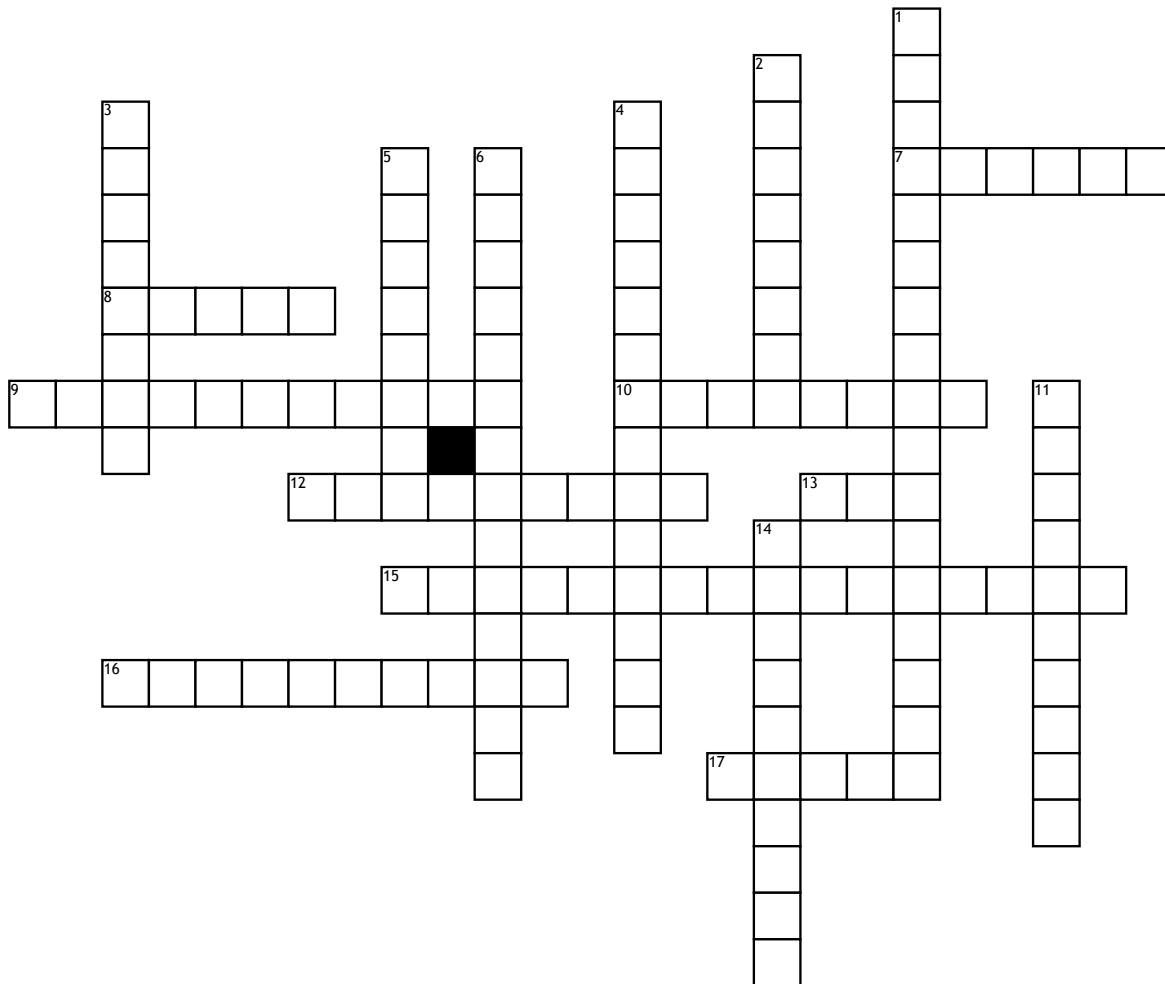


Pigment disorders of the skin



Across

7. Inflammatory, uncomfortable, and often chronic disease of the skin; includes scaling and sometimes severe itching

8. "birthmark"

9. Abnormal discolorations

10. "Mask of pregnancy", hyperpigmentation in spots that are not elevated

12. Skin disease characterized by red patches covered with silver-white scales

13. The change in pigmentation of skin caused by exposure to the sun or UV light

15. The absence of pigment, resulting in light or white splotches

16. "freckles"

17. Abnormal brown-colored or wine-colored skin discoloration with a circular or irregular shape

Down

1. Darker than normal pigmentation

2. Contagious bacterial skin infection characterized by weeping lesions and usually caused by staphylococcus bacteria.

3. Absence of melanin in the body

4. A.k.a. "Pinkeye"; infection of the eye(s) and may be caused by a bacteria or a virus

5. Hereditary condition that causes hypopigmented spots and splotches on the skin that often appear milky white

6. Recurring viral infection that often presents as a fever blister (no spaces)

11. Light, abnormal patches caused by a burn, scar, inflammation, or congenital disease

14. Broad term used to describe any inflammatory condition of the skin