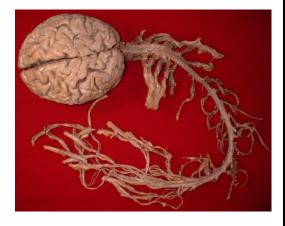
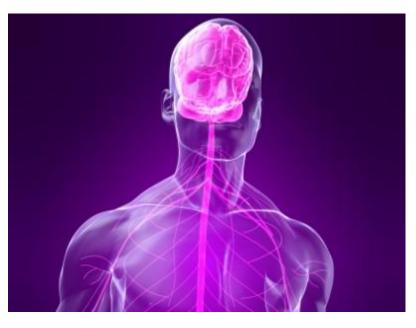
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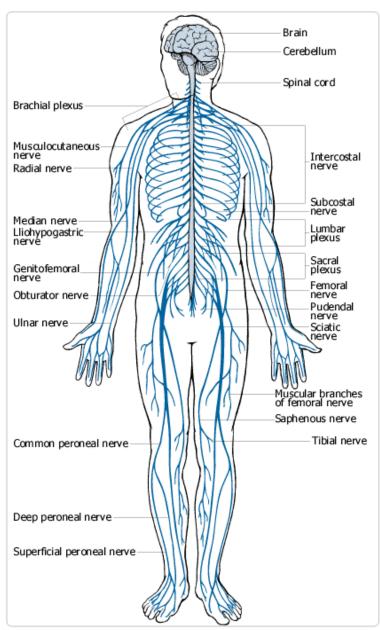




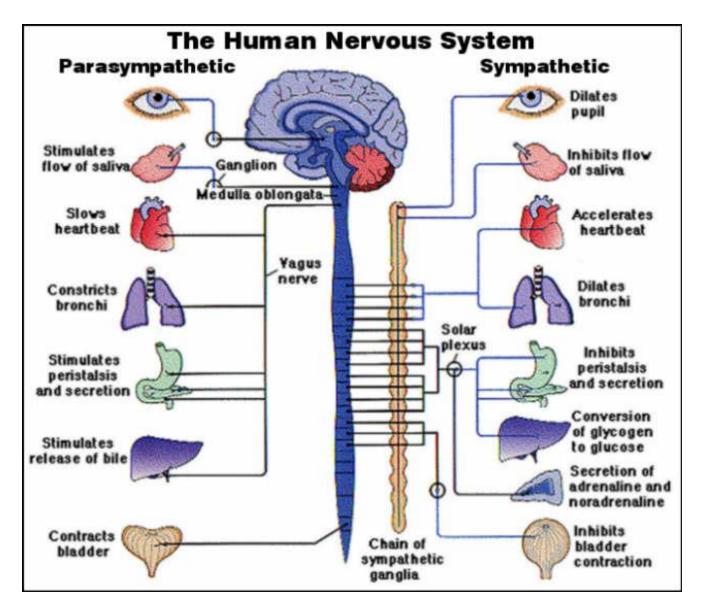
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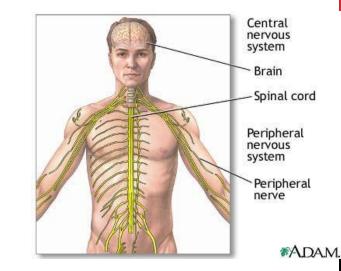


