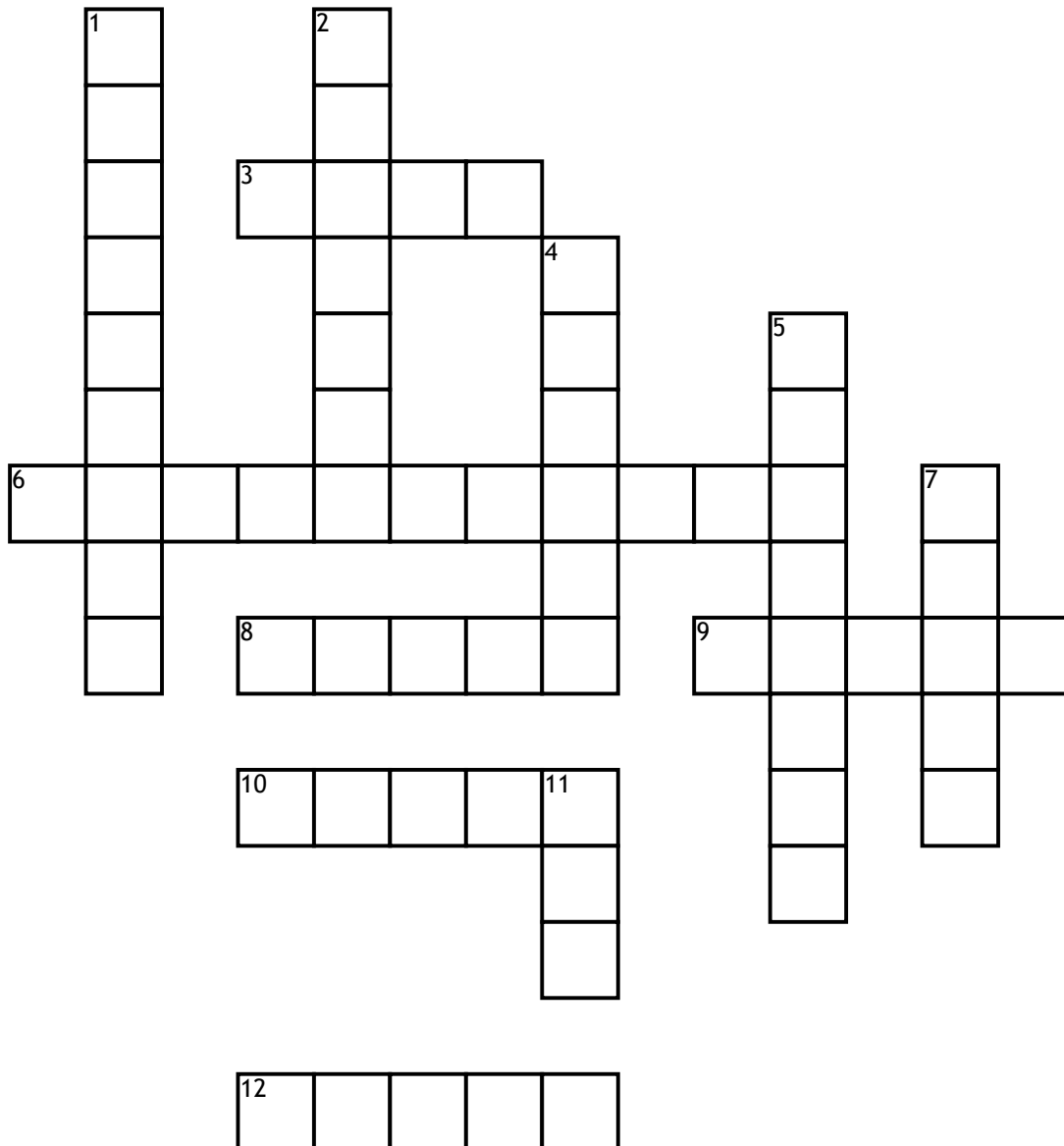


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# Important Facts on Home Urinary Catheter Care



## Across

3. \_\_\_\_\_ your hands before and after touching the drainage or catheter.
6. An individual should not have sexual \_\_\_\_\_ while wearing a urinary catheter.
8. You should shower \_\_\_\_\_ to prevent infection.
9. You should NEVER put the drainage bag on the \_\_\_\_\_.

10. When emptying drainage bag, DO NOT let the drainage tube \_\_\_\_\_ the container the urine is draining into.

12. If there is no urine draining into the bag, first check and see if there are any \_\_\_\_\_ in the tubing.

## Down

1. If you experience \_\_\_\_\_ pain and no urine is drained in the catheter bag, call healthcare provider immediately.

2. Keep drainage bag below \_\_\_\_\_, to keep urine flowing freely by gravity.

4. If you notice a strong odor or \_\_\_\_\_ urine, call healthcare provider immediately.

5. If there is \_\_\_\_\_ at catheter insertion site, notify healthcare provider immediately.

7. If you have bright red \_\_\_\_\_ in your urine, call healthcare provider immediately.

11. Never use \_\_\_\_\_ water to rinse the catheter, as it can damage the plastic equipment.