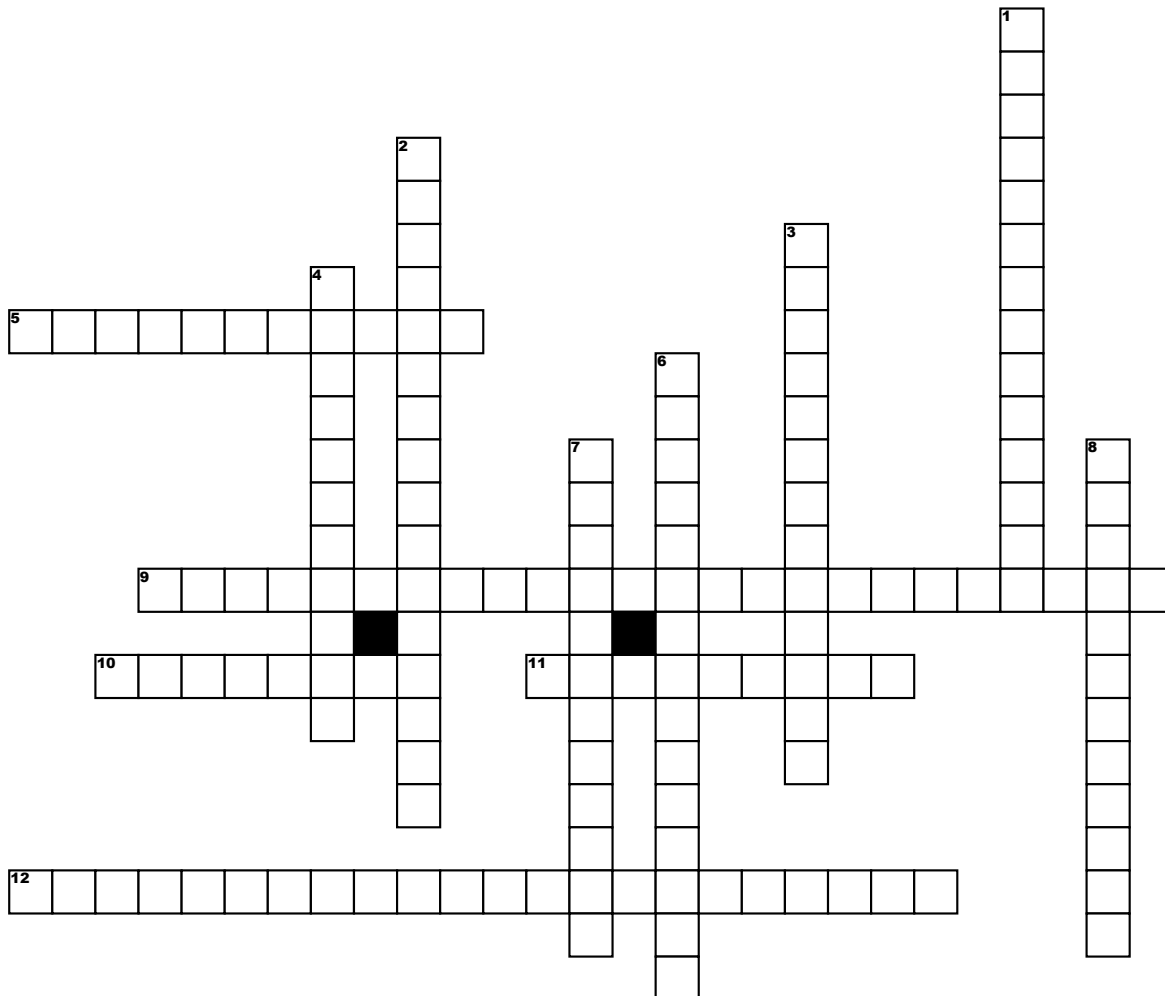


# Chapter 14: Arterial Puncture Procedure



## **Across**

**5.** The artery located on the little-fingerside of the wrist.

**9.** FiO<sub>2</sub>

**10.** Away from the body; the position of the patients arm for ABG collection.

**11.** A simple noninvasive test to assess collateral circulation before collecting a blood specimen from the radial artery.

**12.** An area supplied with blood from more than one artery so that circulation can be maintained by one vessel is obstructed.

## **Down**

**1.** Artery located in the medial anterior aspect of the antecubital fossa near the insertion of the biceps muscle.

**2.** The primary reason for arterial puncture. (ABG)

**3.** The largest artery used for arterial puncture.

**4.** Stable condition required before obtaining blood gas specimen.

**6.** L/M

**7.** The artery located at the thumb side of the wrist.

**8.** A reflux (involuntary) contraction of the artery.