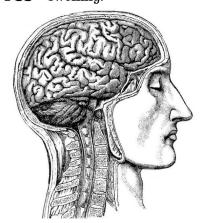
# Group 1: Alkali Metals

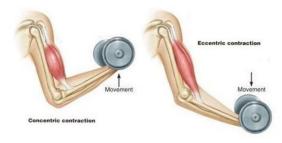
Treatment of bipolar disorders.



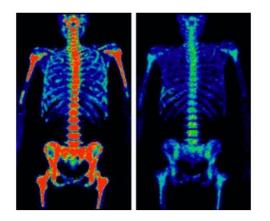
Na Used to reduce brain swelling.



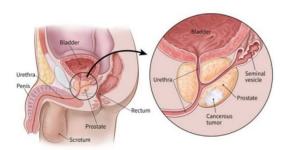
Muscle contraction.



Rb Diagnose heart disease via PET scan.



CS Treatment for prostate cancer.

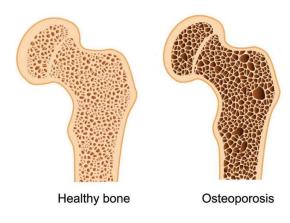


Group 2: Alkali Earth Metals

Mg Treat symptoms of too much stomach acid.

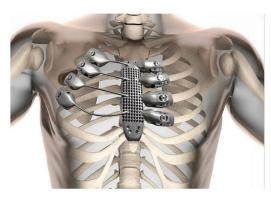


Ca Treatment of osteoporosis.



### **Transition Metals**

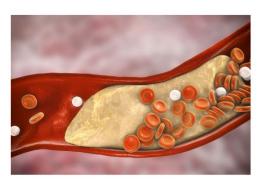
Ti Used in implants.



Sugar control in people with diabetes.



 $\overline{Mn}$  Used to process cholesterol.



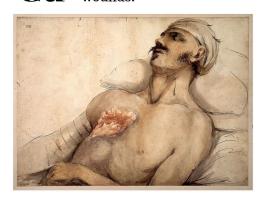
 ${\bf Fe}$  Transport oxygen in blood.



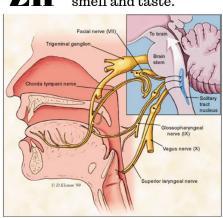
Cobalt therapy to treat cancer,



Treatment of chest wounds.



**Zn** Needed for the sense of smell and taste.

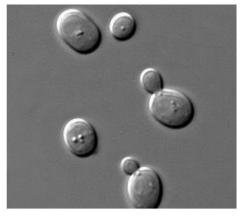


 $\mathbf{Ag}$  Used in wound dressings.



### Group 3: Icosagens

**B** Treat yeast infections in the vagina.



Al Reduce phosphate levels in people with kidney conditions.



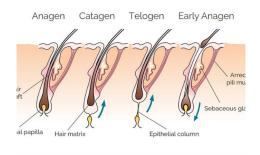
Group 4: Crystallogens

As an insufflation gas for minimal invasive surgery (laparoscopy).



Taken by mouth for hair loss, and improving hair and nail quality.

HAIR GROWTH CYCLE

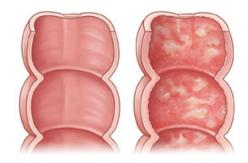


**Group 5: Pnictogens** 

M Gas used in surgical procedures as an anesthetic and analgesic.



**Bi** For inflammation of the lining of the colon (colitis),



#### **Group 6: Chalcogens**

Provide life support for artificially ventilated patients



Taken by mouth for swelling in the back of the throat (pharyngitis)

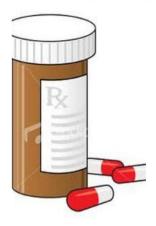


Group 7: Halogens

For preventing bone loss in people with rheumatoid arthritis.



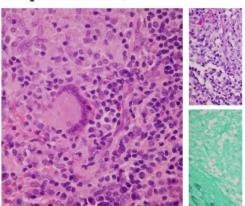
Critical drugs used to treat high cholesterol, anemia, cancer, epilepsy and depression



Br lons used for sedatives, antiepileptics, and tranquillizers.



Used for treating a skin disease caused by a fungus (cutaneous sporotrichosis).



# **Group 8: Noble Gases**

For treating ailments like asthma, and emphysema



 ${
m Ne}^{
m Radiobeam}$  therapy for patinets with paranasal sinus tumours.



In eye surgeries, as a resonator gas in laser devices to create a laser beam.

