49a A&P: Nervous System -Synaptic Transmission and Central Nervous System



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5 minutes Attendance, Breath of Arrival, and Reminders

10 minutes Lecture:

25 minutes Lecture:

15 minutes Active study skills:

60 minutes Total

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Class Reminders

ABMP Exam Coach

- "Access your ABMP account" using instructions on page A-74
- Familiarize yourself with the ABMP Exam Coach "Study Subjects" section
- Preview the preparation assignments for MBLEx Prep classes (74a, 75a, 80a, 81a, 84a, 86a, 87a)

Assignments:

- 50b Business: Marketing. B-55 for ABMP.com 'Website Builder' instructions
- 53a Internship Review Questions (due before class starts) *turn in hard copy for Tammie to grade not done on Classmarker*
- 55a Review Questions due before class starts

Quizzes and Exams:

 52a Kinesiology Quiz (brachialis, brachioradialis, flexor digitorum superficialis, and extensor digitorum)

Practical Work:

56a and 56b – Internship Orientation and Mock Internship – dress like an Intern

Preparation for upcoming classes:

- 49b Side-lying and Pregnancy Massage: Technique Demo and Practice (Bring 3 pillows - standard size; bring 4 pillowcases - standard size
- 49b Pregnancy Message: **This class cannot be made up in the make-up room.** To schedule a sit-in, please contact the Student Administrator.

Classroom Rules

Punctuality - everybody's time is precious

- Be ready to learn at the start of class; we'll have you out of here on time
- Tardiness: arriving late, returning late after breaks, leaving during class, leaving early

The following are not allowed:

- Bare feet
- Side talking
- Lying down
- Inappropriate clothing
- Food or drink except water
- Phones that are visible in the classroom, bathrooms, or internship

You will receive one verbal warning, then you'll have to leave the room.

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Flex the wrist (radiocarpal joint)

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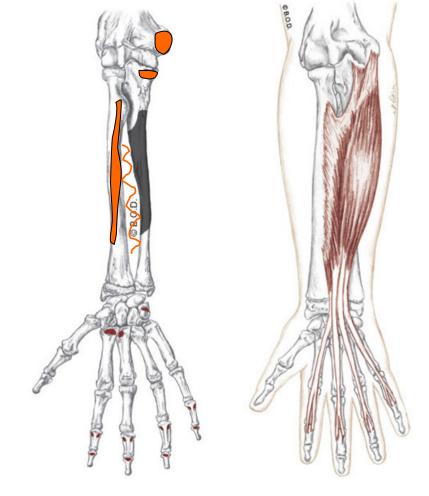
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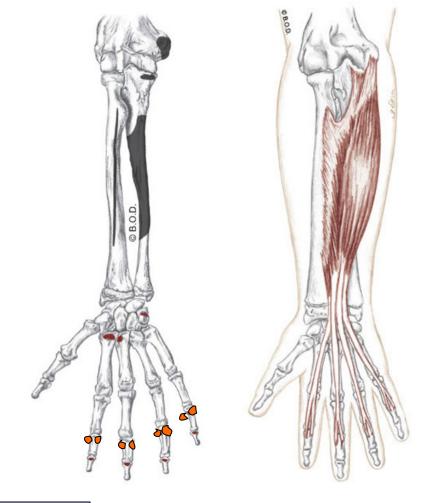
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Synapse

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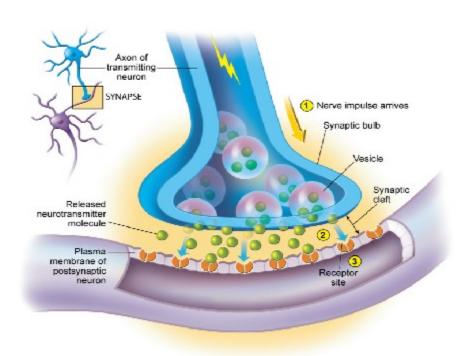
Synaptic bulb

Synaptic cleft

Synaptic vesicle

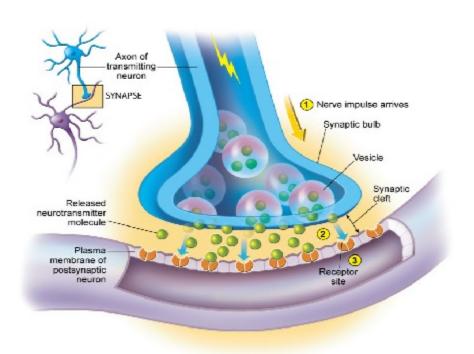
Synapse

Synapse <u>Junction</u> between two neurons or between a neuron and a muscle or gland.



