

Medical Terminology Quiz

Complete the following quiz and record your answers. The answer sheet will be sent by the end of the week.

1. What is the correct meaning for "angio"?
 - a. Mouth
 - b. Water
 - c. Lung
 - d. Vessel

2. What is the root word for "slow"?
 - a. Cyan(o)
 - b. Gastro
 - c. Brady
 - d. Tachy

3. What is the prefix for "above normal"?
 - a. Poly
 - b. Hypo
 - c. Hyper
 - d. Mega

4. What is the prefix for "below"?
 - a. Trans
 - b. Semi
 - c. Hypo
 - d. Post

5. What is the correct suffix for "movement"?
 - a. Pnea
 - b. Osis
 - c. Algia
 - d. Taxis

6. The suffix "ectomy" refers to?
 - a. Condition
 - b. Incision
 - c. Paralysis
 - d. Growth

7. "Febri" refers to;
 - a. Mouth
 - b. Fever
 - c. Stomach
 - d. Blue

8. "Skin" is the meaning of what root word?
 - a. Derm
 - b. Oro
 - c. My(o)
 - d. Cyan(o)

9. A "blue" discoloration of the skin is;
 - a. Cilium
 - b. Effusion
 - c. Edema
 - d. Cyanosis

10. A prefix is;
 - a. Found in all medical terms
 - b. The last part of the word
 - c. The middle of the word
 - d. Found at the beginning and modifies the root

11. What is the suffix for "inflammation"?
 - a. Tomy
 - b. Itis
 - c. Scope
 - d. Osis

12. Which suffix best describes "breathing"?
 - a. Taxis
 - b. Trophy
 - c. Pnea
 - d. Ectomy

13. What is the correct meaning to the suffix "osis"?
 - a. Movement
 - b. Paralysis
 - c. Pain
 - d. Condition

14. What is the correct meaning for the suffix "tomy"?
- Incision
 - Observe
 - Surgical Removal
 - Movement
15. What is the root word for Female Reproductive organs?
- GYN
 - GNY
 - YNG
 - NYG
16. Tachy refers to;
- Slow
 - Medium
 - Air
 - Fast
17. What is the prefix for "across"?
- Through
 - Trans
 - Patent
 - Breathing
18. What is the meaning for the prefix "mega"?
- Small
 - Tiny
 - Slow
 - Large
19. The prefix Poly refers to...
- Half
 - Above Normal
 - Many
 - Against
20. Which of the following best defines prefix?
- Found in all medical terms
 - The at the beginning of the root
 - Always found in the middle of the word
 - Found at the end of the root