

VOCABULARY REVIEW WORKSHEET

Puzzle-itis Vaccine

In the space provided at right, write the vocabulary term that best matches the clue given. Then write the circled letters in the boxes at the bottom of the page to reveal a purpose of the immune system.

1. type of disease in which the body attacks its own cells □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □
2. kill cells infected with a pathogen □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □
3. resistance to a disease □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □
4. "remember" how to make antibodies for a specific pathogen □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □
5. substance that kills or slows down the growth of bacteria □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □
6. disease in which cells divide at an uncontrolled rate □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □
7. the overreaction of the immune system to harmless antigens □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □
8. the body system that attacks pathogens □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □
9. cells that produce antibodies □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □
10. special protein that attaches to a specific pathogen □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □
11. small piece of a pathogen that generates an immune response □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □
12. diseases that spread from one living thing to another □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □
13. agent that causes an infectious disease □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □
14. cells that engulf microorganisms or viruses □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □
15. use of heat to kill bacteria in food and beverages □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □
16. send word to killer T cells and activate B cells □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □

A purpose of the immune system is to:

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