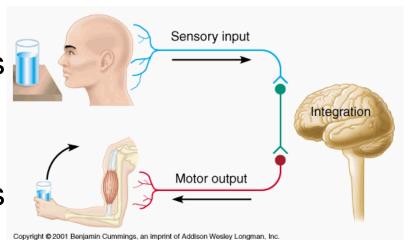
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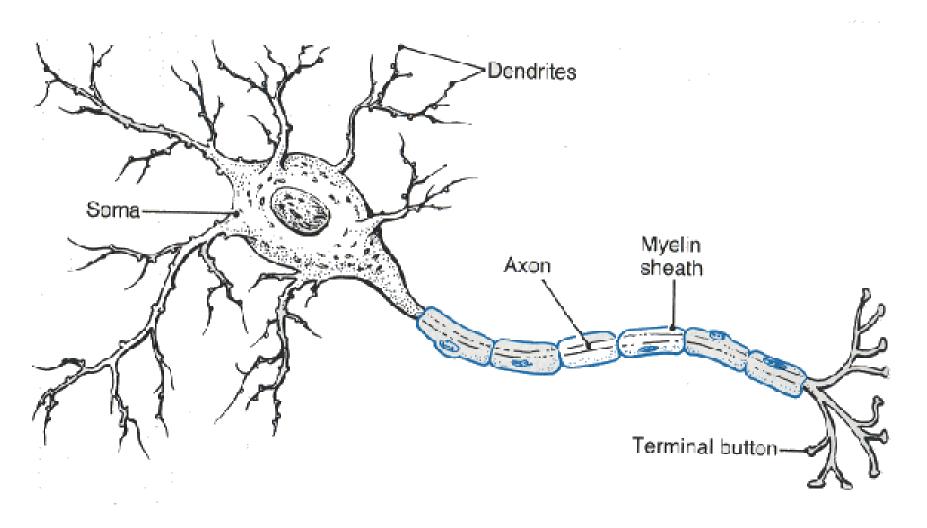
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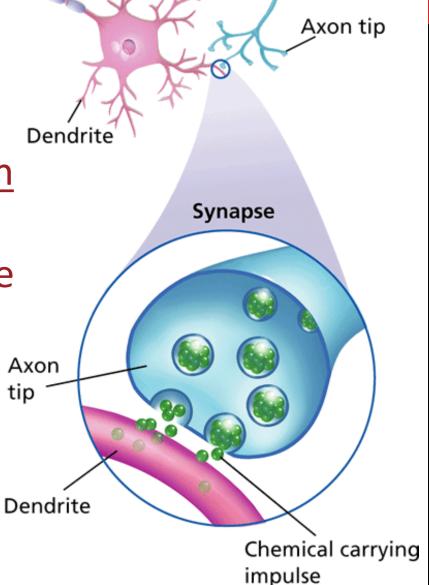
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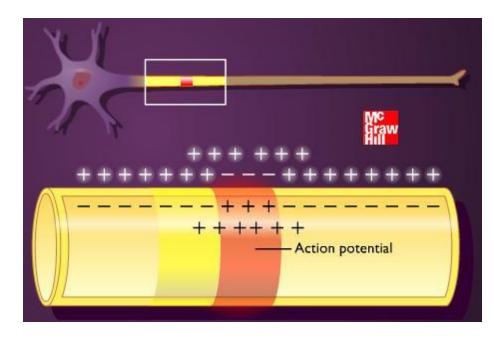
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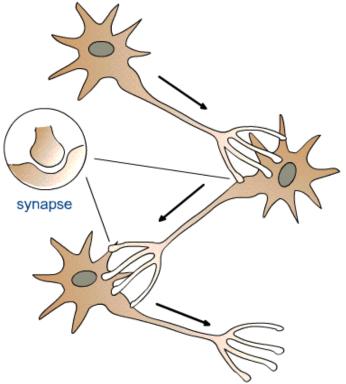
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- <u>These neurotransmitters</u> <u>carry electrochemical</u> <u>impulses</u>!



## **ELECTROCHEMICAL IMPULSES**

- Electrochemical impulses <u>travel along neurons to give</u> your body instructions and send signals to your brain!
- Your nerves and brain are made up of many neurons <u>that communicate with one another</u> by sending these impulses



