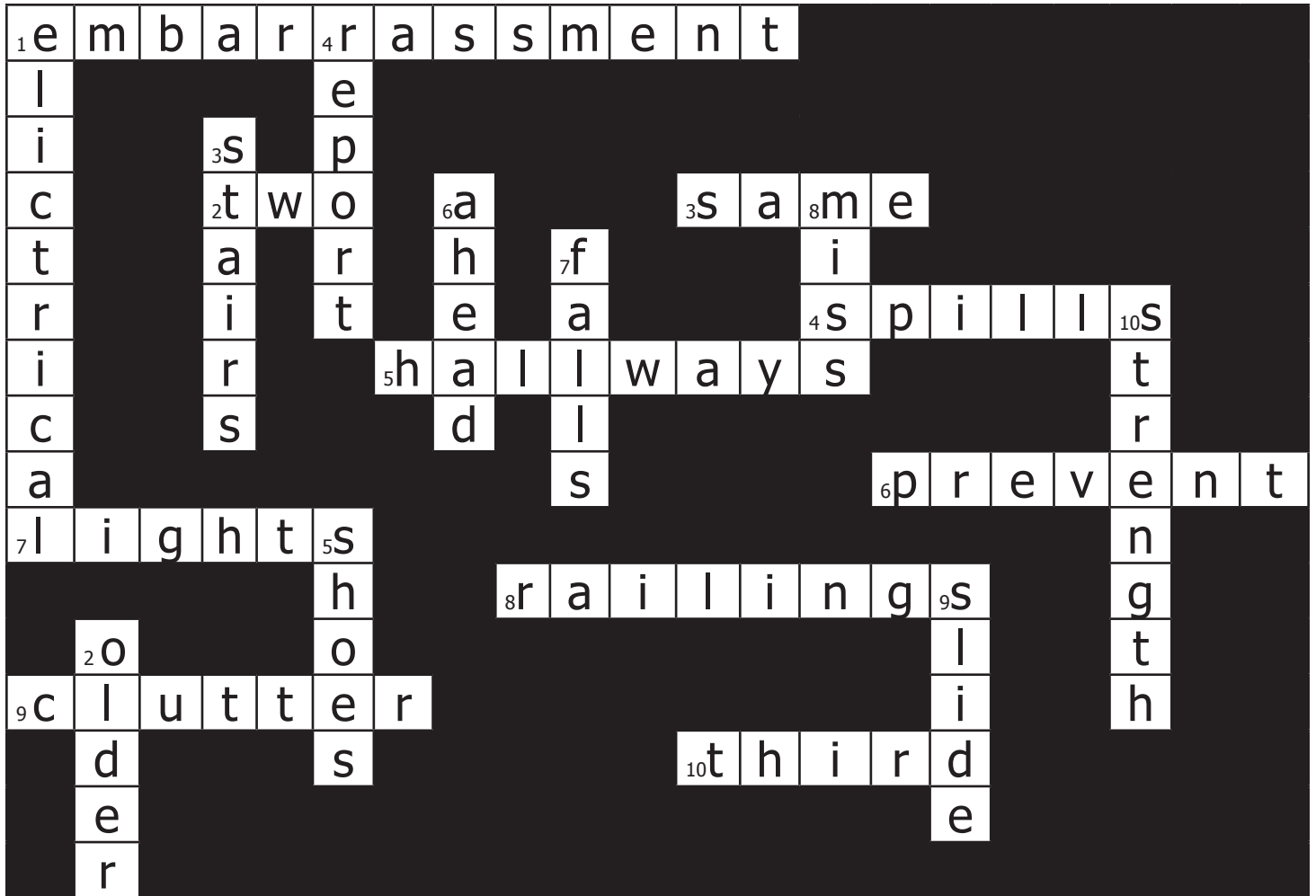


Falls

Crossword Puzzle



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Across

- _____ leads to underreporting of falls.
- Falls are ranked the number ____ workplace fatality.
- When people are injured from a fall, it most often results from a slip, trip, or fall at the ____ level.
- Block access to _____ or other hazards until corrected – don't ignore it.
- Falls can occur anywhere, but the most common locations are doorways, ramps, cluttered _____, areas with heavy traffic, uneven surfaces, and areas prone to wetness.
- Clean surfaces correctly to _____ slipperiness.
- Use _____ in walkway areas.
- Report or fix walking surface hazards or damaged _____ when noticed.
- Remove _____ from doorways, pathways.
- In 2008, Fall Protection was the ____ most common citation issued by the Occupational Safety and Health Administration.

Down

- Hazards around the house, such as _____ cords, rugs, items in walkways or on the stairs, can be eliminated.
- Falls account for 3 million medically-consulted injuries and 17,000 deaths of _____ Americans each year.
- Mark uneven surfaces and _____.
- _____ all falls.
- Make sure you wear the proper _____ when you are at work or at home.
- Scan _____ when walking.
- _____ can be prevented.
- Distractions can lead you to _____ a step, crack, or hole in the ground.
- Use _____-resistant rugs.
- Balance, flexibility, and _____ training improve mobility and reduce the risk of falling.