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- **Severe drought in Ethiopia** 埃塞俄比亚遭遇严重旱灾
- **Treatment hope for MS patients** 多发性硬化症治疗新进展

文字稿

Ethiopia is suffering its worst drought in 30 years, **triggered** by this year's record-breaking strong El Nino. For the first time since 1989, failed seasonal rains have led to severely dried out areas leaving more than 10 million people needing emergency aid.

埃塞俄比亚正遭遇三十年以来最严重的旱灾，引发灾害的是今年空前强烈的厄尔尼诺现象。这是1989年以来首次埃塞俄比亚部分地区因季雨不足而极度干旱，上千万人需要紧急救援。

Doctors say patients with multiple sclerosis are showing **remarkable** improvements after receiving a treatment usually used for cancer. Some patients have been able to walk again after having been paralysed.

医生说，多发性硬化患者在接受一种通常用于癌症的治疗方法后病情得到了显著的改善。一些已瘫痪的病人通过治疗能再次走路。

词汇

triggered

引发

remarkable

显著的

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练习

请从以下词汇中选择适当的答案来完成句子。注意：你可能需要改变单词的时态来完成句子。

triggered / remarkable

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答案

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