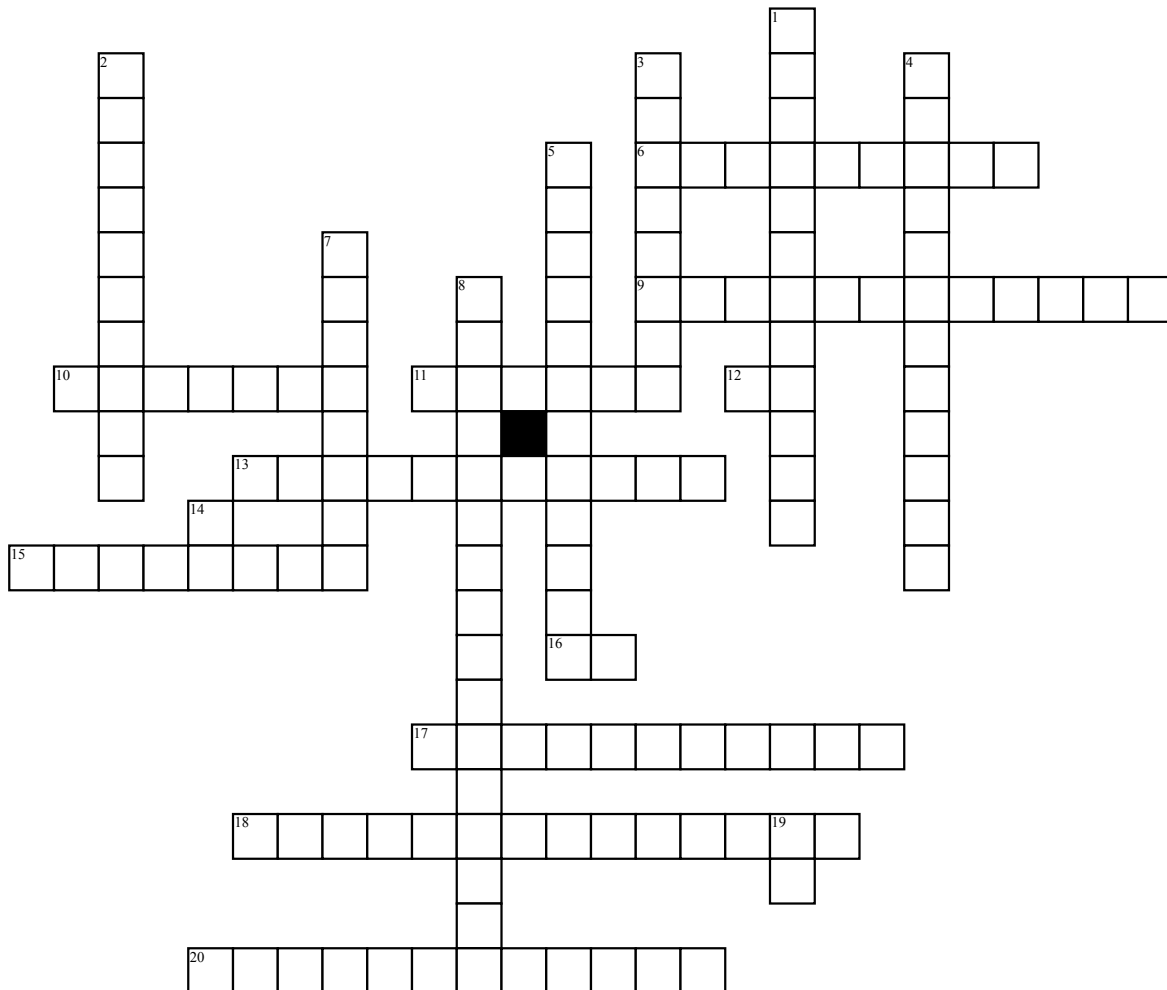


Radiographer- Identifying Fractures Crossword: By Kevin Juarez



Across

- 6.** an angled fracture; these fractures require close follow ups because of the likelihood of slipping within the cast; resulting in nonunion
9. a fracture in which the bone is pushed inward; most depression fractures occur in the skull
10. body structure being imaged is positioned so that the x-ray beam enters it from the side
11. a fracture that pierces the skin.
12. anterior/posterior; body structure being imaged is positioned so that the x-ray beam entered from the front and exited the back part of the body
13. when bones that form a joint become separated

- 15.** a long fracture encircling the bone shaft due to twisting force; especially common in lower leg injuries
16. an x-ray
17. a medical doctor who reads and interprets radiographs
18. a fracture that runs the length of bone; usually incomplete
20. a fracture that goes across a bone; often caused by sudden strong stretching force.

Down

- 1.** a registered technologist who takes radiographs
2. an x-ray picture
3. a fracture that does not break through the skin.

- 4.** an incomplete fracture in which the bone bends or splinters instead of breaking; normally seen in small children who still have flexible bones. T
5. one fracture that is made up of several fragments; fragments are often shattered, crushed or splintered
7. a fracture that occurs at the wrist; shearing of distal radius and sometimes styloid process of ulna
8. usually an incomplete fracture; occurs when the bone fragments are driven into one another; area of overlapping bone can be seen radiographically as a dense area of disrupted cortical bone
14. posterior/anterior; body structure being imaged is positioned so that the x-ray beam enters the back and exits the front body part.
19. medical acronym for a fracture or broken bones