

LIST OF PREFIXES AND SUFFIXES

Prefix/Suffix Quiz 1 (a through oto)

a:	without	amenorrhea
ab:	from, away from, absent	abduct
acro:	extremity, top, extreme point	acromegaly
ad:	to, toward, adherence, increase	adduct
adeno:	gland	adenocarcinoma
amb, ambi:	both, on both sides	ambidexterous
an:	not, without, away from	anaerobic
angi, angio:	blood or lymph vessel	angiography
ante:	before	antepartum
anti:	against	antibiotic
arteri, arterio:	artery	arteriogram
arthro:	joint	arthritis
auto:	self	autoimmune
baro:	pressure, weight	baroreceptor
bi:	double, twice, two	bipolar
bili:	bile	bilirubin
bio:	life	biology
brachio:	arm	brachial
brady:	slow	bradycardia
bronch, bronchi:	bronchi, airway	bronchitis
cardio:	heart	cardiovascular
centi:	hundred, a hundredth	centigrade
cephal, cephalo:	head	cephalic
cervico:	neck	cervical
chole:	gall, bile duct	cholangiogram
cholecysto:	gall bladder	cholecystectomy
circum:	around	circumcision
co, com, con	together	coagulate
colp, colpo:	vagina	colposcopy
contra:	against, opposite	contraindicate
costo:	rib	costovertebral
cyst, cysto:	bladder	cystitis
derm, derma:	skin	dermabrasion
dorsi, dorso:	back	dorsogluteal
dys:	abnormal, bad, difficult, painful	dyspnea
ecto:	outer, on the outside, without	ectopic
en:	in, into	encapsulate
endo:	within	endoscopy
ent, ento:	within, inside	enteral
entero:	intestines	enteritis
epi:	upon, over, at, in addition to, after	epidural