

Branches of Knowledge: Medical Studies

Instructions: Memorize the following terms and their definitions.

<u>Term</u>	<u>Definition</u>
medicine	the study and practice of diagnosing and treating diseases
neurology	the study of nerves
embryology	the study of embryos
radiology	the study of x-rays and their uses
oncology	the study of tumors
gynecology	the study of organs specific to females
pathology	the study of diseases
psychology	the study of the mind
psychiatry	the study of mental illnesses and the use of drugs to treat them
dentistry	the study of teeth, and the practice of treating them
orthodontics	the study of the alignment of teeth, and the practice of aligning them
optometry	the study of eyes and how to treat them
podiatry	the study of the feet and how to treat them
pediatrics	the study of children and how to treat their illnesses
geriatrics	the study of older people and how to treat their illnesses
chiropractic	the study of the treatment of disorders by making manual adjustments to the body, usually to the spine
acupuncture	the study and treatment of disorders by inserting needles into the skin or muscles

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Instructions: Draw a line from each term to the correct definition, or vice versa.

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Instructions: Define each term in the space provided.

- pediatrics _____
- radiology _____
- optometry _____
- medicine _____
- oncology _____
- pathology _____
- geriatrics _____
- chiropractic _____
- gynecology _____
- podiatry _____
- acupuncture _____
- orthodontics _____
- dentistry _____
- embryology _____
- psychology _____
- psychiatry _____
- neurology _____

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