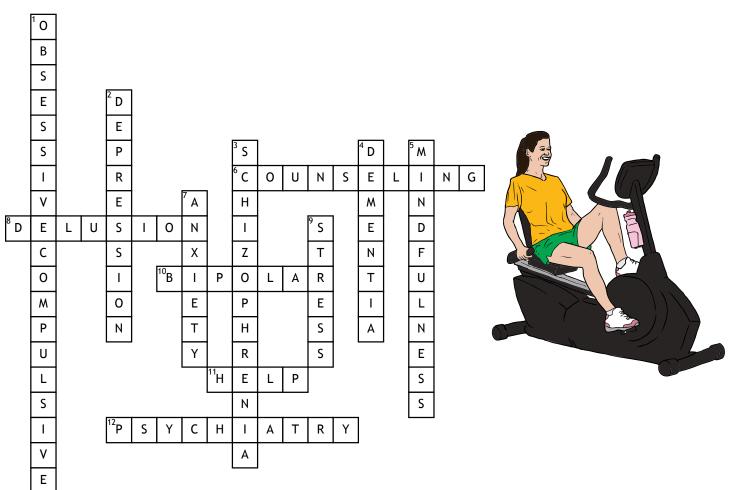
Mental Health Awareness



<u>Across</u>

6. to give advice to; advise 8. an idiosyncratic belief or impression that is firmly maintained despite being contradicted by what is generally accepted as reality or rational argument, typically a symptom of mental disorder

10. a mental health diagnosis characterized by an alternation between varying levels of euphoria and depression

11. to make easier or less difficult; contribute to; facilitate

12. the branch of medicine concerned with the diagnosis and treatment of mental illness

<u>Down</u>

1. having a tendency to dwell on unwanted thoughts or perform certain repetitious rituals, especially as a defense against anxiety from unconscious conflicts

2. sadness; gloom; dejection

3. a disorder that can result in hallucinations, delusions, and extremely disordered thinking and behavior

4. a state of serious emotional and mental deterioration, of organic or functional origin **5.** a technique in which one focuses one's full attention only on the present, experiencing thoughts, feelings, and sensations but not judging them

7. a state of apprehension and psychic tension occurring in some forms of mental disorder

9. a specific response by the body to a stimulus, as fear or pain, that disturbs or interferes with the normal psychological equilibrium of an organism