

Only Connect by Serpent

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The completed grid, viewed as 16 (non-overlapping) two-by-two squares, represents an *Only Connect* wall in which each square contains an anagram of a four-letter word. These 16 words can be arranged into four groups each comprising four related words.

Solvers must write the relationship and the members of each of the four groups in the table below.

Across

- 1 Distance man cycled (4)
- 3 Placebo ostensibly fosters adverse reactions (4)
- 6 Priest marrying couples appearing regularly in *Oklahoma* (4)
- 9 Auditor's considerable amount of money (3)
- 11 Predict object without considering the odds (3)
- 13 Supported by potter when required (2,3)
- 15 Seek help from Outpatients initially after funny turn (3,2)
- 17 Shell-like part of cereal plant (3)
- 19 Live away from Institute in Geneva (3)
- 20 Performed piece back-to-front in tumult (4)
- 21 Bears son by 17 (4)
- 22 Pay deducted at source for a long time (4)

Down

- 1 Pole dancing leads to some men taking advantage (4)
- 2 Location of Hollywood mogul's first hit (3)
- 4 Ball of frozen dessert's not set on the outside (3)
- 5 Characters regularly seen in Scottish boozers (4)
- 7 God's gift perhaps dictated style (5)
- 8 Outcast spending a penny gets an unpleasant look (4)
- 10 Player works naked (5)
- 12 Revolutionary poet's rather boring tone (4)
- 14 Scream abruptly, "Will's behind you!" (4)
- 16 Manuscript contains fare's point of departure (4)
- 18 Scrap paper (3)
- 19 Two soldiers wanting one last engagement (3)

Relationship	Words			