

Sports Medicine Word Prefixes, Roots, and Suffixes

Quiz #1

1. a/an-	(avascular)	absent, without
2. cyano	(cyanosis)	blue
3. erythro	(erythrocytes)	red
4. leuko	(leukocytes)	white
5. neuro	(neuroplasty)	nerve
6. gastro	(gastroenteritis)	stomach
7. cardio	(cardiac)	heart
8. chondro	(chondromalacia)	cartilage
9. osteo	(osteopenia)	bone
10. peri-	(perisosteum)	surrounding, around
11. brady-	(bradycardia)	slow
12. tachy	(tachycardia)	fast
13. dys-	(dysfunctional)	bad, difficult
14. hyper-	(hypertension)	excessive, increased
15. inter-	(intercostal)	between, among
16. sub-	(subcostal)	under, less, or below
17. hypo-	(hypotension)	deficient or decreased
18. intra-	(intramuscular)	within or inside
19. super/supra	(Supracostal)	above or excessive
20. infra-	(Infraspinatus)	below, beneath
21. angio-	(angioplasty)	vessel
22. myo	(myositis)	muscle
23. patho-	(pathology)	disease
24. para-	(paramedic)	beside, along side of
25. neo-	(neonatal)	new

Quiz #2

1. arthro	(arthroscope)	joint
2. rhino	(rhinorrhea)	nose
3. oto	(otoscope)	ear
4. laryng	(laryngitis)	larynx or throat
5. entero	(gastroenteritis)	small intestine
6. cephalo	(encephalitis)	pertaining to the head
7. -itis	(tonsillitis)	inflammation
8. -ectomy	(tonsillectomy)	surgical removal
9. -plasty	(neuroplasty)	surgical repair
10. -osis	(gastrosis)	abnormal condition
11. -ology	(pathology)	study of
12. -algia	(arthralgia)	pain and suffering
13. -dynia	(coxodynia)	pain
14. -malacia	(chondromalacia)	abnormal softening
15. -megaly	(splenomegaly)	abnormal enlargement
16. -necrosis	(necrosis)	tissue death
17. -stenosis	(arteriostenosis)	abnormal narrowing
18. -graphy	(angiography)	process of recording
19. -gram	(angiogram)	picture or record
20. -scopy	(endoscopy)	visual examination
21. -rrhage	(hemorrhage)	bleeding
22. -rrhea	(diarrhea)	flow or discharge
23. -otomy	(arthrotomy)	surgical incision
24. -osis	(pyrosis)	abnormal condition
25. stasis	(hemostasis)	control