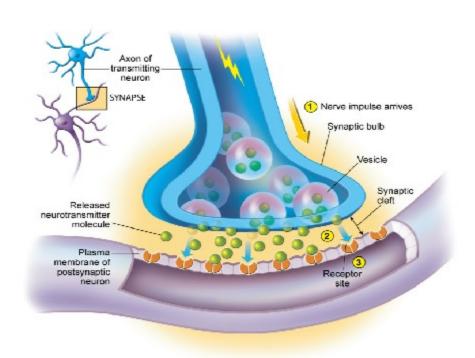
Synaptic Structures

Synaptic bulb Small bulb-like structure on the ends of telodendria. Contains synaptic <u>vesicles</u>.



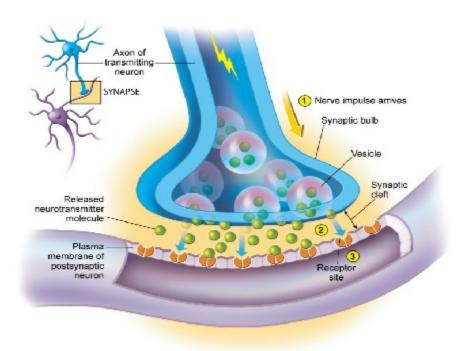
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Synaptic cleft (AKA: synaptic gap) Space between two neurons, or between a neuron and a muscle or gland.



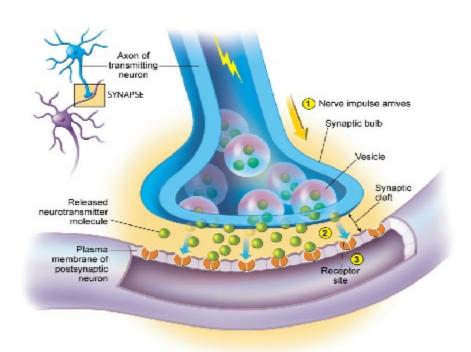
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Synaptic vesicle Sac-like structure located within the synaptic bulbs that contains neurotransmitters.



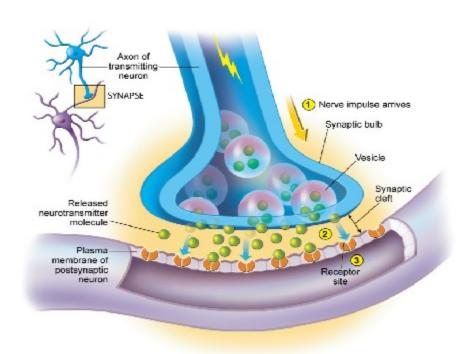
Synaptic Transmission

1. A nerve impulse travels down an <u>axon</u> to a synaptic bulb.



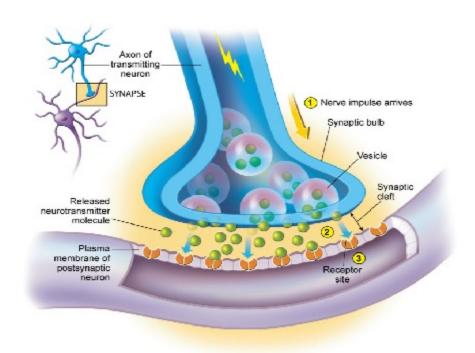
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2. Neurotransmitters travel across the synaptic <u>cleft</u>



Synaptic Transmission

3. The neurotransmitters <u>bind</u> with receptor sites which bring about either an excitatory or inhibitory response depending on which neurotransmitter is being used.



Neurotransmitters

Neurotransmitter Collective term for chemical <u>messengers</u> involved in nerve impulse transmission.

