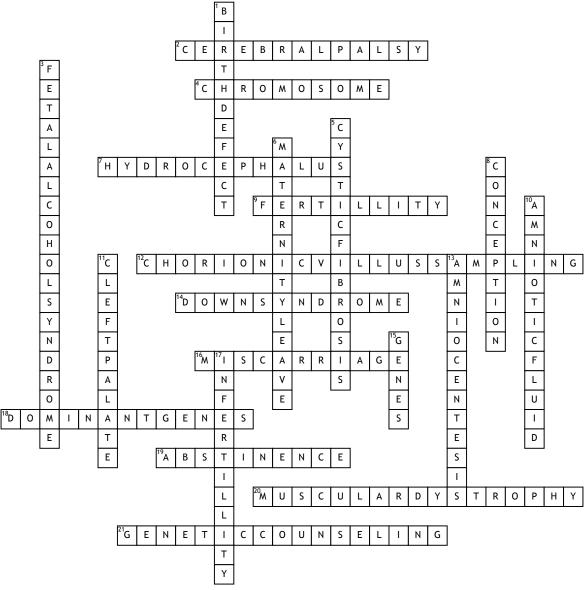
## Child development crossword #1-21



## Across

- 2. affects body movement, muscle control, muscle coordination, muscle tone, reflex, posture and balance.
- 4. is a threadlike structure of nucleic acids and protein found in the nucleus of most living cells, carrying genetic information in the form of genes.
- 7. is a condition in which fluid accumulates in the brain, typically in young children, enlarging the head and sometimes causing brain damage. Infertillity is inability to conceive children or young.
- 9. is the ability to conceive children or young.
- **12.** is a prenatal test that diagnoses chromosomal abnormalities such as Down syndrome, as well as a host of other genetic disorders.
- 14. is a congenital disorder arising from a chromosome defect, causing intellectual impairment and physical abnormalities including short stature and a broad facial profile.
- **16.** is the expulsion of a fetus from the womb before it is able to survive independently, especially spontaneously or as the result of accident.

- **18.** are a result of dominant alleles in chromosomes.
- **19.** is a self-enforced restraint from indulging in bodily activities that are widely experienced as giving pleasure.
- 20. is a hereditary condition marked by progressive weakening and wasting of the muscles.
- 21. is the process by which the patients or relatives at risk of an inherited disorder are advised of the consequences and nature of the disorder, the probability of developing or transmitting it, and the options open to them in management and family planning.

## <u>Down</u>

- 1. is a physical or biochemical abnormality that is present at birth and that may be inherited or the result of environmental influence.
- 3. is a congenital syndrome caused by excessive consumption of alcohol by the mother during pregnancy, characterized by retardation of mental development and of physical growth, particularly of the skull and face of the infant.

- **5.** is a common grave genetic disease that affects the exocrine glands and is characterized by the production of abnormal secretions, leading to mucus buildup that impairs the pancreas and, secondarily, the intestine. Mucus buildup in lungs can impair respiration. Abbreviated CF.
- **6.** is a period of absence from work granted to a mother before and after the birth of her child.
- **8.** is the action of conceiving a child or of a child being conceived.
- **10.** is a clear, slightly yellowish liquid that surrounds the unborn baby during pregnancy.
- 11. is a congenital split in the roof of the mouth.
- **13.** is a medical procedure used in prenatal diagnosis of chromosomal abnormalities and fetal infections.
- **15.** is a unit of heredity that is transferred from a parent to offspring and is held to determine some characteristic of the offspring.
- 17. is inability to conceive children or young.