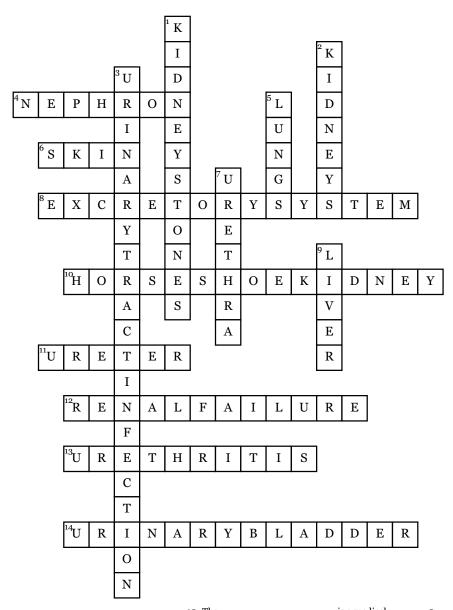
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The Excretory System!



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4. The _____ Is the basic structural and functional unit of the kidney.[1] Its chief function is to regulate the concentration of water and soluble substances like sodium salts by filtering the blood, reabsorbing what is needed and excreting the rest as urine.

6. The soft outer covering of vertebrates. Other animal coverings, such as the arthro pod exoskeleton have different developmental origin, structure and chemical composition is the ____

8. The main function of the ______ is to get rid of bodily waste. It is one of the most important systems in the body because the waste it gets rid of is poisonous, and if they build up in your body for too long they can kill you. The lungs, which are part of the system, remove carbon dioxide and water vapors. Uric acids, some salts, and nitrogenous waste is removed from the body by the kidneys and sweat glands.

is a congenital disorder in which the two kidneys of the patient fuse together to form a horseshoe shape while the child was

11. _____ is a tube made of smooth muscle fibers that propel urine from the kidneys to the urinary

12. The	is a medical
condition of impaired kidne	y function in which the
cidneys fail to adequately fil	Îter metabolic wastes from
he blood.[1] The two main	forms are acute kidney
njury, which is often revers	ible with adequate
reatment, and chronic kidn	ey disease, which is often
not reversible.	

is inflammation of the urethra

14. The _____ is a hollow muscular organ that collects urine from the kidneys before disposal by urination.

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also known as urolithiasis, is when a solid piece of material (kidney stone) occurs in the urinary tract.[2] Kidney stones typically form in the kidney and leave the body in the urine stream. A small stone may pass without causing symptoms.[2] If a stone grows to more than 5 millimeters (0.2 in) it can cause blockage of the ureter resulting in severe pain in the lower back or abdomen.[

2	is a two bean-snaped organs
found on the le	eft and right sides of the body in
	ey filter the blood in order to make
urine, to releas	se and retain water, and to remove waste
	system). They also control the ion
concentrations	and acid-base balance of the blood.

is an infection that affects part of the urinary tract.[1] When it affects the lower urinary tract it is known as a bladder infection (cystitis) and when it affects the upper urinary tract it is known as kidney infection

5. the is the primary organs of respiration in humans. In mammals and most other vertebrates, two are located near the backbone on either side of the heart.

7. The _____ is a tube that connects the urinary bladder to the urinary meatus for the removal of fluids from the body.

9. The ____ is the vital organ of vertebrates and some other animals.[2] In the human, it is located in the upper right quadrant of the abdomen, below the diaphragm. The liver has a wide range of functions, including detoxification of various metabolites, protein synthesis, and the production of biochemicals necessary for digestion.[