of effort attention or skill.

Vocabulary quizzes

Multiple Choice (Select the Correct answer for each question.)

1. Which term refers to a condition where the immune system mistakenly attacks the body?

Option: Hospitalized Option: Autoimmune





Option: Colonoscopy Option: Resilience

2. Which term typically refers to the process of creating goods or services?

Option: Visuals Option: Profit

Option: Production Option: Anxiety

3. Which word is used to describe a state of being or the circumstances in which someone or something exists?

Option: Superpower Option: Expectations Option: Vigilante Option: Condition

4. Which term is used to describe a mental health condition characterized by obsessive thoughts and compulsive behaviors?

Option: Manifest

Option: Obsessive-compulsive disorder

Option: Anxiety
Option: Diverse

5. Which term relates to having knowledge or perception of a situation or fact?

Option: Romance Option: Awareness Option: Profit

Option: Achievements

6. Which word is often used to describe what is believed will happen in the future?

Option: Profit

Option: Expectations Option: Disappointing Option: Credence

7. Which term means to show something clearly or to display a quality or feeling?

Option: Thriller Option: Manifest Option: Merchandise Option: Sustainable

8. Which term is often related to love relationships or idealistic notions of affection?

Option: Intrusive



Option: Resilience Option: Romance Option: Prestigious

9. Which term describes a feeling of worry nervousness or unease about something with an uncertain outcome?

Option: Condition Option: Anxiety Option: Strategy

Option: Disappointing

10. Which term is often used to describe something that requires a lot of effort attention or resources?

Option: Demands
Option: Thriller
Option: Superpower
Option: Credence

Gap-Fill (Fill in the blanks with the correct word from the vocabulary list.)

11	is the ability to recover from setbacks adapt well to change and keep going in
the face of adversity.	
12. A	is a novel play or movie with an exciting plot that typically involves
suspense and danger.	
13	is the financial gain that is obtained from operating a business or engaging in
a transaction.	
14	are the successes or accomplishments that someone achieves through skill
and effort.	
15	refers to goods available for purchase or sale especially those related to a
specific event or brand.	
16. A	is a plan of action designed to achieve a long-term goal or overall aim.
17	practices are those that meet the needs of the present without compromising



the ability of future gene	erations to meet their own needs.	
18. A	group includes a wide range of different things or people.	
19. A	award honor or position is one that is respected and admired because it is	
seen as being associate	d with excellence or success.	
20	refers to the ability of an organism or fluid to move or contract.	
Matching Sentences	(Match each definition to the correct word from the vocabulary list.)	
21. A procedure that a	allows a doctor to view the inside of the large intestine (colon).	
22. A person who take	es the law into their own hands especially without legal authority.	
23. Failing to fulfill sor	neone's hopes expectations or needs.	
24. An extraordinary or supernatural ability typically possessed by a fictional character.		
25. Graphic or pictorial representations that aid in understanding or decoration.		
26. Belief in or accept	ance of something as true especially without proof.	
27. To display or show a quality or feeling.		
28. The capacity to recover quickly from difficulties; toughness.		
29. Goods available for sale especially those associated with a specific event or brand.		
30. A plan of action designed to achieve a major or overall aim.		

Answer

Multiple Choice: 1. Autoimmune 2. Production 3. Condition 4. Obsessive-compulsive disorder 5. Awareness 6. Expectations 7. Manifest 8. Romance 9. Anxiety 10. Demands

Gap-Fill: 11. Resilience 12. Thriller 13. Profit 14. Achievements 15. Merchandise 16. Strategy 17. Sustainable 18. Diverse 19. Prestigious 20. Motility

Matching sentence: 1. Colonoscopy 2. Vigilante 3. Disappointing 4. Superpower 5. Visuals 6. Credence 7. Manifest 8. Resilience 9. Merchandise 10. Strategy



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