Chapter 2: The Integumentary System

Combining Forms

**Tools:**
- Printer
- 8.5” x 11” paper  
  (110-lb cardstock recommended)
- Scissors

**Directions:**
1. Print.
2. Fold paper in half vertically.
3. Cut along dashed lines.
cancer

carcin/o

cold

cry/o

bruising

contus/o

skin

cutane/o
**COMBINING FORM**

- cyan/o
  
  blue

- cyst/o
  
  sac containing fluid

- derm/a, derm/o, dermat/o
  
  skin

- ecchym/o
  
  blood in the tissues
erythemat/o

redness

red

erythr/o

blood

hemat/o

fat

lip/o
causing harm, cancer

malign/o

black

melan/o

fungus

myc/o

death

necr/o
Combing Form

nail

onych/o

disease

path/o

itching

prurit/o

pus

py/o
COMBINING FORM

split

schiz/o

oil or sebum

seb/o

scale-like

squam/o

place

topic/o
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