# **Biology Bricks Keywords**

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#### Cancer

A series of conditions that make cells in the body grow uncontrollably.



## **Tumour**

A type of growth of cells that are sometimes able to spread around the body.



# **Malignant**

A type of tumour that can be harmful and will spread from one place in the body to the next.



## **Benign**

A type of tumour that is not generally harmful and can be removed with simple surgery once only.



#### **Breast Cancer**

A type of cancer that can affect men and women and is more common in women. It affects the mammary glands.



## **Bowel Cancer**

A type of cancer that can happen in both women and men and that affects the internal bowels of the body.



#### **Prostate Cancer**

A type of cancer that is more dominant in men than women, prostate cancer affects the prostate gland beside the bladder.



## **Bone Cancer**

A type of cancer that can affect men and women and affects the cells in your bones.



## **Blood Cancer**

A type of cancer that can affect both men and women and that affects the red blood cells in your circulatory system.



#### **Throat Cancer**

A type of cancer that affects men and women and affects the throat. It can affect several parts of the throat, including the thyroid, windpipe and oesophagus.



# Radiotherapy

Several types of treatment for cancers, radiotherapy is an early treatment method for people with Stage 1 or 2 cancer.



# Chemotherapy

The most well-known treatment for cancers, chemotherapy is a type of medication that kills cancerous cells.



## **Treatment**

For cancer, there are different types of treatment, including radiotherapy, chemotherapy, tablet or injection, and surgery.



# **Surgery**

Surgery can be made on a person that has cancer, which can clear them of it, or remove parts of the cancerous tissues.

