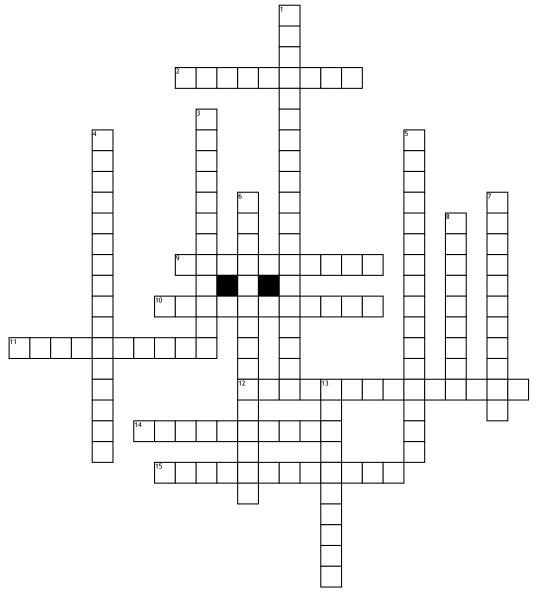
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Across

- 2. a colorless cell that circulates in the blood and body fluids and is involved in counteracting foreign substances and disease; a white (blood) cell.
- **9.** he surgical opening or puncture of a vein in order to withdraw blood or introduce a fluid, or (historically) as part of the procedure of letting blood.
- **10.** examination by X-ray of blood or lymph vessels, carried out after introduction of a radiopaque substance.
- 11. condition that occurs when the body doesn't make new bone as quickly as it reabsorbs old bone.
- **12.** also known as hematopoietin or hemopoietin, is a glycoprotein cytokine secreted by the kidney in response to cellular hypoxia; it stimulates red blood cell production in the bone marrow.

- **14.** record of muscle activity within the heart made by a cardiograph.
- **15.** An enlarged heart, which is usually a sign of another condition.

Down

- 1. process of recording the electrical activity of the heart over a period of time using electrodes placed on the skin.
- 3. abnormal bleeding from the uterus
- **4.** deficiency of platelets in the blood. This causes bleeding into the tissues, bruising, and slow blood clotting after injury.
- **5.** the thickening and hardening of the walls of the arteries, occurring typically in old age.
- **6.** disease of the arteries characterized by the deposition of plaques of fatty material on their inner walls.

- 7. an abnormally rapid heart rate.
- **8.** young cell of the granulocytic series, occurring normally in bone marrow
- 13. a red protein responsible for transporting oxygen in the blood of vertebrates. Its molecule comprises four subunits, each containing an iron atom bound to a heme group.