

**Medical Terminology
Respiratory System
Worksheet #1**

Match the terms in the first column with the correct definitions in the second column

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| _____ 1. alveoli | a. large tubes carrying air between the trachea & lungs |
| _____ 2. bronchi | b. passageway for air to the bronchi (windpipe) |
| _____ 3. epiglottis | c. located in the thoracic cavity |
| _____ 4. lungs | d. membrane covering the lungs |
| _____ 5. pharynx | e. located behind the nose, mouth (throat) |
| _____ 6. pleura | f. location of vocal cords |
| _____ 7. trachea | g. air sacs at the end of bronchioles |
| _____ 8. larynx | h. keeps food out of the trachea and larynx |

Fill in the blanks:

1. The partition that separates the nostrils is called a _____.
2. The _____ is a flap of cartilage that prevents food from entering the larynx.
3. The smallest subdivisions of the bronchial tree are the _____.
(small bronchi)
4. The thoracic cavity is separated from the abdominal cavity by the _____.
- 5.

Write the definition of the following combining forms:

1. laryng/o _____
2. bronch/o, bronch/i _____
3. pleur/o _____
4. pneum/o _____
5. tonsill/o _____
6. pulmon/o _____
7. diaphragmat/o _____
8. trache/o _____
9. alveoli/o _____
10. pneumon/o _____
11. thrac/o _____
12. pharyng/o _____
13. rhin/o _____
14. sinus/o _____
15. lob/o _____
16. epiglott/o _____
17. nas/o _____
18. sept/o _____
19. ox/o, ox/i, ox/y _____