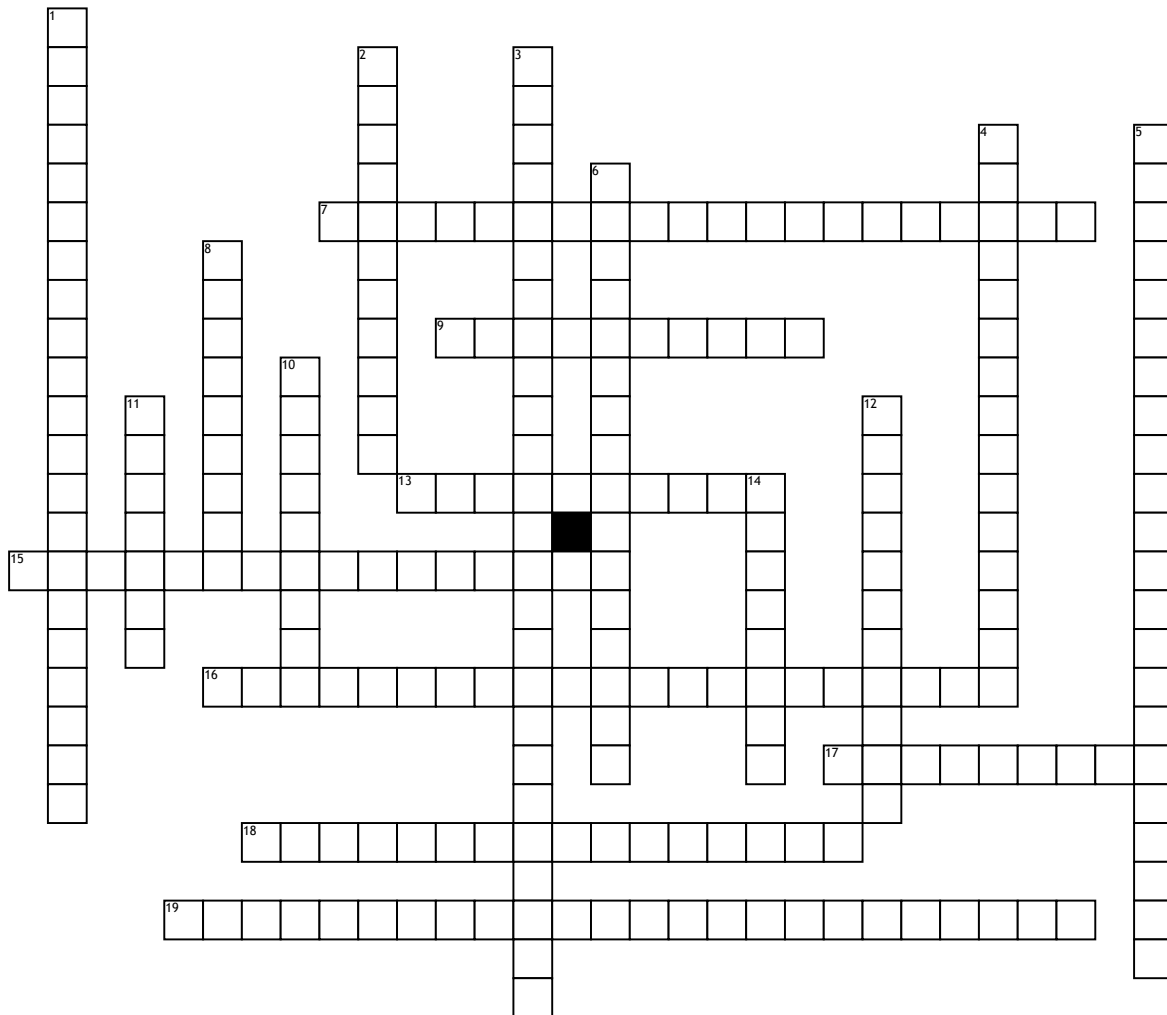


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Insurance Terminology



Across

7. a form that the patient signs allowing payment be sent directly to the provider

9. set amount that has to be paid by patient before the insurance covers bills

13. PCP

15. an itemized notice letting the physician know what services were/were not covered

16. a physician who has a contractual agreement with the third party payor

17. an insurance policy that covers a group of people

18. getting prior permission from the insurance plan to perform certain procedures/services

19. a physician who does not have any contract with the third party payor

Down

1. an itemized notice letting the patient know what was and was not covered by their plan

2. set amount of cost shared by both the insurance company and the patient

3. informs the patient in writing that they will be required to pay for a service if it is denied by Medicare

4. insurance carrier or managed care organization that pays health insurance claims

5. the process of deciding which insurance is primary/secondary/tertiary

6. using accurate ICD/CPT codes to show documentation that the procedures performed were deemed necessary

8. a percentage per contract paid at the office in which u are being seen

10. the individual with financial responsibility to the insurance plan

11. monthly amount paid per contract to maintain health care coverage

12. any individual covered by the health insurance plan

14. needed with most HMO plans to see a specialist or any doctor other than the PCP