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**Using Brinton’s Fever Model for the Chinese Revolutions:**

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| **Stage:** | **Explanation** | **Examples from the Chinese Revolutions** |
| **Incubation:** | **this stage would involve the political, social, intellectual, or economic causes** | * Corrupt government * famine * Qing Dynasty * Treaty of Nanjing |
| **Symptoms:** | **This stage would be the first to involve direct action resulting from the social, political, intellectual, or economic causes of the incubation stage. This stage might involve the publication**  **of works calling for a change, street level riots by the common people, or more direct attempts at changing the society** | * Revolution of 1911 * Chinese revolution * The great lead forward * The Second Revolution * Revolutionary army * Tai Ping Rebellion * Mao Zedong becomes leader |
| **Crisis** | **It may involve conflict where sides for and against** **the revolution compete. This competition could take the form of debate or full-scale war. Successful revolutions survive this stage.**  **Those that do not are usually considered failed rebellions** | * Long march where Mao was forced to walk 4,000 miles across china. * Chinese civil in 1949 |
| **Convalescence** | **This stage would involve recovering from the extreme** **disruptions of the crisis stage. In general, the political, social, intellectual, or economic causes of the revolution must be addressed in some way, though not necessarily to the satisfaction of allrevolutionaries.** | * Making museums of the events * Wanted to eliminate communism but it never really succeeded * Women got equal rights * Chinese attempt to erase history |

What Problems did you encounter when trying to apply the fever model to the Chinese Revolutions?

The Problem with finding information on the fever model was that information was all over the place. You had to go back into certain documents and look up information from a long time ago to fill in the answers. Another problem was trying to find a certain part in the revolution without having to read throughout the document. Because There’s some parts in the revolution I missed because they were all scattered around in different documents. Those are the problems I encountered with trying to apply information to the fever model.