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#### Preface

*Ross and Wilson* has been a core text for students of micrographs and photographs have been included to anatomy and physiology for over 50 years. This latest provide detailed and enlightening views of many anaedition continues to be aimed at healthcare professionals tomical features.

including nurses, students of nursing, the allied health This edition is accompanied by a companion professions and complementary therapies, paramedics website (https://evolve.elsevier.com/Waugh/anatomy/) and ambulance technicians, many of whom have found with over 100 animations and an extensive range of previous editions invaluable. It retains the straightforonline self-test activities that reflect the content of each ward approach to the description of body systems and chapter. The material in this textbook is also supported how they work. The anatomy and physiology of health is by the new 4th edition of the accompanying study guide, supplemented by new sections describing common which gives students who prefer paper-based activities age-related changes to structure and function, before the opportunity to test their learning and improve their considering the pathology and pathophysiology of some knowledge.

important disorders and diseases.

The features from the previous edition have been The human body is presented system by system. The retained and revised, including learning outcomes, a list reader must, however, remember that physiology is an of common prefixes, suffixes and roots, and extensive integrated subject and that, although the systems are conin-text chapter cross-references. The comprehensive glossidered in separate chapters, all function cooperatively to sary has been extended. New sections outlining the implimaintain health. The first three chapters provide an overcations of normal ageing on the structure and function of view of the body and describe its main structures. body systems have been prepared for this edition. Some The later chapters are organised into three further secbiological values, extracted from the text, are presented tions, reflecting those areas essential for normal body as an appendix for easy reference. In some cases, slight function: communication; intake of raw materials and variations in 'normals' may be found in other texts and elimination of waste; and protection and survival. Much used in clinical practice.

of the material for this edition has been revised and rewritten. Many of the diagrams have been revised and,

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## Common prefixes, suffixes and roots

## Prefix/suffix/root

To do with

## Examples in the text

a-/an-

lack of

anuria, agranulocyte, asystole, anaemia

ab-

away from

abduct

ad-

towards

adduct

-aemia

of the blood

anaemia, hypoxaemia, uraemia, hypovolaemia

angio-

vessel

angiotensin, haemangioma

ante-

before, in front of

anterior

anti-

against

antidiuretic, anticoagulant, antigen, antimicrobial

baro-

pressure

baroreceptor

-blast

germ, bud

reticuloblast, osteoblast

brady-

slow

bradycardia

broncho-

bronchus

bronchiole, bronchitis, bronchus cardheart cardiac, myocardium, tachycardia cholebile cholecystokinin, cholecystitis, cholangitis circumaround circumduction cyto-/-cyte cell erythrocyte, cytosol, cytoplasm, cytotoxic dermskin dermatitis, dermatome, dermis ditwo disaccharide, diencephalon dys-

### difficult

dysuria, dyspnoea, dysmenorrhoea, dysplasia -ema swelling oedema, emphysema, lymphoedema endoinner endocrine, endocytosis, endothelium enterintestine enterokinase, gastroenteritis epiupon epimysium, epicardium erythrored erythrocyte, erythropoietin, erythropoiesis exooutside exocytosis, exophthalmos

extra-

outside

extracellular, extrapyramidal

-fferent

carry

afferent, efferent

gast-

stomach

gastric, gastrin, gastritis, gastrointestinal

-gen-

origin/production

gene, genome, genetic, antigen, pathogen, allergen

-globin

protein

myoglobin, haemoglobin

haem-

blood

haemostasis, haemorrhage, haemolytic

hetero-

different

heterozygous

homo-

the same, steady

homozygous, homologous

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COMMON PREFIXES, SUFFIXES AND ROOTS

