

Medical Terminology Worksheet

1. An example of a diagnostic suffix is:

- a. -gram
- b. -desis
- c. -scopy
- d. -itis

2. An example of a prefix meaning position is:

- a. ab-
- b. uni-
- c. post-
- d. brady-

3. An example of a prefix meaning direction or location is:

- a. para-
- b. sub-
- c. hemi-
- d. poly-

4. An example of a surgical suffix is:

- a. -desis
- b. -crit
- c. -oma
- d. -ac

5. An example of a noun suffix is:

- a. -algia
- b. -tomy
- c. -ist
- d. -philia

6. All of the following are adjectival suffixes EXCEPT:

- a. -ary
- b. -ior
- c. -ac
- d. -ole

7. Epigastric means:

- a. Below the stomach
- b. Above the stomach
- c. Inside the stomach
- d. Stomach

8. This element can identify color.

- a. Suffix
- b. Prefix
- c. Root
- d. Combining form

9. This element can only appear at the end of the term.

- a. Prefix
- b. Suffix
- c. Root
- d. Combining form

10. This element does not require a combining vowel.

- a. Suffix
- b. Prefix
- c. Root
- d. Combining form