

## Chapter 1 Word Building

Write the word you created on the line provided.

1. The medical term for an abnormal flow commonly known as a runny nose is \_\_\_\_\_. (rhin/o = nose)
2. The term meaning the surgical removal of a kidney is a/an \_\_\_\_\_. (nephro/o = kidney)
3. The term meaning inflammation of the ear is \_\_\_\_\_. (ot/o = ear)
4. The term meaning an enlarged heart is \_\_\_\_\_. (cardi/o = heart)
5. The term meaning inflammation of the liver is \_\_\_\_\_. (hepat/o = liver)
6. The term meaning the visual examination of the interior of a joint is \_\_\_\_\_. (arthro/o = joint)
7. The study of the urinary system is known as \_\_\_\_\_. (ur/o = urine)
8. A specialist in disorders of the blood is known as a/an \_\_\_\_\_. (hemat/o = blood)
9. A surgical incision into the colon is a/an \_\_\_\_\_. (col/o = colon)
10. The medical term meaning inflammation of a vein is \_\_\_\_\_. (phleb/o = vein)
11. A record of the electrical activity of the heart is called an ECG or a/an \_\_\_\_\_. (electro/o = electric and cardi/o = heart)
12. The term meaning abnormal narrowing of an artery is \_\_\_\_\_. (arterio/o = artery)

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1. The medical term for an abnormal flow commonly known as a runny nose is rhinorrhea. (rhin/o = nose)
2. The term meaning the surgical removal of a kidney is a/an nephrectomy. (nephr/o = kidney)
3. The term meaning inflammation of the ear is otitis. (ot/o = ear)
4. The term meaning an enlarged heart is cardiomegaly. (cardi/o = heart)
5. The term meaning inflammation of the liver is hepatitis. (hepat/o = liver)
6. The term meaning the visual examination of the interior of a joint is arthroscopy. (arthr/o = joint)
7. The study of the urinary system is known as urology. (ur/o = urine)
8. A specialist in disorders of the blood is known as a/an hematologist. (hemat/o = blood)
9. A surgical incision into the colon is a/an colotomy. (col/o = colon)
10. The medical term meaning inflammation of a vein is phlebitis. (phleb/o = vein)
11. A record of the electrical activity of the heart is called an ECG or a/an electrocardiogram. (electr/o = electric and cardi/o = heart)
12. The term meaning abnormal narrowing of an artery is arteriostenosis. (arteri/o = artery)