Substance Abuse Vocabulary

Period			Date
		Word List	
a) Drugb) Medicinec) Side effectd) addiction	e) addictionf) antibioticg) depressanth) inhalant	i) prescription medicinej) stimulantk) tolerance	l) withdrawalm) over the countermedicine

Matching

Match each definition with a word. Write the letter on the line and then write the word out.

1.	an unwanted result of using a medicine	2.	drug used to prevent, treat, or cure an illness or pain
3.	Any substance, other than food, when taken changes the way you think or feel.	4.	This is what we call an action that you are unable to stop or control by yourself. It is harmful.
5.	A drug that speeds up the nervous system and other body systems.	6.	a drug that slows down the nervous system and decreases the rate of certain brain functions
7.	a medicine that can be bought without a doctor's order; bought from the store.	8.	having a strong habit that is hard to give up
9.	Chemical that destroys or weakens disease-causing bacteria.	10.	A legal drug available with a written order from a physician (doctor).
11.	What occurs when the drug abuser stops using the drug they are addicted to.	12.	substance whose fumes are sniffed and inhaled to get high
13.	With many drugs, you need to take more of the drug to get the same effect		

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DIRECTIONS: Find all the words as they are below. After you have found all the words, fill in the spaces below starting with the first unused letter and all the following unused letters in order. You should spell out a statement.

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E	A	C	N	0	S	I	0	P	T	A	R	D	W	0
C	W	0	Y	0	U	G	L	I	S	0	I	0	R	H
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В	I	C	В	E	F	E	G	S	Z	В	В	S	G	H
T	R	R	A	R	0	R	W	L	G	D	Z	I	I	E
W	A	A	Q	В	V	U	C	Y	A	N	I	D	E	A
C	Q	E	I	Z	0	Z	T	W	T	X	U	S	G	R
T	L	M	Z	N	V	T	D	E	A	T	H	L	T	T

ADDICTION	ALCOHOL	BRAIN
CANCER	CARBONMONOXIDE	COCAINE
CYANIDE	DEATH	GANGS
GATEWAY	HEART	HEROIN
INHALANTS	LIVER	LUNGS
NAILPOLISH	NICOTINE	RATPOISON
TAR	TOBACCO	WHITEOUT
WITHDRAWAL		

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Medicine	antibiotic	prescription medicine
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addicted	inhalant	tolerance

Definitions

Drug Any substance, other than food, when taken changes the way you think or feel.

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antibiotic Chemical that destroys or weakens disease-causing bacteria.

depressant a drug that slows down the nervous system and decreases the rate of certain brain functions

inhalant substance whose fumes are sniffed and inhaled to get high

over the counter medicine a medicine that can be bought without a doctor's order; bought from the store.

prescription medicine A legal drug available with a written order from a physician (doctor).

stimulant A drug that speeds up the nervous system and other body systems.

tolerance With many drugs, you need to take more of the drug to get the same effect

withdrawal what occurs when the drug abuser stops using the drug they are addicted to.