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Searching for Answers

Directions: Below is a pretend search-results page from the Internet. Use these search results to help you answer the questions that follow.

Search: <input type="text" value="hiccups"/>	Results 1–5 of about 3,820,000 for hiccups
<p>Search results:</p> <p>Hiccups – Free online encyclopedia Hiccups usually go away without a visit to the doctor, and they aren't serious. Home remedies include ... www.wikencyclopedia.com/Hiccups</p> <p>The Truth About Hiccups Hiccups are not just a harmless human quirk. Learn about ... www.hiccupstruth.com</p> <p>National Institute for Throat Research Patient information sheet on hiccups www.throatresearch.gov/hiccups</p> <p>American Association of Hiccups Sufferers The AAHS is dedicated to helping people with hiccups ... www.hiccupassociation.org</p> <p>Mary's Hiccup Blog ... I had hicups last night for 2 hrs. but they went away while i was watching TV. Here's a video of my hiccups: www.yourblog.com/marys_hiccup_site</p>	<p>Sponsored Links:</p> <p>Hiccups Cure: Drinking strawberry juice daily fights hiccups. Buy high-quality strawberry juice with no shipping charges. www.fighthiccupswithstrawberries.com</p> <p>River Spring Clinic: Luxury spa for hiccups sufferers. www.riverspringclinic.co.uk</p> <p>HicArrest™ – All Natural Hiccup Cure Unbelievable results with bio-engineered herbal relief. Made by a doctor! HicArrest™ will ... www.hiccupsrelief.com</p>

1. If you were looking to get rid of hiccups, which of these sites would you visit first? Why?

2. Which site would you visit if you were writing a paper about hiccups? Why?

3. List the sites that appear to be selling things. _____

4. Which site is run by the U.S. government? How do you know?

5. Which site most likely belongs to a nonprofit group? How do you know?