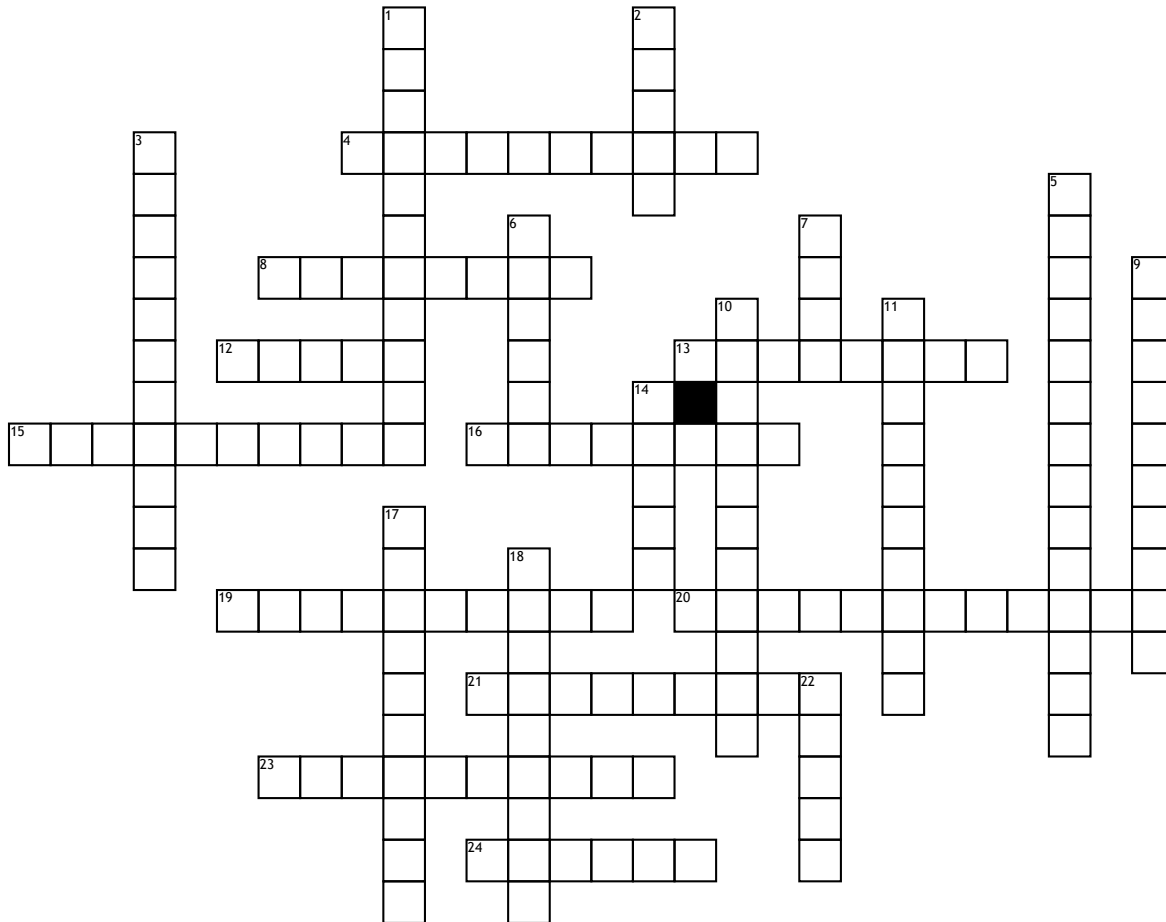


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## Across

4. the birth of an infant that has died in the womb (strictly, after having survived through at least the first 28 weeks of pregnancy, earlier instances being regarded as abortion or miscarriage)

8. the acting out or performance of a particular role, either consciously (as a technique in psychotherapy or training) or unconsciously, in accordance with the perceived expectations of society with regard to a person's behavior in a particular context

12. to use wrongly or improperly

13. the passing on of physical or mental characteristics genetically from one generation to another

15. the infliction or imposition of a penalty as retribution for an offense

16. an action that is performed as a response to a stimulus and without conscious thought

19. the placenta and fetal membranes expelled from the uterus after childbirth.

20. the process whereby a person is made immune or resistant to an infectious disease, typically by the administration of a vaccine. Vaccines stimulate the body's own immune system to protect the person against subsequent infection or disease.

21. arousing or characterized by intense feeling

23. unchanging in achievement or effect over a period of time

24. the process of increasing in physical size.

## Down

1. a physical or biochemical abnormality that is present at birth and that may be inherited or the result of environmental influence.

2. a female reproductive organ in which ova or eggs are produced, present in humans and other vertebrates as a pair

3. motions carried out when the brain, nervous system, and muscles work together

5. of a liveborn infant of less than 2,500 g (5 pounds 8 ounces) regardless of gestational age.

6. the basic or inherent features of something, especially when seen as characteristic of it

7. the basic physical unit of heredity; a linear sequence of nucleotides along a segment of DNA that provides the coded instructions for synthesis of RNA, which, when translated into protein, leads to the expression of hereditary character.

9. the state or quality of being dedicated to a cause

10. the process of starting to experience or suffer from an ailment or feeling

11. the practice of training people to obey rules or a code of behavior, using punishment to correct disobedience.

14. an unborn offspring of a mammal, in particular an unborn human baby more than eight weeks after conception.

17. a threadlike structure of nucleic acids and protein found in the nucleus of most living cells, carrying genetic information in the form of genes.

18. occurring or done before the usual or proper time; too early

22. the process of childbirth, especially the period from the start of uterine contractions to delivery.