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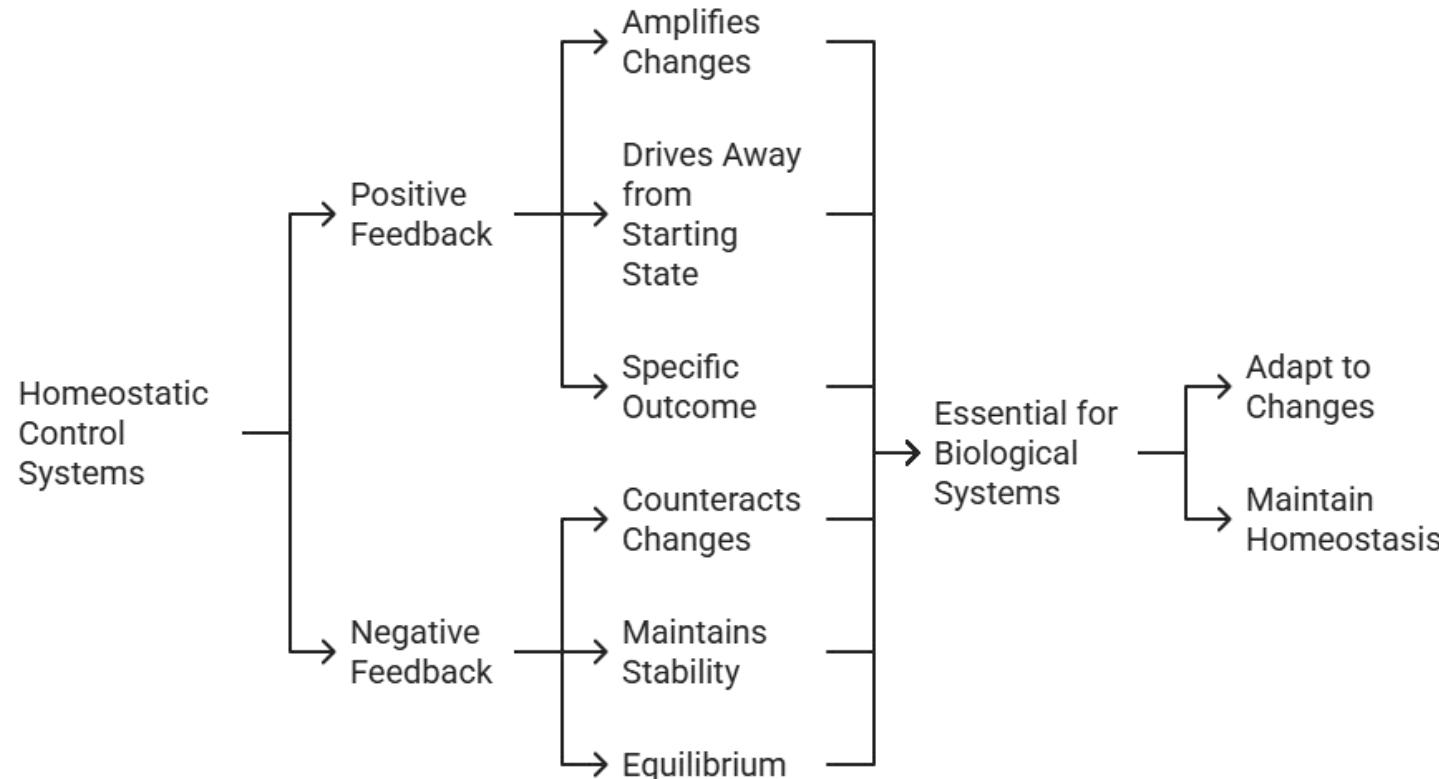
TOPIC 4 : HOMEOSTASIS

DESIGN THINKING IN HOMEOSTASIS

- ✓ **Empathize:** Deeply understand the challenges, needs, and experiences of body cells, tissues, and organs in maintaining balance.
- ✓ **Define:** Reframe the problem based on insights from the empathize phase and establish clear context.
- ✓ **Ideate:** Brainstorm and explore a wide range of ideas and potential solutions, including feedback mechanisms or regulatory systems.
- ✓ **Prototype:** Simulate and build models of homeostatic controls to enhance understanding and application.

