

Need another word that means the same as "inhibits"? Find 2 synonyms and 30 related words for "inhibits" in this overview.

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The synonyms of "Inhibits" are: bottle up, suppress

Inhibits as a Verb

Definitions of "Inhibits" as a verb

According to the Oxford Dictionary of English, "inhibits" as a verb can have the following definitions:

- Limit, block, or decrease the action or function of.
- Consciously restrain from showing; of emotions, desires, impulses, or behavior.
- Control and refrain from showing; of emotions, desires, impulses, or behavior.
- Make (someone) self-conscious and as a result unable to act naturally.
- Limit the range or extent of.
- To put down by force or authority.
- Prohibit, forbid, or prevent from doing something.





Synonyms of "Inhibits" as a verb (2 Words)

 $\boldsymbol{bottle}\ \boldsymbol{up}\ Store\ (liquids\ or\ gases)$ in bottles.

Lessen to the point of stopping. She could not **suppress** a rising panic.

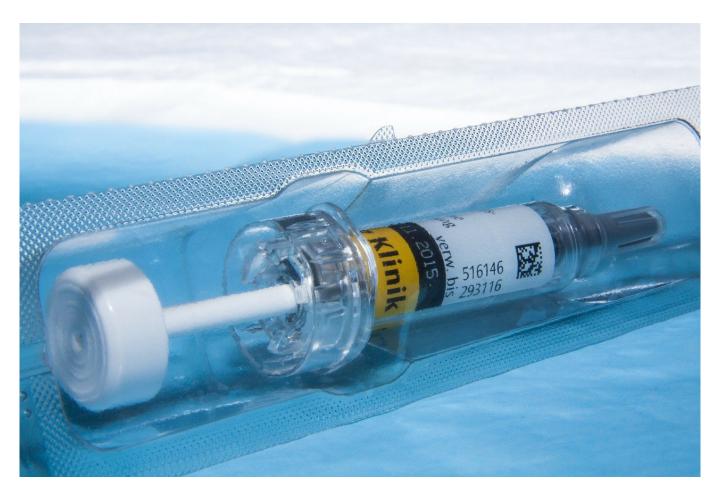




Usage Examples of "Inhibits" as a verb

- His father's cold and distant demeanor inhibited him emotionally.
- Contact between the young was inhibited by strict social customs.
- Inhibit the rate of a chemical reaction.
- Inhibit the action of the enzyme.





Associations of "Inhibits" (30 Words)

abolitionism The doctrine that calls for the abolition of slavery.

Prevent the occurrence of; prevent from happening. avert

Talks failed to avert a rail strike.

Ban from a place of residence as for punishment. **ban**

Smoking is **ban**ned in this building.

Successfully overcome (a problem or weakness. conquer

They ve **conquer**ed new markets in Japan.

Relating to traffic in illegal goods. contraband

The **contraband** market.

Keep to the curb. curb

Both men were instinctively **curb**ing their horses.



An instance of defeating or being defeated.

defeat Don t cheat by allowing your body to droop this **defeat**s the object of the

exercise.

Try to prevent; show opposition to.

deter Strategists think not only about how to **deter** war but about how war

might occur.

forbid Command against.

I was **forbid**den from seeing him again.

forbidden Excluded from use or mention. *A list of forbidden books.*

Prevent or obstruct (an anticipated event or action) by taking advance

forestall action.

He would have spoken but David **forestall**ed him.

hinderHinder or prevent the progress or accomplishment of.

The brace I have to wear is **hinder**ing my movements.

illegalize Declare illegal; outlaw.

inhibition The quality of being inhibited.

A medical **inhibition** of alcoholic beverages.

inhibitor A person who takes out an inhibition.

Come down on or keep down by unjust use of one's authority.

The government **oppress**es political activists.

overpower Overcome by superior force.

They were **overpower**ed by the fumes.

Make impossible, especially beforehand.

preclude Your role in the projects **preclude**s your involvement in the competitive

project.

The quality of being more noticeable than anything else.

predominance The **predominance** of women in such professions as social work and

nursing.

prevent (of God) go before (someone) with spiritual guidance and help.

We must **prevent** the cancer from spreading.

prohibit (of a fact or situation) make (something) impossible; prevent.

The budget agreement had **prohibit**ed any tax cuts.

The prevention by law of the manufacture and sale of alcohol, especially in

the US between 1920 and 1933.

prohibitionIn 1920 the 18th amendment to the Constitution established **prohibition**

in the US.



prohibitory Tending to discourage (especially of prices.

proscriptionRejection by means of an act of banishing or proscribing someone.

The **proscription** of the party after the 1715 Rebellion.

restrain Control (a strong urge or emotion.

Leg cuffs are used for **restrain**ing and transporting violent criminals.

subdue Bring under control by force or authority.

Charles went on a campaign to **subdue** the Saxons.

subjugatePut down by force or intimidation.

The new ruler firmly subjugated to

The new ruler firmly **subjugate**d the Church to the state.

Consciously restrain from showing; of emotions, desires, impulses, or

suppress behavior.

She could not **suppress** a rising panic.

The restraint or repression of an idea, activity, or reaction by something

suppression more powerful.

A **suppression** of the newspaper.

Place under a taboo.

Freud applies his notion of **taboo** in three ways.