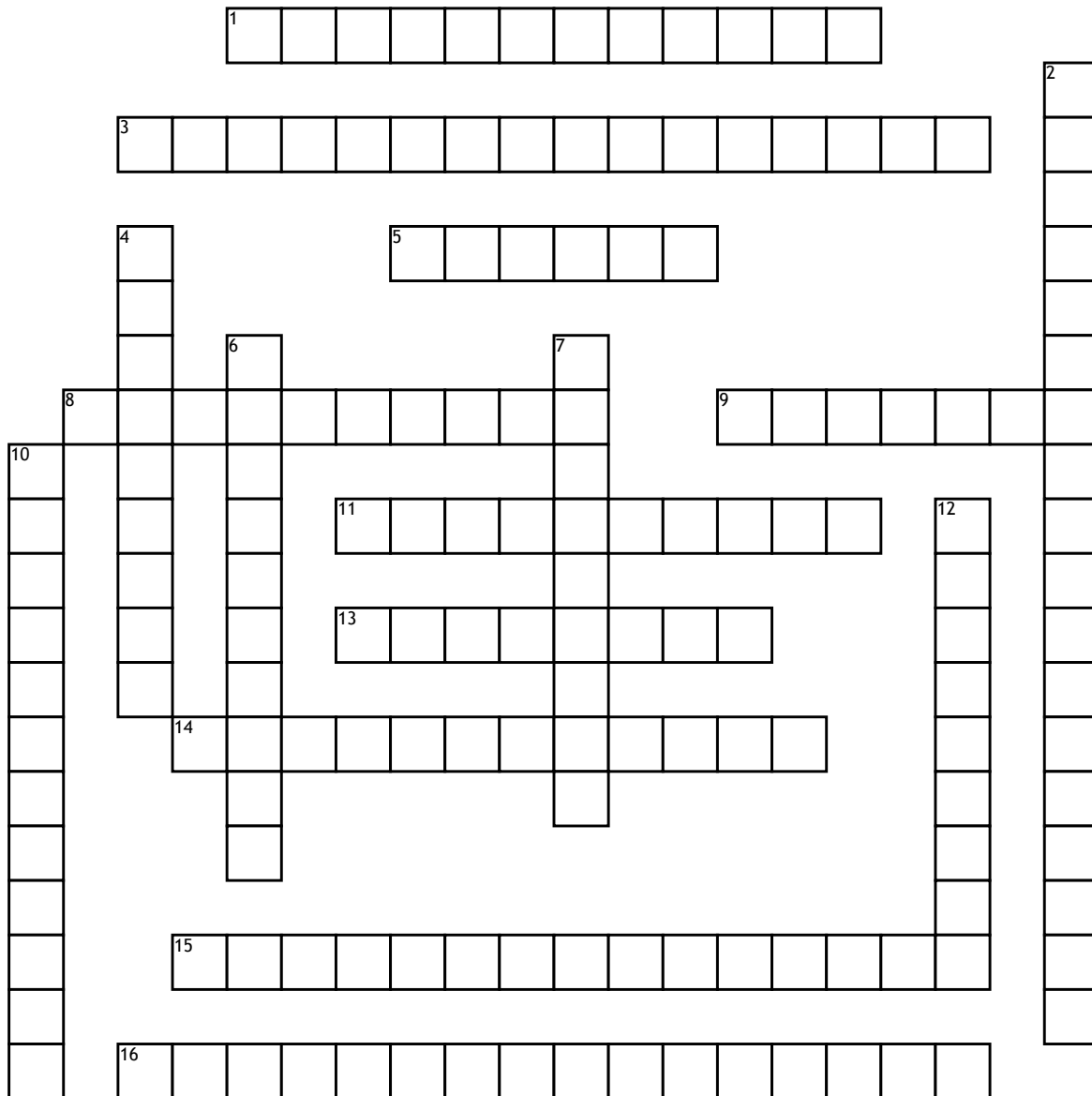


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HW #1: Legal and Illegal Drugs



Across

1. a class of depressants also called sedative-hypnotics which relax a person or induce sleep in high doses
3. a mood-altering drug which effects brain activity
5. a highly addictive and commonly abused opiate which causes users to become dazed and disoriented
8. a reaction after taking a drug that is not intended
9. a powerful psych stimulant that is illegal and causes damage to the nose lining since it is frequently snorted

Across

11. the improper use of medicines
13. breathable chemical vapor that can cause permanent brain damage and heart failure
14. This drug overloads the brain with sensory information, causing a distorted sense of reality.
15. a highly addictive drug which produces an initial rush or "high" but soon causes users to become confused, shaky, anxious, irritable, or violent
16. a drug that can be obtained only with a written order from a doctor and can be purchased only at a pharmacy

Down

2. a medicine that is sold legally in pharmacies and other stores without a doctor's prescription
4. illegal drug that fogs the brain and slows down the ability to react
6. a psychoactive drug that slows brain and body reactions
7. a drug that speeds up activities of the central nervous system
10. prescription drugs that are sometimes sold illegally as "speed" or "uppers" since they produce feelings of well being and high energy
12. when a drug is intentionally used improperly or unsafely