

Chapter 1 Word Building

Part 2

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Regarding nerves (neur/o means nerve)

1. A surgical incision into a nerve is a _____.
2. A benign tumor made up of nerve tissue is a _____.
3. The surgical repair of a nerve or nerves is _____.
4. The term meaning to suture the ends of a severed nerve is _____.
5. Abnormal softening of the nerves is called _____.
6. A specialist in diagnosing and treating disorders of the nervous system is a/an _____.
7. The term meaning inflammation of a nerve or nerves is _____.

Relating to blood vessels (angi/o means relating to the blood vessels)

8. The death of the walls of blood vessels is _____.
9. The abnormal hardening of the walls of blood vessels is _____.
10. The abnormal narrowing of a blood vessel is _____.
11. The surgical removal of a blood vessel is a/ an _____.
12. The process of recording a picture of an artery is called _____.
13. The abnormal softening of a blood vessel is called _____.
14. The rupture of a blood vessel is called _____.

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Regarding nerves (neur/o means nerve)

1. A surgical incision into a nerve is a neurotomy.
2. A benign tumor made up of nerve tissue is a neuroma.
3. The surgical repair of a nerve or nerves is neuroplasty.
4. The term meaning to suture the ends of a severed nerve is neurorrhaphy.
5. Abnormal softening of the nerves is called neuromalacia.
6. A specialist in diagnosing and treating disorders of the nervous system is a/an neurologist.
7. The term meaning inflammation of a nerve or nerves is neuritis.

Relating to blood vessels (angi/o means relating to the blood vessels)

8. The death of the walls of blood vessels is angioneclerosis.
9. The abnormal hardening of the walls of blood vessels is angiosclerosis.
10. The abnormal narrowing of a blood vessel is angiostenosis.
11. The surgical removal of a blood vessel is a/ an angiectomy.
12. The process of recording a picture of a blood vessel is called angiography.
13. The abnormal softening of a blood vessel is called angiomalacia.
14. The rupture of a blood vessel is called angiorrhhexis.