

glucocorticoid *(glu-co-cor-ti-coid)*

Definition

n. a steroid hormone that is produced by the adrenal cortex of animals; affects functioning of gonads and has antiinflammatory activity

Example Sentence

He took a **glucocorticoid** to help with his inflammation.

Synonyms

steroid hormone; corticosteroids; anti-inflammatory
steroidlike compounds

Antonyms

sugar

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