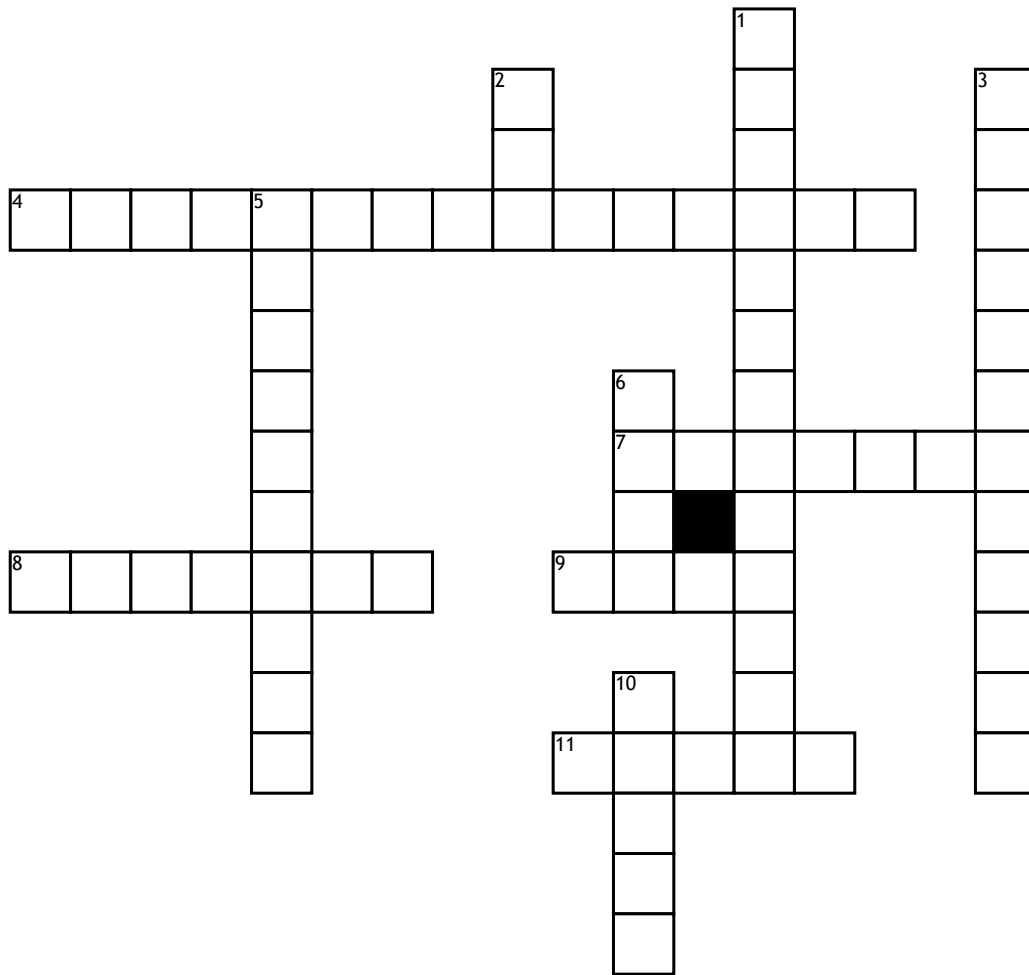


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# Diabetes Awareness



**Across**

- 4. Medications taken by mouth.
- 7. Too much body fat for a person's age, height, and gender.
- 8. A hormone that helps the body use glucose for energy. The beta cells of the pancreas make insulin.
- 9. Substances that help the body use some vitamins and keep the skin healthy. They are also the major way the body stores energy.
- 11. A type of diabetes in which the insulin produced is either not enough or doesn't work properly in the body.

**Down**

- 1. The measurement of the pressure or force inside the blood vessels (arteries) with each beat of the heart.
- 2. The average amount of glucose that has been in a person's blood over the past two to three months. It can be used to diagnose diabetes
- 3. One of the three main classes of nutrients and a source of energy. Carbohydrates are mainly sugars and starches that the body breaks down into glucose.
- 5. All of the physical and chemical processes in the body which occur when food is broken down, energy is created, and wastes are produced.
- 6. A severe emergency in which a person is not conscious.
- 10. A type of diabetes in which the insulin-producing cells (beta cells) of the pancreas are damaged.

**Word Bank**

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| Blood Pressure | Obesity | Metabolism | Carbohydrate     |
| Insulin        | Type 2  | Coma       | Oral medications |
| A1C            | Type 1  | Fats       |                  |