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#### **YOU'RE MY DOCTOR?!**

#### A Five Minute Comedy

(Excerpted from the full-length musical, WRINKLES)

by Greg Evans

#### **CAST**

HANK: Age 60 or older. He tends to be grumpy about getting old.

NURSE: A male or female with a bit of an attitude.

DOCTOR: A female, friendly and competent.

Setting: A doctor's exam room. HANK, wearing an exam gown, sits on a stool. The NURSE, in a nurse's smock, stands beside HANK, reading a chart. The DOCTOR stands or sits to the side, doing some sort of paperwork. She wears a white coat and has a stethoscope around her neck.

HANK: So you're a nurse, huh? You new here?

NURSE: This is my first day.

HANK: First day?!

NURSE: Is there a problem?

HANK: I suppose not. It's just...you professional people are all so *young* these days. When I was a kid, doctors and nurses were *old* people.

NURSE: You'd rather have a crusty geezer take care of you?

HANK: Why not? Takes one to know one.

NURSE: It looks like you missed your annual physical last year.

HANK: Yeah. I'm not a big fan of the rubber finger.

NURSE: That's not a good excuse.

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HANK: Tell me that after YOU'VE had 20 physicals.

NURSE: How are you doing nutrition-wise? Eating a heart-healthy diet?

HANK: Sure. My heart loves the flaxseed oatmeal and the kale smoothies. My tastebuds hate me, though. They want donuts.

NURSE: But we know we can't have donuts, right?

HANK: Why not? They're a HOLE food. (HANK chuckles at his joke. NURSE ignores it.)

NURSE: Do you exercise regularly?

HANK: I lift 160 pounds. [Use a number that reflects the actor's weight]

NURSE: Really! That's impressive! How often?

HANK: Every morning when I haul myself out of bed.

NURSE: Seriously, you need to stay flexible.

HANK: Ha! I'm about a decade too late for that.

NURSE: I do yoga. Keeps me nice and loose.

HANK: I eat prunes for that.

NURSE: Are you taking all your meds?

HANK: Yup. Every day I swallow about 50 dollars worth. How come I don't feel like a million?

NURSE: Ask the doctor.

## **END OF FREEVIEW**

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