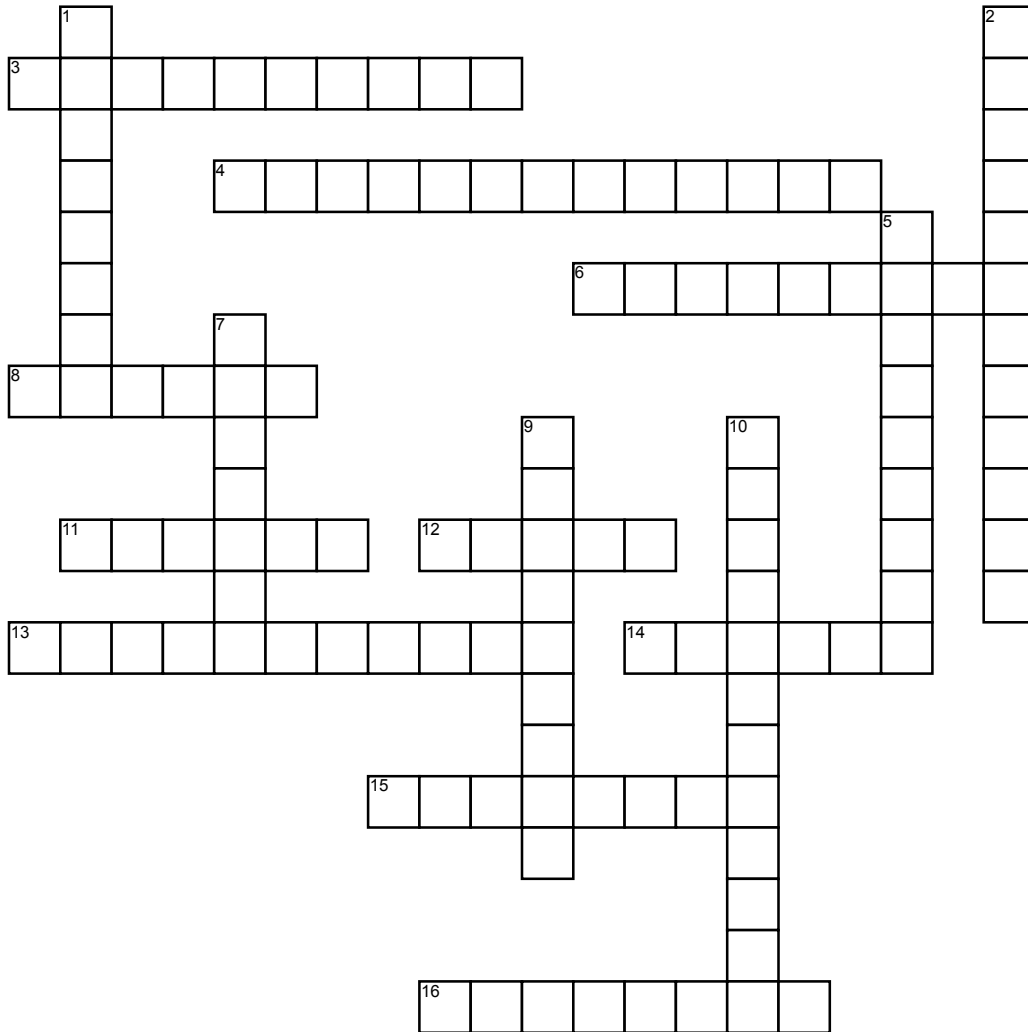


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Cancer Unit Puzzle



Across

3. The spread of disease (in this case, cancer) from the original site to other parts of the body.

4. A treatment that stimulates the body's own immune system to fight cancer cells.

6. Another word for cancerous.

8. A disease that occurs when happens when abnormal cells grow and spread very fast.

11. The removal of a sample of tissue from the body for further examination. This gives doctors a closer look at what's going on inside to help make a diagnosis and choose the right treatment.

12. An abnormal body of cells in a mass or a lump that are classified as cancerous or not cancerous

13. Unwanted reactions or effects to medication or therapy.

14. A term used to describe tumors that are slow-growing, noncancerous, and do not spread to surrounding tissue.

15. The diagnosis, study, and treatment of cancer.

16. A cancer that starts in the lymphatic system, which includes the lymph nodes, thymus, spleen, adenoids, tonsils, and bone marrow.

Down

1. A cancer of the white blood cells.

2. The use of special medicines to treat cancer. Several of these drugs are often combined to attack the cancer cells in different ways.

5. A treatment process in which energy is given off in the form of particles or rays to kill cancer cells and shrink tumors.

7. The reappearance of cancer after it has been treated.

9. When cancer symptoms disappear or are significantly reduced.

10. This body system, which includes white blood cells and lymph nodes, helps protect the body from disease and fights off germs.

Word Bank

Cancer

Relapse

Metastasis

Immune System

Benign

Oncology

Radiation

Tumor

Lymphoma

Side effects

Leukemia

Chemotherapy

Immunotherapy

Malignant

Remission

Biopsy