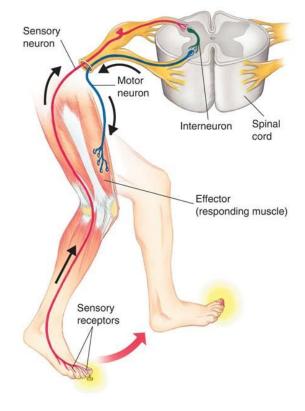


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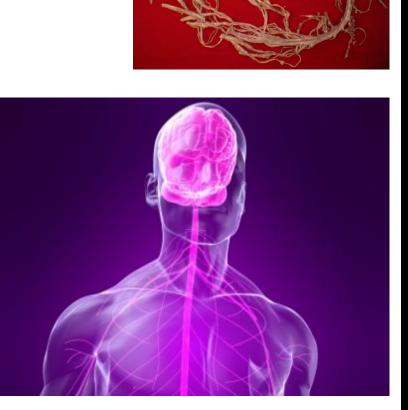
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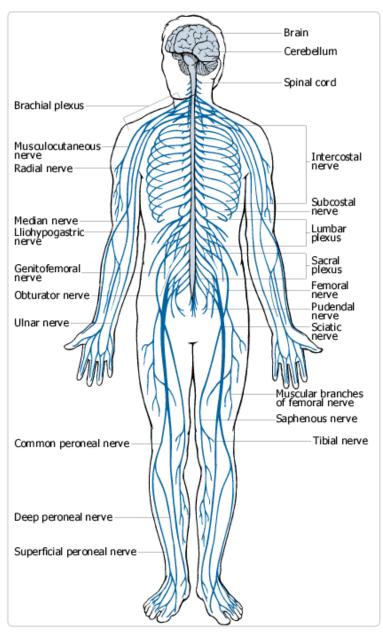
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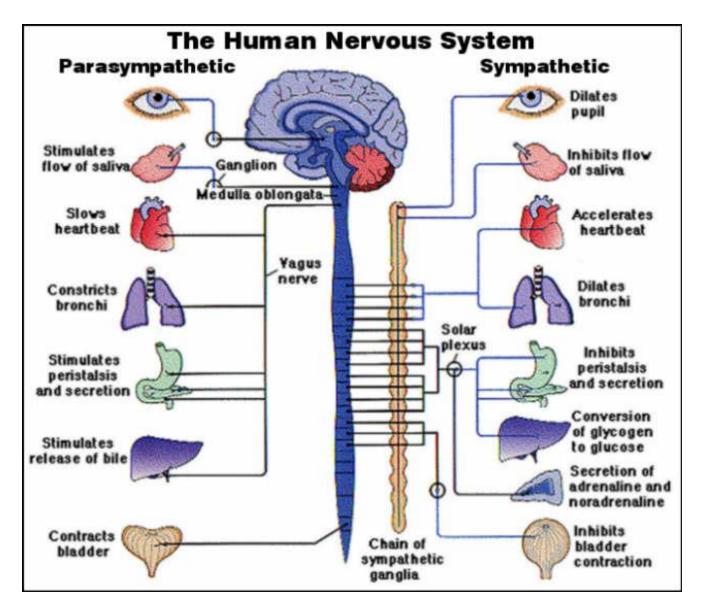
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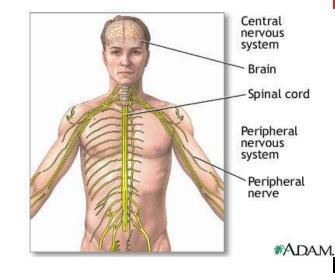
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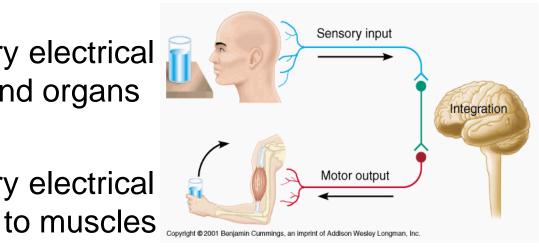
