

Week 6 List of Prefixes, Suffixes and Roots

Suffix, Root, Prefix	Definition	Example
Troph(o)-	Nourishment, development	heterotroph
Tox(o)-, toxic(o)-	Poison	Toxicology
Thromb(o)-	Clot	Thrombosis
Therm(o)-	Heat	Thermophile
Tetra-	Four	Tetradactyl
-tension	Pressure	Hypertension
Tachy-	Fast	Tachycardia
Uter(o)-	Uterus	Intrauterine device
Uni-	One	Unicellular
-ule	Little, small	Globule
Viv(o)	Life	In vivo
Vir(o)-	Virus	Virology
Vas(o)-	Vessel, duct	Vas deferens
Vaccine(o)-	Vaccine	Vaccination
Xanth(o)-	Yellow	Xanthophyll
Xer(o)-	Dry, dryness	Xerophyte
Xylo-	Wood	Xylum
Endo-	In, within	Endoskeleton
Zyg(o)-	Union, junction, pair, yoke, tied together	Zygote