Some examples:

Acetylcholine muscle contraction

Epinephrine regulates fight or flight

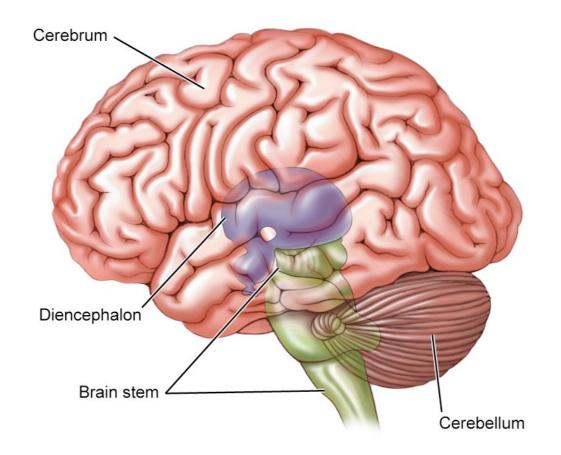
Histamine inflammatory responses

Endorphins pain-reduction

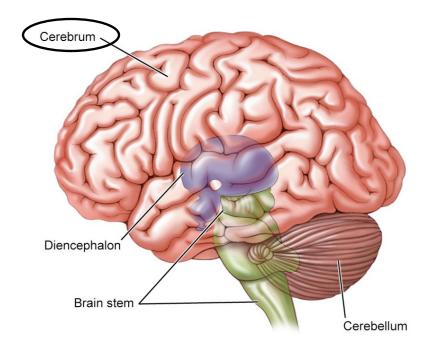
Et cetera

Brain

Brain Central nervous system organ that contains an estimated <u>100</u> billion cells and is divided into 4 major regions.

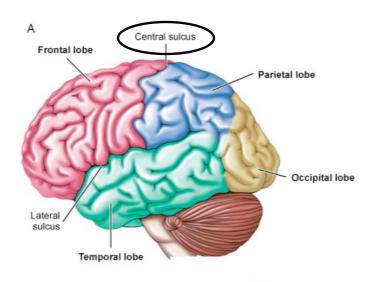


Cerebrum Largest part of the brain. Where vision, smell, taste, and body movements are consciously perceived. Where skeletal muscle movements are initiated. Where emotional and intellectual processes occur.

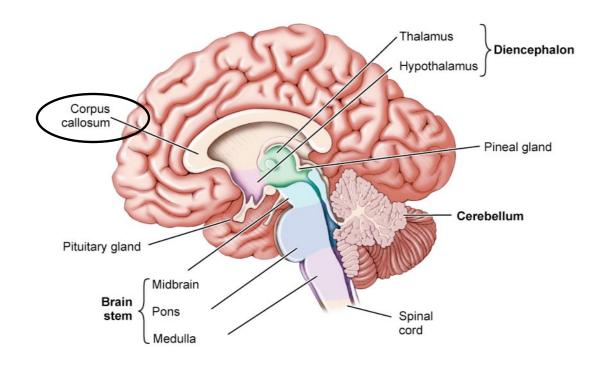


Limbic system Part of the cerebrum that governs emotional aspects of behavior needed for <u>survival</u>, such as sexual feelings, rage, and docility.

Sulci (s. sulcus) Grooves in the outer layer of the <u>cerebrum</u>.Gyri (s. gyrus) Elevated ridges of cerebrum tissue.

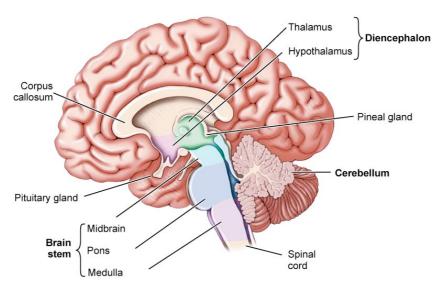


Corpus callosum Large fibrous bundles of transverse fibers which provide a communication pathway for impulses to move from one hemisphere to the other.



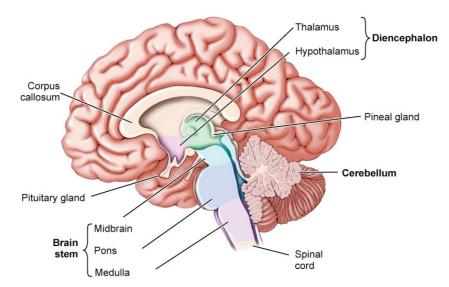
Left hemisphere Cerebral hemisphere that specializes in:

- Receptive and expressive language
- Math
- Reasoning
- Analytical skills



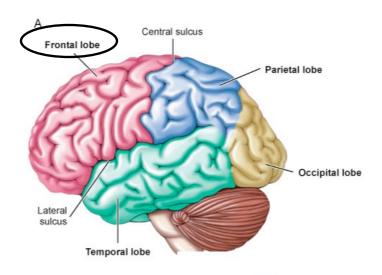
Right hemisphere Cerebral hemisphere that specializes in:

