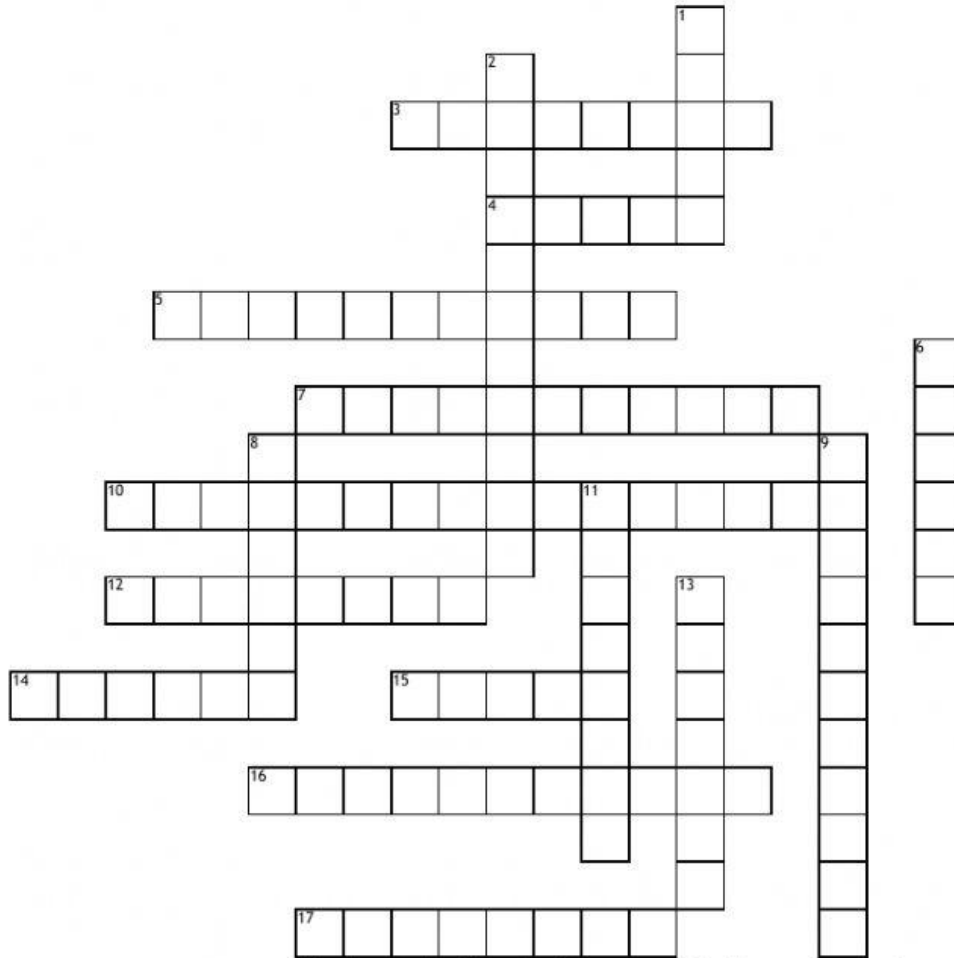


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Vital Signs



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