

**Chapter**  
**36**
**The Nervous System, *continued***
**Reinforcement and Study Guide**
**Section 36.3 The Effects of Drugs**

*In your textbook, read about how drugs act on the body, their medicinal uses, and abuse of drugs.*

**Answer the following questions.**

- 1.** Distinguish between a drug and a medicine.

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- 2.** What is a narcotic?

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- 3.** Compare the effect of a stimulant on the CNS with the effect of a depressant.

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- 4.** What is an addiction?

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- 5.** How does a person's body develop a tolerance for a drug?

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*In your textbook, read about the classes of commonly abused drugs.*

**Complete the table by checking the correct column for each example.**

<b>Example</b>	<b>Stimulant</b>	<b>Depressant</b>
<b>6.</b> Drugs that cause an increase in heart rate		
<b>7.</b> Alcohol		
<b>8.</b> Nicotine		
<b>9.</b> Drugs that increase neurotransmitter levels		
<b>10.</b> Barbiturates		
<b>11.</b> Drugs that cause vasoconstriction		
<b>12.</b> Opiates		
<b>13.</b> Hallucinogens		