- Sound perception
- Art
- Emotional expression
- Perception and visualization of spatial relationships



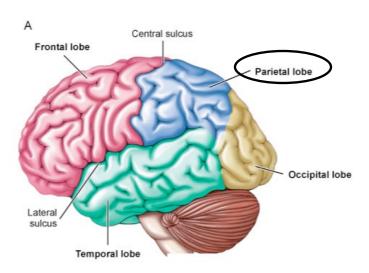
Frontal Lobe Cerebral lobe that regulates:

- Motor output
- Cognition
- Speech production (Broca's area, left hemisphere)



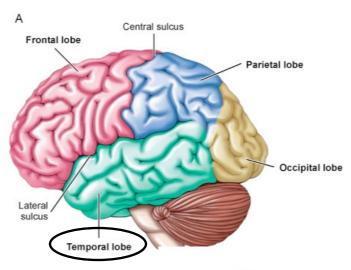
Parietal lobe Cerebral lobe that governs somatosensory input (particularly skin and muscles), and receives information about:

- Proprioception
- Reading
- Taste

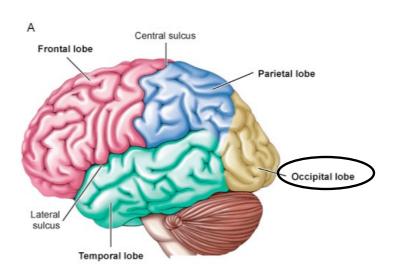


Temporal lobe Cerebral lobe that houses:

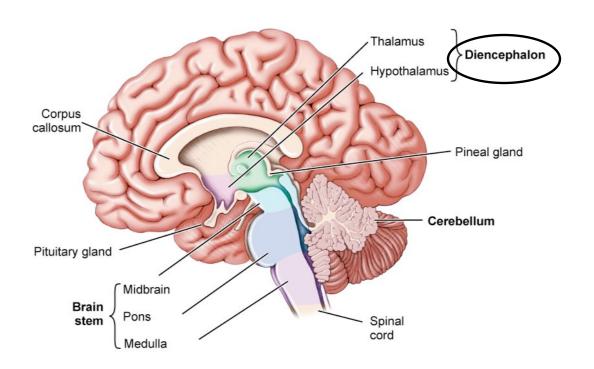
- Auditory areas
- Olfactory areas
- Wernicke area (language comprehension, left hemisphere)



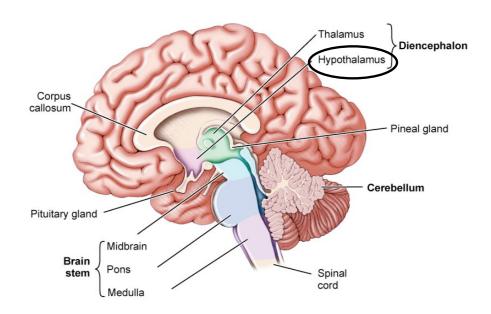
Occipital lobe Cerebral lobe that contains centers for visual input.



Diencephalon Part of the brain that houses the thalamus and the hypothalamus. Also includes the pituitary and pineal glands.

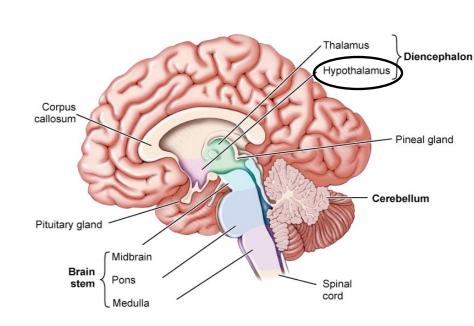


Thalamus Part of the diencephalon that relays sensory information (except olfaction) to appropriate parts of the cerebrum.

