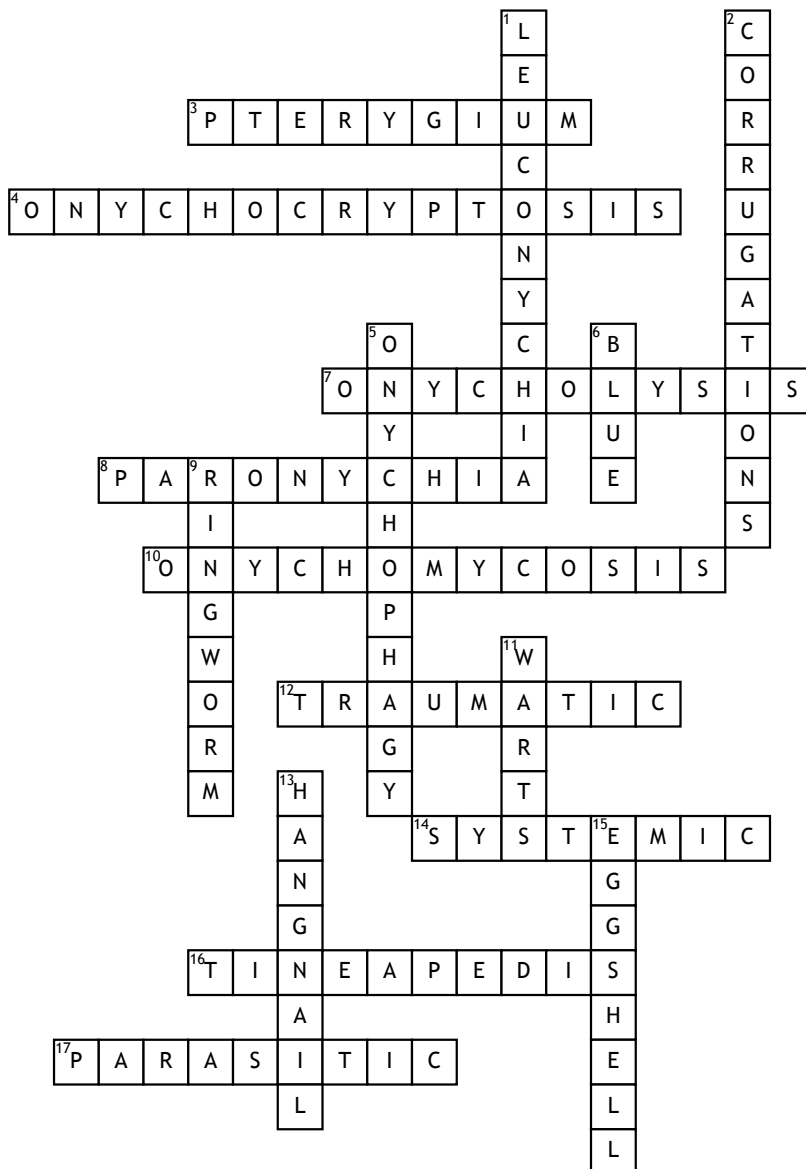


# Nail diseases and disorders



## Across

3. Overgrowth of the cuticle which grows up the nail plate and may tear
4. Toenail that grows into the surrounding tissue
7. Lifting of the nail plate from the nail bed due to trauma
8. Red inflamed infection which affected the sides of the nail, may be bacterial or fungal
10. Fungal infection of the nail which causes discolouration and lifting

12. A disorder caused by injury to the nail (such as bruise or burn) is called

14. A disorder caused by an internal problem (such as eczema or illness) is called

16. Skin of the feet goes white and peels away

17. A disorder caused by an infestation of animal origin

## Down

1. White spots on the nail plate due to trauma or diet related

2. Ridges that run vertically up the nail

5. Nail biting

6. Lack of circulation in the nail results in \_\_\_\_\_ nails

9. Fungal infection showing as red rings on the skin

11. A contagious viral infection which causes round raised lumps on hands and fingers

13. A small split or tear in the side of the nail is called a

15. Frail or very thin and brittle nails is known as \_\_\_\_\_ nails