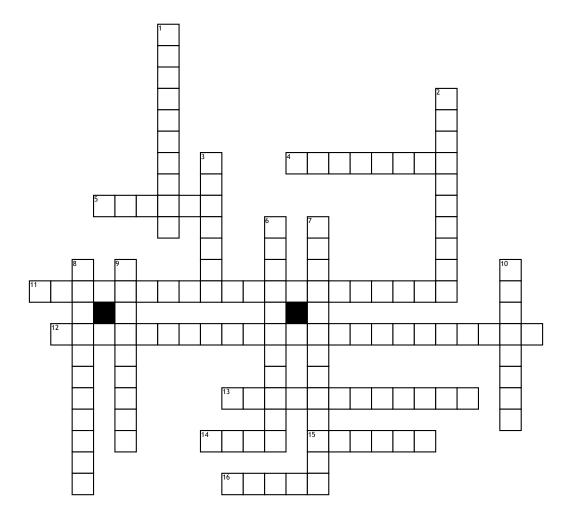
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Science Crossward



Across

- **4.** A threadlike extension of a neuron that carries nerve impulses Torward the cell body
- **5.** A Cell That carries messages through the nervous system
- 11. The brain and the spinal cord; the control center of the body
- **12.** All the nerves outside the central nervous system; connects the central nervous system to all the parts of the body.
- 13. A message carried by a neuron
- **14.** A threadlike extension of a neuron that carries nerve impulses away from the cell body

- **15.** An automatic response that occurs very rapidly and without conscious control.
- **16.** the part of the central nervous system that is located in the skull and that controls most functions of the body.

Down

- 1. The thick column that of nerve tissue that is enclosed by the vertebrae and that links the brain to most of the nerves in the peripheral nervous system.
- **2.** The part of the brain that coordinates the actions of the muscles and helps maintain balance.
- **3.** The tiny space between the tip of an axon to the next structure

- 6. A neuron that sends an impulse to a muscle, causing the muscle to contract7. A neuron that picks up stimuli from
- the internal or external environment & converts each stimulus int a nerve impulse
- **8.** A neuron that carries nerve impulses from one neuron to the other
- **9.** The part of the brain that controls many body functions that occur automatically.
- **10.** The part of the brain that interprets input from the senses, controls the movement of skeletal muscle, and carries out complex mental processes.

Word Bank

Reflex Sensory Neuron Brain Axon Cerebrum Nerve Impulse Motor Neuron Brainstem Dendrite Cerebellum Peripheral Nervous System Spinal Cord Neuron Central Nervous System Interneuron Synapse