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Exploring Endocrine Disorders: When Hormones Go Haywire

Short Answer Key

1. The endocrine system is responsible for releasing hormones into the bloodstream to regulate various functions in the body.
2. Example answer: Diabetes - symptoms include frequent urination, increased thirst, and blurred vision.
3. It's important to diagnose endocrine disorders early to prevent complications and manage symptoms effectively.
4. In diabetes, the pancreas doesn't produce enough insulin.
5. Example answer: Thyroid gland.