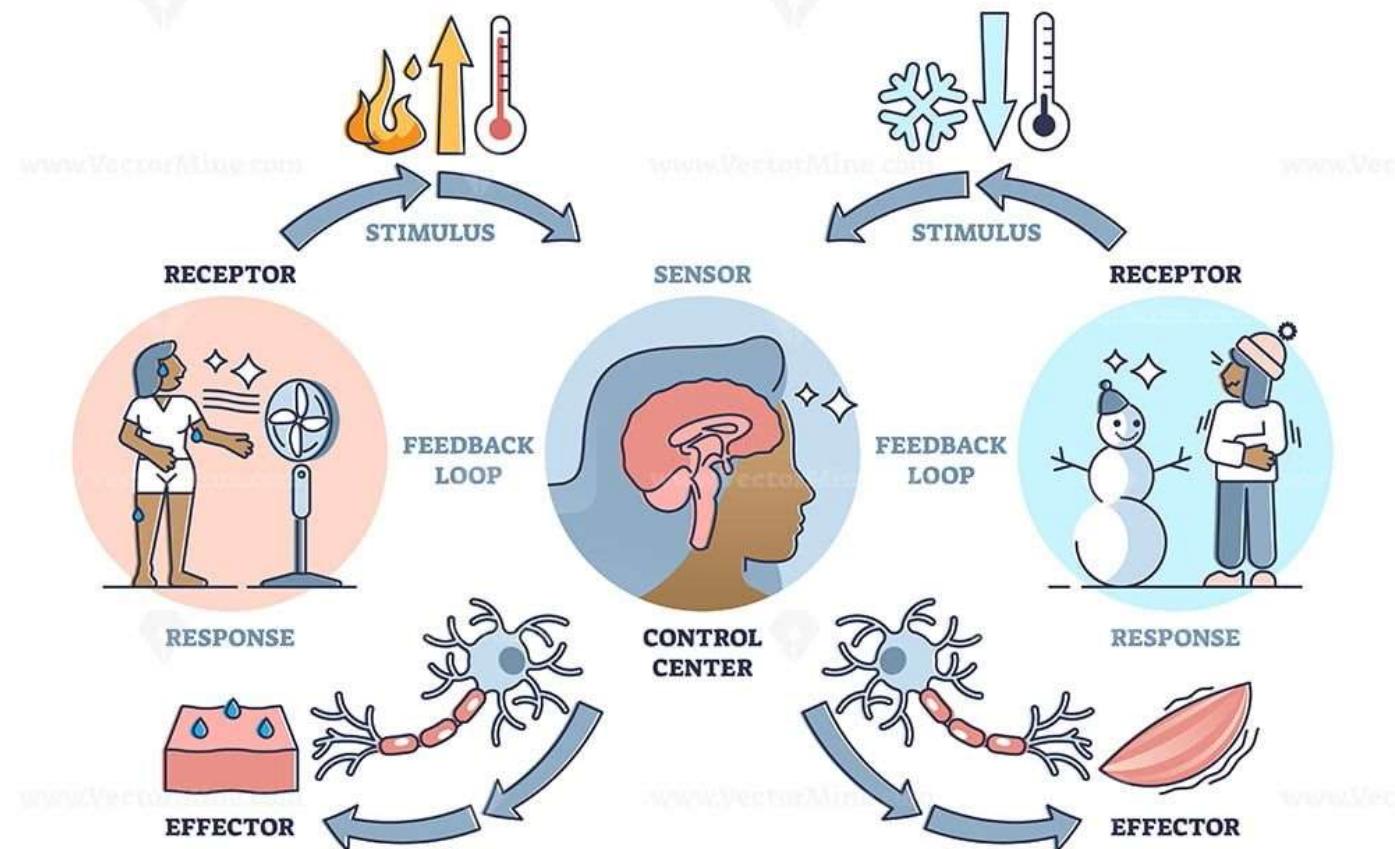
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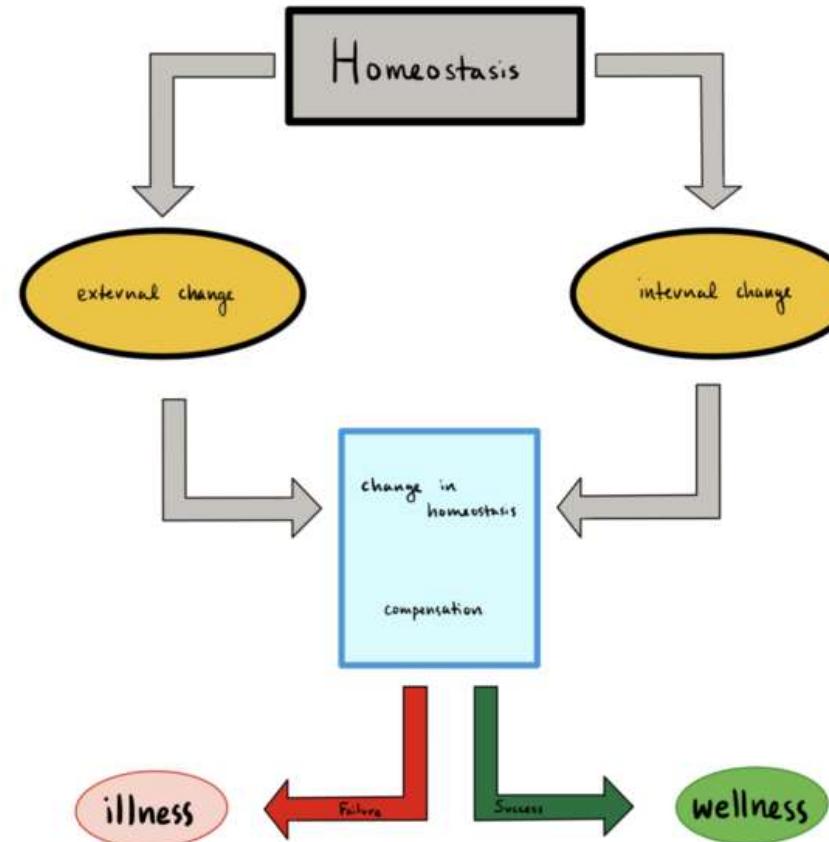
