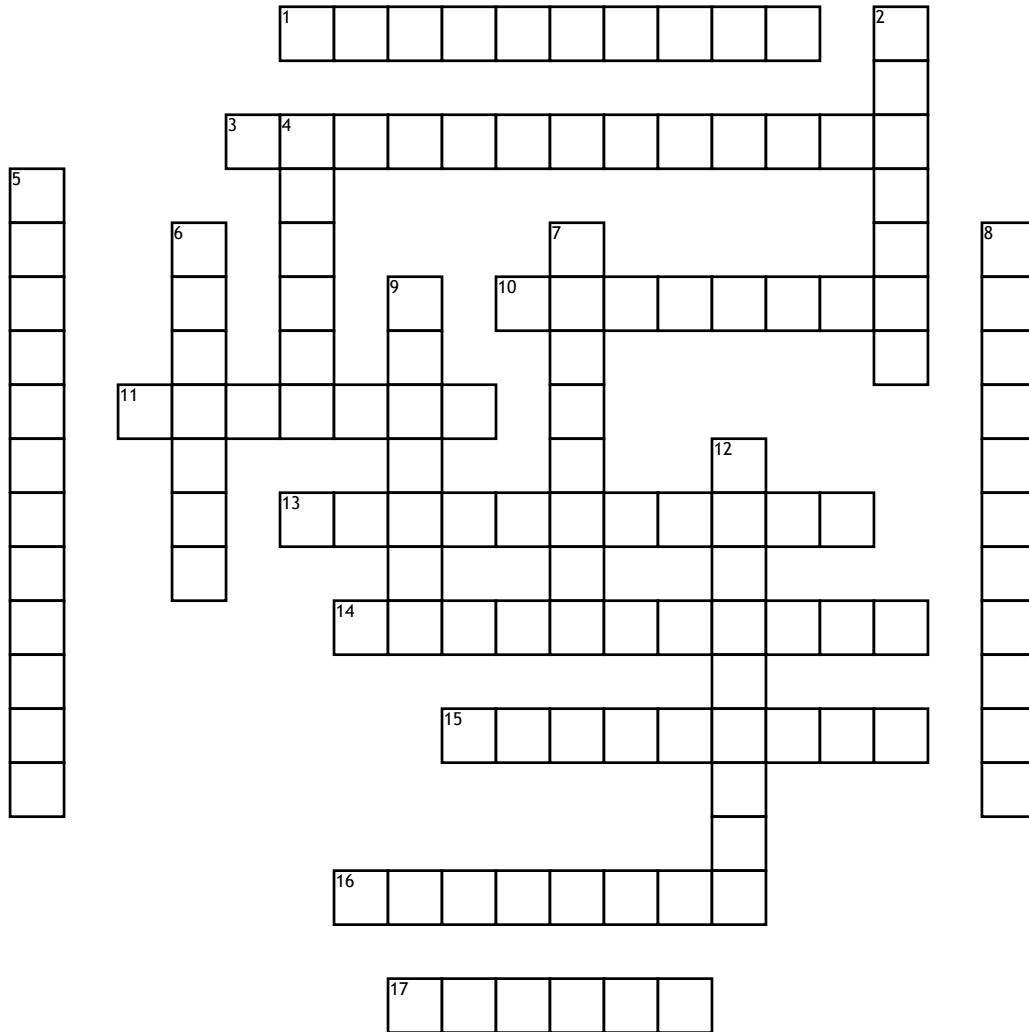


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drugs crossword



Across

- 1. These are drugs that increase alertness, attention, and energy by raising the levels of key chemicals in the brain and other parts of the body.
- 3. these are a group of drugs that work on the brain to affect the senses and cause hallucinations - seeing, hearing, smelling, tasting or touching things that do not exist.
- 10. This is a dried preparation of the flowering tops or other parts of the cannabis plant, smoked or consumed, generally illegally, as a psychoactive (mind-altering) drug.
- 11. This includes nicotine-rich leaves of an American plant, which are cured by a process of drying and fermentation for smoking or chewing.
- 13. These are powerful drugs that interfere with the nervous system's transmission of the nerve signals we perceive as pain.

- 14. These affect the central nervous system, slowing down the messages between the brain and the body. They can affect concentration and coordination.

- 15. It is a drug that calms a patient, easing agitation and permitting sleep.
- 16. One of a large group of chemical substances classified by a specific carbon structure.
- 17. This is a highly addictive analgesic drug derived from morphine, often used illicitly as a narcotic producing euphoria.

Down

- 2. It is a synthetic drug that alters mood and perception. It is chemically similar to both stimulants and hallucinogens, producing feelings of increased energy, pleasure, emotional warmth, and distorted sensory and time perception.

- 4. a respiratory condition marked by attacks of spasm in the bronchi of the lungs, causing difficulty in breathing

- 5. It is a synthetic, addictive, mood-altering drug, used illegally as a stimulant.
- 6. wine, beer, spirits and other drinks
- 7. This is a white, crystalline, bitter alkaloid, usually derived from coffee or tea: used in medicine chiefly as a nervous system stimulant.
- 8. It is a medicine (such as penicillin or its derivatives) that inhibits the growth of or destroys microorganisms.
- 9. It is an addictive drug derived from coca or prepared synthetically, used as an illegal stimulant and sometimes medicinally as a local anaesthetic.
- 12. It is a drug that calms a patient, easing agitation and permitting sleep.

Word Bank

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| tobacco | steroids | ecstasy | sedatives | painkillers |
| asthma | cocaine | caffeine | heroin | cannabis |
| sedatives | stimulants | hallucinogens | alcohol | depressants |
| amphetamines | antibiotics | | | |