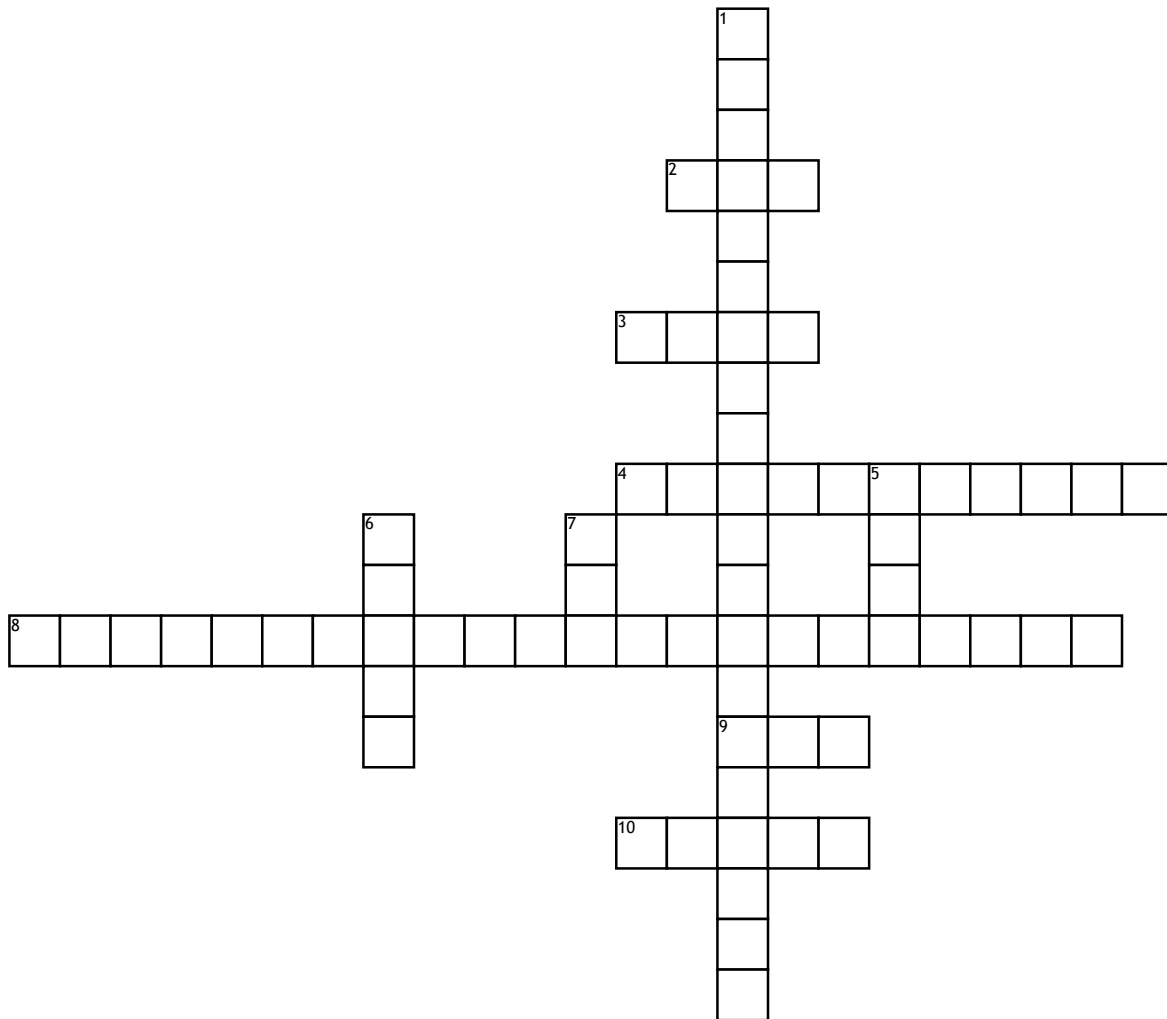


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# Super Hero Super Tech - Superbugs



## Across

2. Gram-negative bacteria that are resistant to the carbapenem class of antibiotics.
3. Known as a nosocomial infection, is an infection that is acquired in a hospital or other health care facility.
4. This superbug can cause pneumonia; ear, sinus and bloodstream infections; and meningitis. It is spread person-to-person, often in healthcare facilities.
8. Members of this genus are typically found in soil and water, and can survive on medical equipment.

9. A federal agency that is responsible for working with hospitals to educate and promote prevention of illness and disease, particularly those that spread infection.

10. A bacterium which infects humans and can potentially cause fatal inflammation of the colon.

## Down

1. A fast spreading bacterial skin infection that kills the body's soft tissue.

5. An infection that is caused by a type of staph bacteria that's become resistant to many of the antibiotics used to treat ordinary staph infections.

6. These bacteria produce an enzyme that destroys many antibiotics.

7. Bacterial strains of the genus *Enterococcus* that are resistant to the antibiotic vancomycin.