

Nadeem Sadiq is flopped on the living room sofa with his son Bashir, enjoying the football on TV. Bashir is wearing his favourite Spiderman pyjamas, but he doesn't look happy.

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Episode 3 – Bashir's story



He rubs at his arms through the sleeves.
"Dad, my tummy hurts."
Bashir wheezes.

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Samira Sadiq pops her head round the door, phone in hand.
"Sue Ramsden says Doris Clark is telling everyone on the street you're a hero."
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"Are you a super hero dad?"

He jumps off the sofa.
"Can you fly? Spiderman can climb walls. Like this..."
Bashir tries and fails to climb the living room wall. He looks a little panicked and turns to his dad, wheezing.



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"Samira! Where's his inhaler?!"
Nadeem scoops Bashir up and carries him through to the kitchen.



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Samira grabs an inhaler from her bag.
Bashir clutches at the inhaler and sucks in.



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"What do you reckon? A&E or the what-do-you-call-it, the walkabout centre?"
"I don't know. Why do I have to decide everything?"
Samira looks at her little boy.
"Hospital."



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In the car, Samira sits next to Bashir on the back seat.
Bashir concentrates on his breathing. It improves.
"Dad. Does Spiderman ever get asthma?"