

HIT110 Flash Cards Week 1

Term	Meaning
Gastritis (gas-TRY-tis)	Inflammation of the stomach
-osis	Condition
-itis	inflammation
-ac	Pertaining to
Hypertension	Consistent abnormally elevated blood pressure levels.
Colotomy (koh-LOT-oh-mee)	A surgical incision into the colon
-sclerosis	Abnormal hardening
-otomy	Surgical incision
Tonsillitis (ton-sih-LYE-tis)	Inflammation of the tonsils.
-necrosis	Tissue death
-pathy	Disease
Laparoscopy (lap-ah-ROS-koh-pee)	Visual examination of the interior of the abdomen with the use of a laparoscope
-ectomy	Surgical removal of
Hyper-	Excessive or increased
-rrhea	Flow or discharge
Neuroplasty (NEW-roh-plas-tee)	Surgical repair of a nerve or nerves.
Hypotension (high-poh-TEN-shun)	Lower than normal blood pressure.
Peri-	Surrounding
-scopy	Visual examination
Perinatal (pehr-ih-NAY-tal)	Time and events just before, during, and just after birth.
Appendectomy (ap-en-DECK-toh-mee)	The surgical removal of the appendix.

hemi-	Half
Hypo-	Deficient or decreased
-ology	Study of
Tachy-	Fast, rapid
-plasty	Surgical repair
Endo-	Within, in, inside
Poly-	Many
Tonsillectomy (ton-sih-LECK-toh-mee)	Surgical removal of the tonsils.
-megaly	Enlargement