# 5 The Body as a Whole

#### A. Matching Combining Forms for Directional Terms

Match combining forms for directional terms in the left column with their meanings in the right column. (Some meanings will be used more than once.)

<b>1.</b> anter/o	<b>a.</b> distant from the origin
<b>2.</b> caud/o	<b>b.</b> lowermost or below
<b>3.</b> cephal/o	<b>c.</b> middle
<b>4.</b> dist/o	<b>d.</b> nearest the origin
<b>5.</b> dors/o	<b>e.</b> toward the back in human beings
<b>6.</b> infer/o	<b>f.</b> toward the front in human beings
<b>7.</b> later/o	<b>g.</b> toward the head
<b>8.</b> medi/o	<b>h.</b> toward the side
9. poster/o	i. toward the tail
10. proxim/o	j. uppermost
11. super/o	
12. ventr/o	

#### **B.Matching Word Parts Pertaining to Body Fluids**

Match word parts in the left column with their meanings in the right column. (Not all selections will be used and some will be used more than once.)

 1. dacry/o
 a. condition of the blood

 2. -emia
 b. lymph

 3. hem/o
 c. perspiration

 4. hidr/o
 d. pus

 5. hydr/o
 e. saliva

 6. lacrim/o
 f. tears

 7. py/o
 g. water

# C.Writing the Meanings of Word Parts

Write the meanings of the following word parts.

- 1. dactyl/o
- 2. lymph/o
- **3.** omphal/o
- **4.** onych/o



5. sial/o
6. som/a
7. somat/o

# **D.Writing Combining Forms**

Write combining forms for the following terms.

1.	abdomen	
2.	abdominal wall	
3.	cyst, bladder, or sac	
4.	extremities	
5.	pelvis	
	peritoneum	
	perspiration	
8.	secrete	

# E.Filling in the Blanks

Write a letter in each blank to complete the terms.

- 1. Abnormal enlargement of the extremities is \_\_\_\_\_megaly.
- 2. Herniation of the umbilicus is \_\_\_\_\_ cele.
- 3. Inflammation of the bones of the fingers or toes is \_\_\_\_\_\_itis.
- 4. Paralysis of the eyelid is \_\_\_\_\_ plegia.
- 5. A term that means a defect in the immune system is \_\_\_\_\_\_deficiency.

## F.Matching Terms with Their Meanings

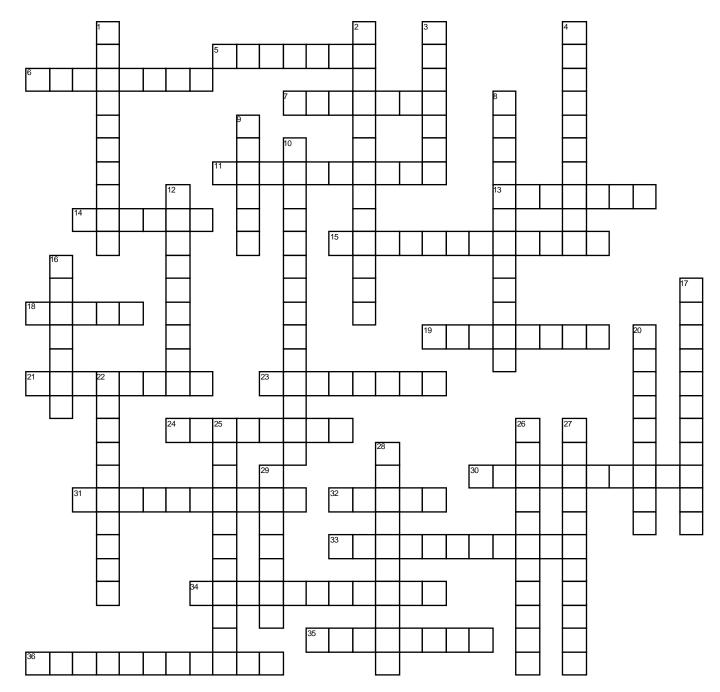
Match words in the left column with their meanings in the right column.

- **1.** \_\_\_\_\_transverse **a.** A lower anatomical division of the abdomen
- 2. \_\_\_\_\_sagittal **b.** An upper anatomical division of the abdomen
- **3.** \_\_\_\_\_coronal **c.** Body cavity containing the spinal and cranial cavities
- **4.** \_\_\_\_\_thoracic **d.** Body cavity containing the thoracic and abdominopelvic cavities
- **5.** \_\_\_\_dorsal **e.** Body cavity housing just the chest
- **6.** \_\_\_\_\_ventral **f.** Plane that divides the body into front and back
- 7. \_\_\_\_lateral g. Plane that divides the body into right and left halves
- **8.** \_\_\_\_RUQ **h**. Plane that divides the body into top and bottom portions
- 9. \_\_\_LLQ i. Toward the side



#### **G.Crossword Puzzle**

Write a term for each clue given.



### ACROSS

- 5. a foreign substance, usually protein
- **6.** sprial form of bacteria
- 7. general type of bacteria
- **11.** spreading of cancer from one part to another
- 13. hypersensitive reactions to allergens
- **14.** important stringy protein in the blood clot
- 15. incision of the eyelid
- 18. swelling
- **19.** pertaining to the chest
- **21.** collection of extracellular blood in tissue
- **23.** sweating
- **24.** sticking together of two surfaces that are normally separate
- **30.** inflammation of the umbilicus
- **31.** decrease in the number of leukocytes
- 32. general type of bacteria
- **33.** any disease of the nail
- **34.** crying
- **35.** produced in response to an antigen
- **36.** plastic surgery of the hand

## DOWN

- 1. formation of internal blood clots
- 2. prevents blood from clotting
- **3.** abnormal intraperitoneal accumulation of fluid
- **4.** serous membrane that lines the abdominal cavity
- 8. measurement of the head
- **9.** decrease in erythrocytes, or hemoglobin, or both
- 10. inflammation of the tear sac
- **12.** dome-shaped muscular partition that separates the thoracic and abdominal cavities
- **16.** portion of the body between the thorax and the pelvis
- **17.** increase in size due to increase in the number of cells
- 20. exerting a destructive effect on mucus
- **22.** adult condition in which extremities are enlarged
- **25.** relative constancy in the body's internal environment
- **26.** increase in size due to enlargement of existing cells
- **27.** exaggerated, life-threatening hypersensitivity reaction
- 28. inflammation of a finger or toe
- 29. large internal organs