## Prefix/suffix/root

To do with

## Examples in the text

-hydr-

water

dehydration, hydrostatic, hydrocephalus

hepat-

liver

hepatic, hepatitis, hepatomegaly, hepatocyte

hyper-

excess/above

hypertension, hypertrophy, hypercapnia

hypo-

below/under

hypoglycaemia, hypotension, hypovolaemia intrawithin intracellular, intracranial, intraocular -ism condition hyperthyroidism, dwarfism, rheumatism -itis inflammation appendicitis, hepatitis, cystitis, gastritis lactmilk lactation, lactic, lacteal lymphlymph tissue lymphocyte, lymphatic, lymphoedema lyso-/-lysis breaking down lysosome, glycolysis, lysozyme -megalarge

megaloblast, acromegaly, splenomegaly, hepatomegaly

micro-

small

microbe, microtubules, microvilli

myo-

muscle

myocardium, myoglobin, myopathy, myosin

neo-

new

neoplasm, gluconeogenesis, neonate

nephro-

kidney

nephron, nephrotic, nephroblastoma, nephrosis

neuro-

nerve

neurone, neuralgia, neuropathy

-oid

resembling

myeloid, sesamoid, sigmoid

olig-

small

oliguria

-ology

study of

cardiology, neurology, physiology

-oma

tumour

carcinoma, melanoma, fibroma

-ophth-

eye

xerophthalmia, ophthalmic, exophthalmos

-ory

referring to

secretory, sensory, auditory, gustatory

os-, osteo-

bone

osteocyte, osteoarthritis, osteoporosis

-path-

disease

pathogenesis, neuropathy, nephropathy

-penia

deficiency of

leukopenia, thrombocytopenia

phag(o)-

eating

phagocyte, phagocytic

-plasm

substance

cytoplasm, neoplasm

pneumo-

lung/air

pneumothorax, pneumonia, pneumotoxic

poly-

many

polypeptide, polyuria, polycythaemia

-rrhagia

excessive flow

menorrhagia

-rrhoea

discharge

dysmenorrhoea, diarrhoea, rhinorrhoea sarcomuscle sarcomere, sarcoplasm -scler hard arteriosclerosis, scleroderma subunder subphrenic, subarachnoid, sublingual tachyexcessively fast tachycardia, tachypnoea thromboclot thrombocyte, thrombosis, thrombin, thrombus -toxpoison toxin, cytotoxic, hepatotoxic

tri-

three

tripeptide, trisaccharide, trigeminal

-uria

urine

anuria, polyuria, haematuria, nocturia, oliguria

vas, vaso-

vessel

vasoconstriction, vas deferens, vascular

Х

## Key

Orientation compasses are used beside many of the figures, with paired directional terms above and below and on each side of the compass.

A

A/P: anterior/posterior. This indicates that the figure

S

S/I: superior/inferior. This indicates that the figure has

has been drawn from above or below using a transverse

L

R

been drawn from the front, side or the back using either

## A

section, and shows the relationship of the structures to a sagittal or frontal section, and shows the relationship of

Р

the front/back of the body.

#### I

the structures to the top/bottom of the body.

## L/R: left/right.

#### P/A: posterior/anterior.

e.g. Figure 16.20 e.g. Figure 7.42 S P A A I L R Vagus nerve Common

Р

carotid

artery

Oesophagus

## Anterior aspect

Trachea

Cardiac

Vertebral

Body

plexus

Arch of

foramen

aorta

Right

Pedicle

Pulmonary

bronchus

trunk

Transverse

Vertebral

Heart

process

Right

arch

pulmonary

artery

Stomach

Lamina

Diaphragm

Superior articular

Spinous

process

process

S

S/I: superior/inferior.

Р

P/D: proximal/distal. This indicates the relationship of

M/L: medial/lateral. This indicates that the figure has

Μ

L

the structures to their point of attachment to the body.

L

М

been drawn using a sagittal section, and shows the

## L/M: Lateral/medial.

I

relationship of the structures to the midline of the body.

