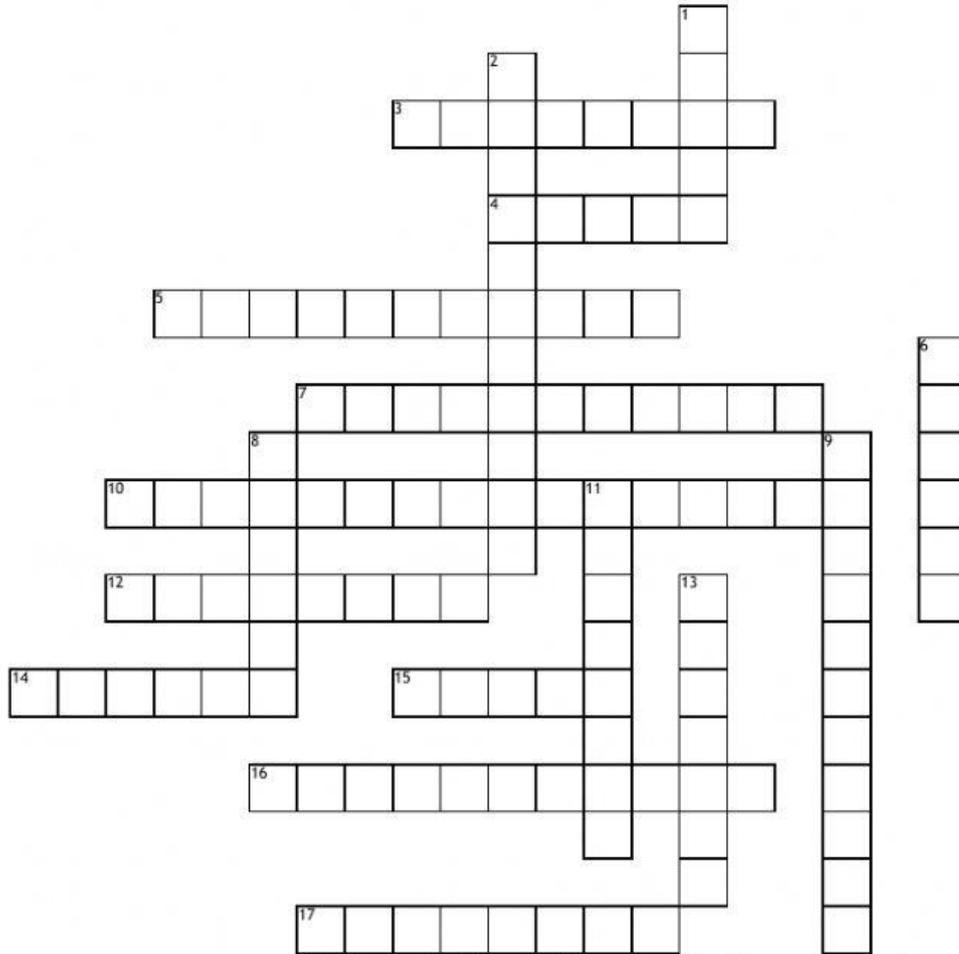


# Vital Signs



**Across**

- 3. patient without a fever is called
- 4. pulse rate that requires using a stethoscope apical
- 5. a heart rate of faster than 100 beats /min
- 7. blood pressure below normal for a patient
- 10. blood pressure cuff is also called a
- 12. the top number in the blood pressure reading which indicates the pressure during cardiac contraction

- 14. the indication that the heart is beating in an even or uneven pattern
  - 15. inside the area of the elbow is called the antecubital
  - 16. blood pressure above the normal range for a patient is called
  - 17. bluish discoloration of the skin, showing a lack of oxygen
- Down**
- 1. the number of times a pt's heart beats in a min
  - 2. a cycle of one inspiration and one exhalation

- 6. the energy a pt uses to breathe
- 8. a 24 hr human clock that syncs with the light of day & dark of night circadian
- 9. heartbeat of less than 60 beats/min
- 11. the measurement of oxygen in arterial blood using infrared tech. pulse
- 13. patient with a fever is called