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| **Across**  **2.** sodium; stool softener  **6.** beta blocker; antihypertensive; lowers heart rate and blood pressure; Coreg  **7.** inhibits production of uric acid; used to treat gout  **9.** reduces size of prostate and decreases urinary symptoms of BPH  **11.** anti-infective; fluoroquinolones; broad spectrum; used against gram positive (MRSA) and gram negative (E-coli) pathogens  **13.** fat-soluble vitamin that promotes absorption of Ca and Phos  **16.** anti-infective; binds to cell wall membrane to cause cell death against susceptible bacteria; Rocephin  **17.** non-opioid analgesic given for mild to moderate pain; should be limited to 4 grams daily according to the FDA  **20.** low molecular weight heparin; prevention of VTE, DVT, PE  **21.** given to treat high cholesterol and prevent cardiovascular disease  **22.** opioid analgesic used for management of moderate to severe acute pain; binds to CNS opioid receptors to block perception of pain; Buprenex | **Down**  **1.** opioid analgesic; short half-life; often given by IV or patch; CNS depressant  **3.** used to prevent acid reflux/GERD; short-term treatment of duodenal ulcers  **4.** most frequently given by suppository; stimulant laxative  **5.** calcium channel blocker; antihypertensive; works by systemic vasodilation to decrease blood pressure; Norvasc  **8.** NSAID; low dose taken routinely is often recommended to prevent heart attack  **10.** antihypertensive; adrenergic; for management of mild to moderate HTN; inhibits vasoconstriction to reduce blood pressure; Catapres  **12.** benzodiazepine; treats anxiety and panic disorders; Xanax  **14.** opioid analgesic; often combined with guaifenesin or promethazine for cough suppressant that affects parts of the brain to reduce urge to cough  **15.** long-acting insulin that stimulates peripheral glucose uptake by binding to insulin receptors; Levemir  **18.** antidiabetic; promotes insulin secretion and glucose-lowering mechanisms; Byetta  **19.** antibacterial; may be given for pneumonia, sinusitis, acute bronchitis, middle ear infection, urethritis, pertussis, etc; Zithromax |