Health Symptoms: Word Families

Many words have more than one form. They can change from a noun to a verb, adjective, or adverb, etc. Together, all the different forms of a word are called a word family.

Look at the words below. Can you see words that go together in word families? Move the nine words at the top into the correct places in the table below.

drowsiness	**achy**	**congestion**
sleepless	**congested**	**sleeplessness**
drowse	**ache**	

Symptom (Noun)	**Verb** (Action)	**Adjective** ("I am ____.")
tiredness	**tire**	**tired**
	sleep	
		drowsy
	congest	
aches (& pains)		

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