# **4** Diagnostic Procedures and Therapeutic Interventions

#### A. Matching

Match combining forms with their meanings. (Answers may be used more than once.)

- 1. ech/oa. electricity2. electr/ob. emitting or reflecting light3. fluor/oc. radiant energy4. radi/od. sound5. son/oe. to cut
- \_\_\_\_ **6.** tom/o

#### B. Filling in the blanks.

Write a letter in each blank to complete the terms.

- 1. An objective, definitive evidence of a disease is called a s\_\_\_\_\_.
- 2. A small sample taken from the body to represent the whole is a s\_\_\_\_\_\_.
- 3. The rhythmic expansion of an artery that occurs as the heart beats is called the p\_\_\_\_\_.
- Tapping the body with the fingertips or fist during a physical examination is called p\_\_\_\_\_
- 5. Listening for sounds within the body using a stethoscope is called

a\_\_\_\_\_.

- 6. Substances that readily permit the passage of x-rays are described as r\_\_\_\_\_
- 8. The use of radiopaque materials to make internal organs visible is called contrast i\_\_\_\_\_\_.
- **9.** A drug that relieves pain is an a\_\_\_\_\_\_.
- 10. A substance that produces insensitivity or stupor is called a n\_\_\_\_\_.

#### C. Writing Meanings

Write the meanings of the following word parts.

- 1. algesi/o
- **2.** chem/o
- **3.** pharmac/o
- 4. plast/o



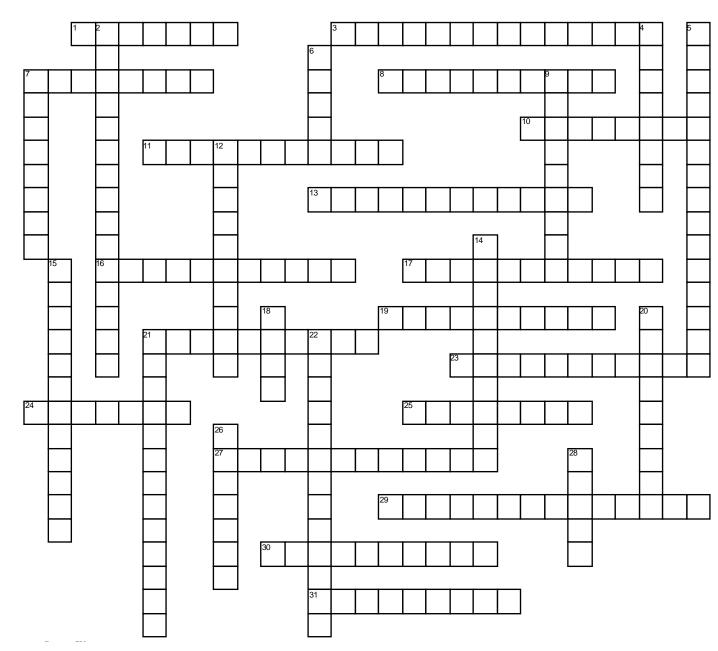
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- 5. therapeut/o
- **6.** tox/o

## **D. Crossword Puzzle**

Write a term for each clue given.



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## ACROSS

- **1.** type of scan that involves a radiopharmaceutical
- 3. agent that controls or kills cancer cells
- 7. pertaining to the higher blood pressure reading
- 8. sonography
- **10.** record produced by tomography
- **11.** instrument to measure temperature
- **13.** examiner listens to sounds within the body
- **16.** allowing x-rays to penetrate with minimum absorption
- **17.** instrument used to project image in fluoroscopy
- **19.** x-ray image
- **21.** antimicrobial agent derived from living organisms or produced synthetically
- 23. treatment using cold temperatures
- **24.** persisting for a long time, sometimes for life
- 25. thermometer type used in the ear
- **27.** using chemical agents to treat disease
- 29. pertaining to drugs or pharmacy
- **30.** examiner taps the body with the fingertips or fist
- **31.** examiner feels the texture, size, and location of body parts

# DOWN

- 2. echography
- **4.** type of imaging that enhances the image of internal organs
- **5.** the use of drugs to treat diseases
- 6. one of the vital signs
- 7. echogram
- 9. probable outcome of a disease
- 12. pertaining to radiology
- 14. sectional imaging
- 15. radiation therapy
- **18.** objective finding
- **20.** pertaining to the lower blood pressure reading
- 21. agent that kills or inhibits

microorganisms

- 22. treatment of disease with heat
- **26.** instrument used in nuclear scanning
- **28.** beginning abruptly with intensity, but lasting short time



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