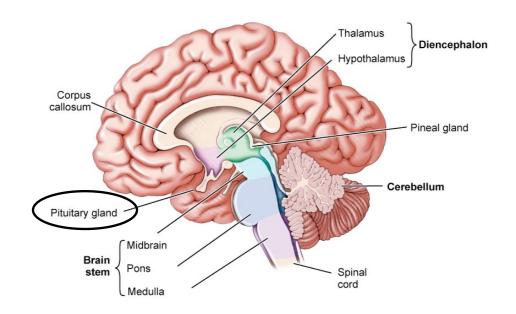


Hypothalamus Part of the diencephalon that governs and regulates the autonomic nervous system and pituitary gland. Controls:

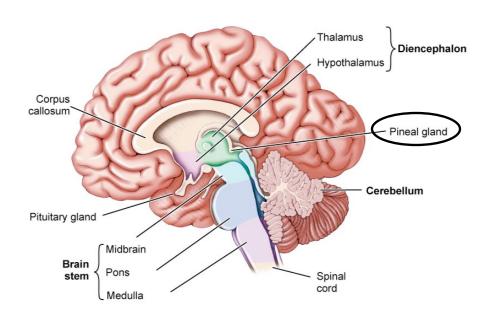
- Hunger
- Thirst
- Temperature
- Anger
- Aggression
- Hormone release
- Sexual behavior
- Sleep patterns
- Consciousness



Pituitary Bi-lobed gland that extends from the hypothalamus. Its hormones control and stimulate other glands to produce and secrete their hormones. Sits in the sella turcica of the sphenoid.



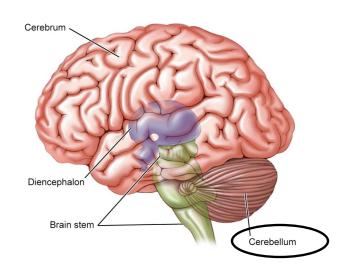
Pineal Gland located on the posterior aspect of the brain's diencephlon. Produces and secretes melatonin.



Cerebellum

Cerebellum Second largest part of the brain. Located posterior and inferior to the cerebrum. Involved with:

- Muscle tone
- Coordination of skeletal muscles
- Balance
- Control of fine and gross motor skills

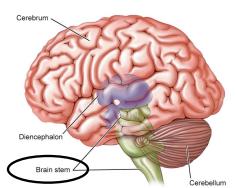


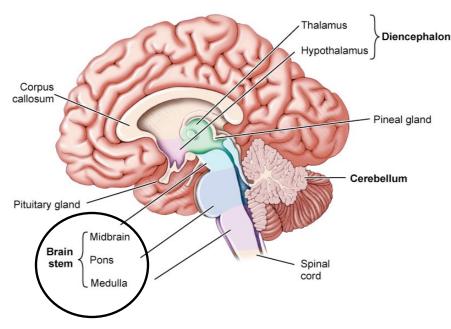
Brainstem Part of the brain that is continuous with the spinal cord. Has three main divisions:

Mid-brain

Pons

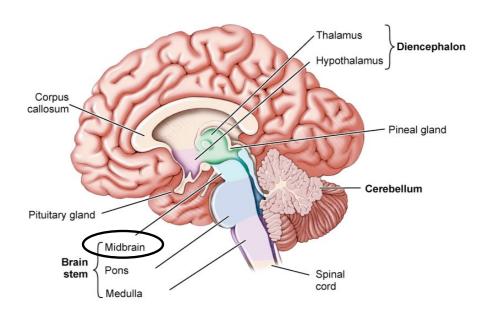
Medulla oblongata



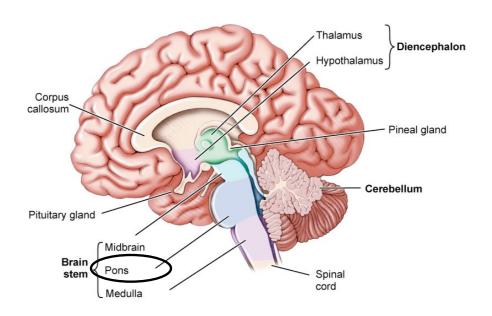


Mid-brain Part of the brain stem that conducts:

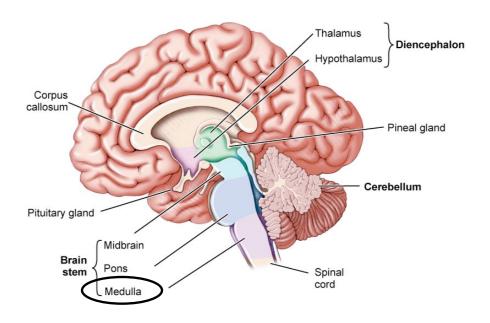
- Nerve impulses from the cerebrum to the pons
- Sensory impulses from the spinal cord to the thalamus



Pons Part of the brainstem that connects the cerebellum and cerebrum to the spinal cord.



Medulla oblongata Part of the brainstem that conducts sensory and motor impulses between other parts of the brain and the spinal cord.



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