D

e.g. Figure 16.35

e.g. Figure 7.35 (posterior view)

Scaphoid

S

S

Capitate

Lunate

Trapezium

Triquetrum

L

Μ

М

L

Trapezoid

Pisiform

I

I

Axillary

Hamate

1st

Radial nerve

(circumflex)

metacarpal

nerve

5th

Radial nerve

Radial

metacarpal

behind

Proximal

nerve

humerus

phalanx

Distal

Median nerve

Proximal

Ulnar nerve

phalanx

phalanges

Radial

Ulnar

nerve

nerve

Branch

Median

of radial

nerve

Middle

nerve

phalanges

Ulnar

Radial
nerve
nerve
Р
L
Μ
Distal
Anterior view
Posterior view
D

phalanges

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KEY

To help you locate bones of the skeleton, some artwork has either a skull or skeleton orientation icon beside it with the bone(s) under discussion clearly coloured.

e.g. Figures 16.17 and 16.39

Coronoid

S

Facet for articulation

process

with acetabulum of pelvis

L

Μ

Condylar

Neck

process

Articular

I

surface for

temporo-

Greater

Head

mandibular

trochanter

joint

Ramus

Intertrochanteric

Lesser

line

trochanter

Body

Angle

S

A

Р

Alveolar ridge

I

*Figure 16.17* 

Linea aspera

Popliteal

surface

Lateral

Medial

condyle

condyle

Facets for articulation

with tibia

*Figure 16.39* 

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SECTION 1The body and its constituentsThe human body is rather like a highly technical and

sophisticated machine. It operates as a single entity, but is made up of a number of systems that work interdependently. Each system is associated with a specific function that is normally essential for the well-being of the individual. Should one system fail, the consequences can extend to others, and may greatly reduce the ability of the body to function normally. Integrated working of the body systems ensures survival. The human body is therefore complex in both structure and function, and this book uses a systems approach to explain the fundamental structures and processes involved.

Anatomy is the study of the structure of the body and the physical relationships between its constituent parts. *Physiology* is the study of how the body systems work, and the ways in which their integrated activities maintain life and health of the individual. *Pathology* is the study of abnormalities and *pathophysiology* considers how they affect body functions, often causing illness. Most body systems become less efficient with age. Physiological decline is a normal part of ageing and should not be confused with illness or disease although some conditions do become more common in older life. Maintaining a healthy lifestyle can not only slow the effects of ageing but also protect against illness in later

# Figure 1.1 Coloured scanning electron micrograph of some nerve cells (neurones).

life. The general impact of ageing is outlined in this chapter and the effects on body function are explored in more detail in later chapters.

The final section of this chapter provides a framework distinguished by their size, shape and the dyes they for studying diseases, an outline of mechanisms that absorb when stained in the laboratory. Each cell type has cause disease and some common disease processes. Buildbecome *specialised*, enabling it to carry out a particular ing on the normal anatomy and physiology, a systems function that contributes to body needs. Figure 1.1 shows approach is adopted to consider common illnesses at the some highly magnified nerve cells. The specialised funcend of the later chapters. tion of nerve cells is to transmit electrical signals (nerve impulses); these are integrated and co-ordinated allowing the millions of nerve cells in the body to provide a rapid and sophisticated communication system. In complex

#### Levels of structural complexity

organisms such as the human body, cells with similar structures and functions are found together, forming

#### Learning outcome

*tissues*. The structure and functions of cells and tissues are After studying this section, you should be able to: explored in Chapter 3.

Organs are made up of a number of different types of
describe the levels of structural complexity within tissue and have evolved to carry out a specific function. the body.

Figure 1.2 shows that the stomach is lined by a layer of epithelial tissue and that its wall contains layers of smooth muscle tissue. Both tissues contribute to the functions of Within the body are different levels of structural organithe stomach, but in different ways. sation and complexity. The most fundamental of these is *Systems* consist of a number of organs and tissues chemical. *Atoms* combine to form *molecules*, of which there that together contribute to one or more survival needs is a vast range in the body. The structures, properties and of the body. For example the stomach is one of several functions of important biological molecules are considorgans of the digestive system, which has its own speered in Chapter 2.

cific function. The human body has several systems, *Cells* are the smallest independent units of living matter which work interdependently carrying out specific and there are trillions of them within the body. They functions. All are required for health. The structure are too small to be seen with the naked eye, but when and functions of the body systems are considered in magnified using a microscope different types can be later chapters.

1.1





Introduction to the human body CHAPTER 1

Atoms

Molecules