Alcohol Crossword Puzzle

1. Before starting the puzzle, read all materials about alcohol brought home from health class. Reading first will make completing the puzzle easier.

2. The clues for the puzzle are on Page 2.

3. If you have any problems printing this activity at home, please let your health teacher know in advance of the day of your test. Your health teacher will give you a printed copy for you to take home.
CLUES for Alcohol Crossword Puzzle

Across
2. A person who drinks too much will not have as much of this, making it hard to walk a straight line or drive a car!
4. Cirrhosis is a long-term alcohol abuse disease of this organ.
8. Another word for being drunk.
9. Someone who knows they are physically addicted to alcohol.
10. Overuse of alcohol can cause painful ______, especially in the stomach.
11. B.A.C. stands for blood alcohol content, a _________ of how much alcohol is in the blood.
12. Alcohol can affect the body's functions such as heart rate, blood pressure and ________.
14. Alcohol can change the way a person acts or ______________.
15. Advertising for alcohol is not always _________.
16. Alcohol is not a stimulant, but is this type of drug.

Down
1. One of the three types of alcoholic beverages.
3. Alcohol has no ____________. You would not see it recommended on the food pyramid!
4. The ______ drinking age in NJ is 21.
5. From the stomach, alcohol goes directly into this system, where it quickly travels to the brain and other organs of the body.
6. Overuse of alcohol can lead to an early onset of heart disease and _________.
7. Alcohol can kill brain ______.
13. Your body may become dependent on alcohol. Therefore, alcohol can become _____________________.

If necessary, peek at the word bank on the following page for spelling or for checking your answers when you are done.
WORD BANK for Alcohol Crossword Puzzle

Across: alcoholic, behavior, breathing, coordination, depressant, intoxicated, liver, measurement, true, ulcers

Down: addictive, cells, circulatory, legal, liquor, nutrition, strokes

Optional: After completing the crossword puzzle, write below or tell someone at home what AA is.