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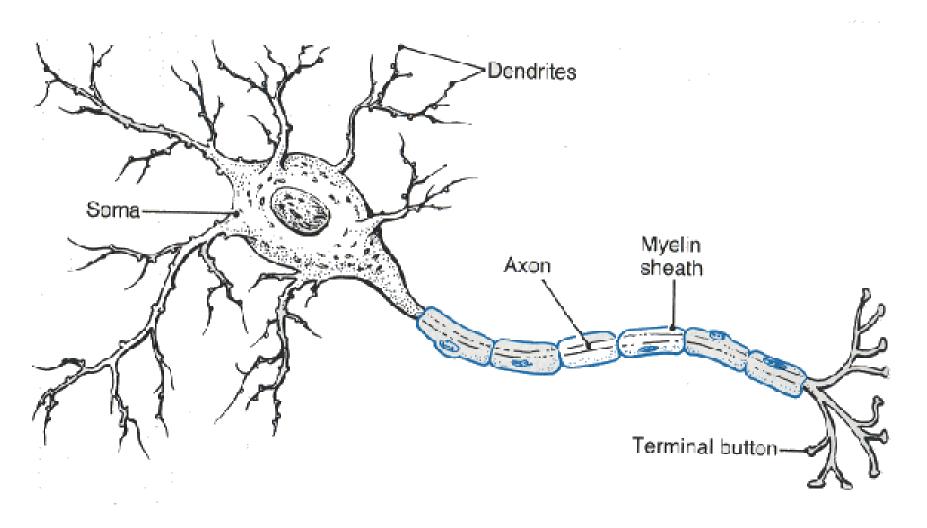
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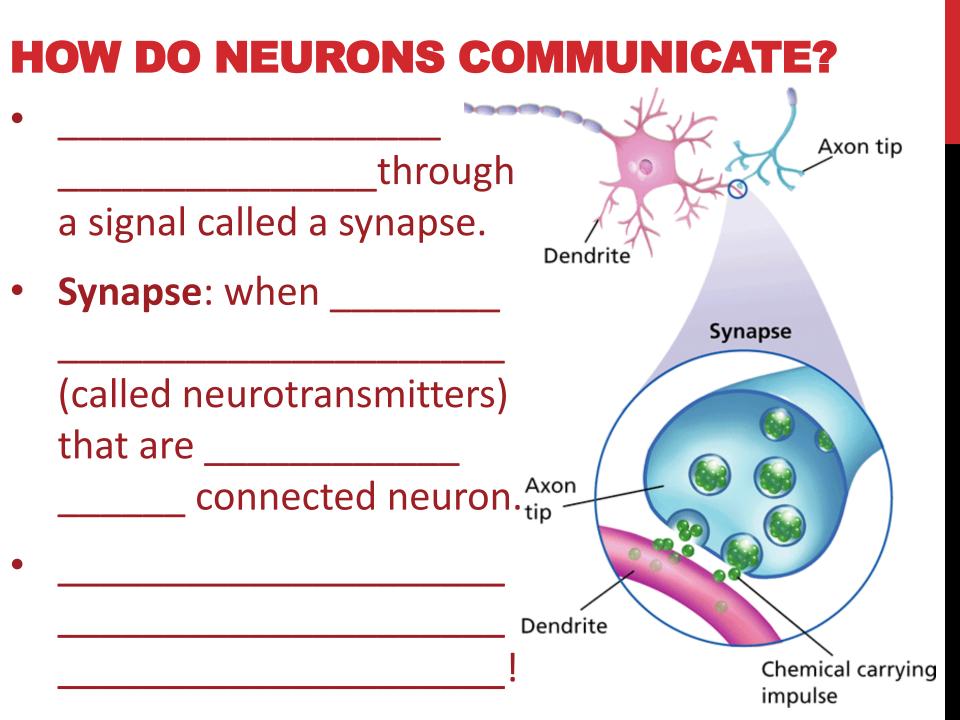
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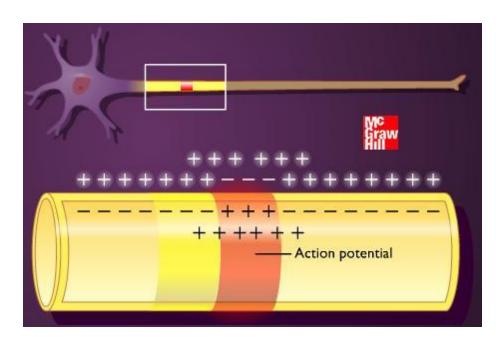
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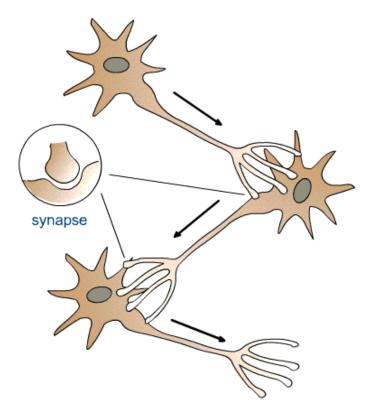


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