

# hypertrophy *(hy-per-tro-phy)*

## Definition

n. an increase in the size of an organ or tissue.

## Example Sentence

**Hypertrophy** and hyperplasia frequently occur together.

## More Example Sentences

The doctor explained **hypertrophy** to the class.

## Synonyms

growth; enlargement; increase

## Antonyms

normal organ growth

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