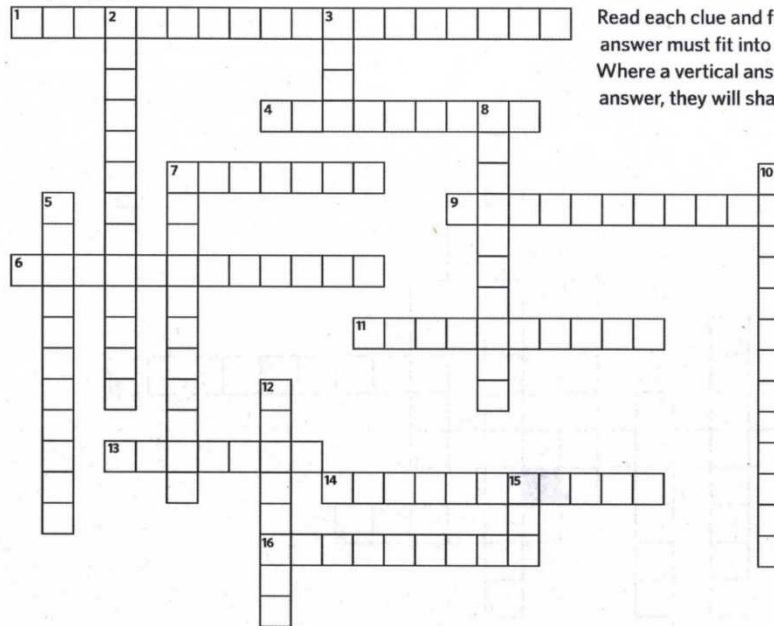


WORLD CONTRACEPTION DAY

Contraceptive Methods Crossword Puzzle



Read each clue and fill in the correct answer. Your answer must fit into the correct number of boxes. Where a vertical answer crosses with a horizontal answer, they will share a box with the same letter.

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1. A woman or girl applies it to her skin like a band-aid; it does not protect against STIs/HIV (two words)
4. A surgical procedure that prevents the male's release of sperm
6. A thin sheath or pouch that a woman or girl inserts into her vagina to prevent sperm from entering her own body (two words)
7. A small rod inserted into the woman or girl's arm
9. The _____ method involves a woman or girl using a thermometer to tell when she is not fertile
11. Pulling the penis out of the vagina before ejaculating
13. A woman or girl takes it daily to prevent pregnancy (common name, two words)
14. A doughnut-shaped device inserted by a woman or girl into her vagina; it does not protect against STIs/HIV (two words)
16. A rubber cup that is filled with spermicide and inserted into the vagina, covering the cervix

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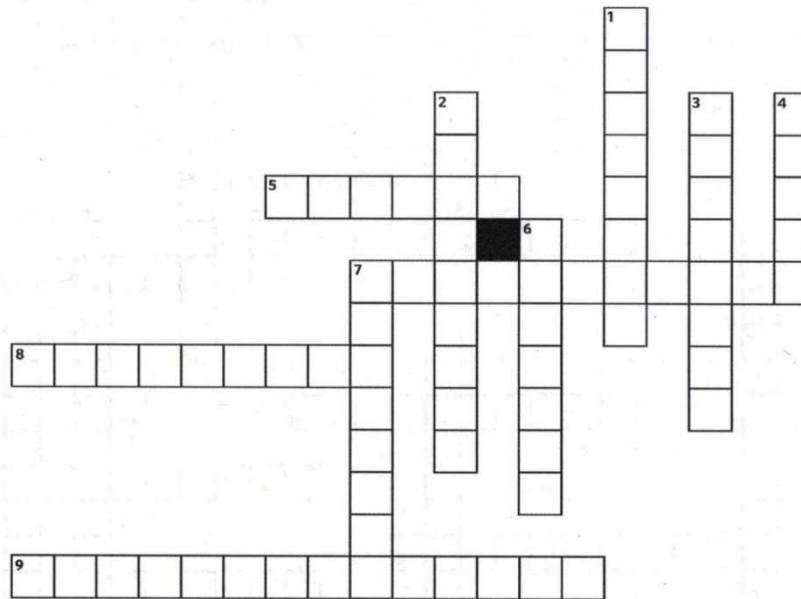
2. An operation in which a woman's fallopian tubes are cut or tied to prevent the egg and sperm from meeting (two words)
3. Inserted into the uterus, and often shaped like a T (abbreviation, plural)
5. Various substances inserted into the vagina to kill sperm (plural)
7. Shots given to a woman or girl periodically to prevent ovulation and thicken cervical mucus (plural)
8. A man or boy wears it on his penis during sex; it prevents pregnancy and protects against STIs/HIV (two words)
10. A woman or girl can tell when she is fertile based on the amount and consistency of her _____ (two words)
12. A woman or girl can calculate when she is fertile by recording her menstrual cycles on a _____.
15. Natural method resulting from breastfeeding (abbreviation)

answer key across: 1. contraceptive patch; 4. vasectomy; 6. female condom; 7. implant; 9. temperature; 11. withdrawal; 13. the pill; 14. vaginal ring; 16. diaphragm. **down:** 2. tubal ligation; 3. IUDs; 5. spermicides; 7. injectables; 8. male condom; 10. cervical mucus; 12. calendar; 15. LAM.

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Reproductive System Crossword Puzzle

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5. The place where a baby develops
7. Forceful release of semen from the penis
8. Time in life when a woman's menstruation ends
9. Ducts connecting the ovaries to the uterus; fertilization takes place here (two words)

down

1. Passing of semen during sleep (two words)
2. Release of an egg from an ovary
3. Place where sperm is produced
4. A thick fluid that is discharged from the penis during ejaculation
6. The process by which a child's body develops rapidly toward becoming an adult body and being able to reproduce
7. Hardening of the penis

answer key across: 5. uterus;
7. ejaculation; 8. menopause;
9. fallopian tubes. **down:** 1. wet
dream; 2. ovulation; 3. testicle;
4. semen; 6. puberty; 7. erection.