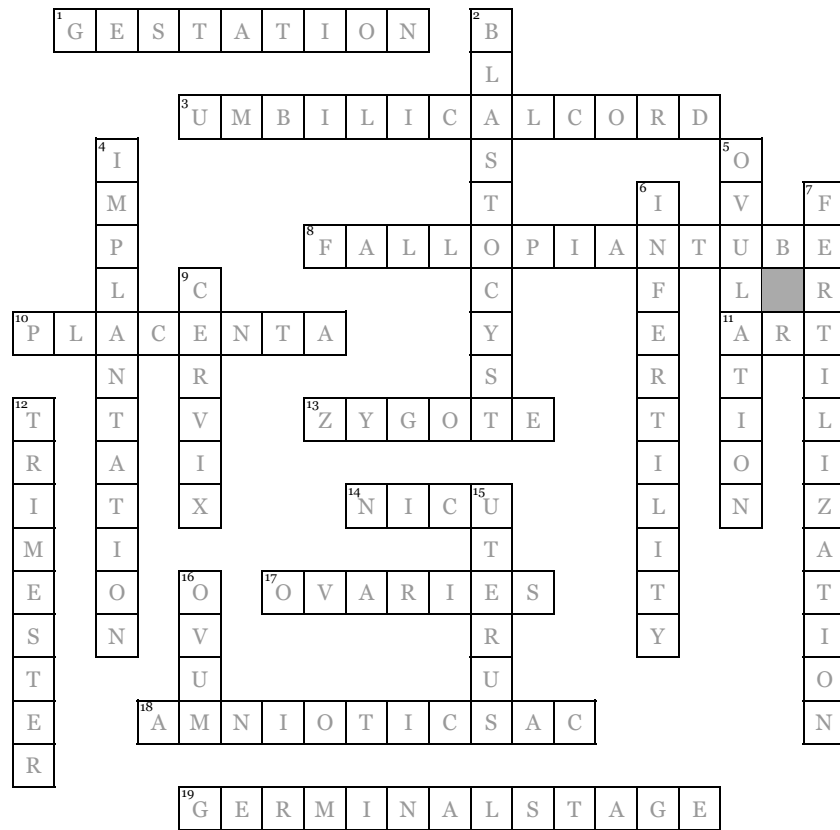


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Prenatal Development, Pregnancy, and Birth



Across

1. the period of pregnancy
3. structure that attaches the placenta to the fetus, through which nutrients are passed and fetal wastes are removed
8. slim, pipelike structure that connects an ovary to the uterus
10. structure projecting from the wall of the uterus during pregnancy through which the developing baby absorbs nutrients
11. any infertility treatment in which the egg is fertilized outside the womb. abbr.
13. a fertilized ovum
14. a special hospital unit that treats at-risk newborns, such as lbw and vlbw
17. almond shaped organs that contain a woman's eggs
18. bag-shaped, fluid-filled membrane that contains and insulates the fetus
19. first 14 days of prenatal development, from fertilization to full implantation

Down

2. hollow sphere of cells formed during the germinal stage in preparation for implantation
4. process in which a blastocyst becomes embedded in the uterine wall
5. the expulsion of the ovum
6. the inability to conceive after a year of unprotected sex
7. the union of sperm and egg
9. the neck, or narrow lower portion, of the uterus
12. one of the 3 month long segments into which pregnancy is divided
15. The pear shaped muscular organ in a woman's abdomen that houses the developing baby
16. egg cell containing the genetic material contributed by the mother