Homeostatic Control Systems



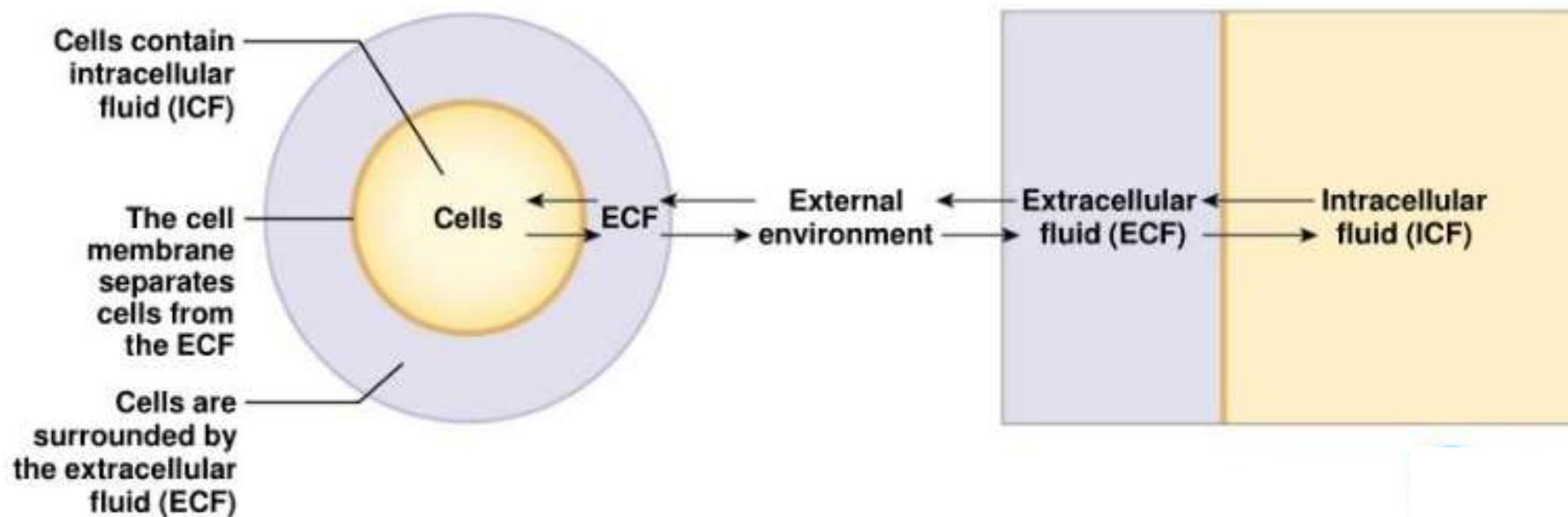
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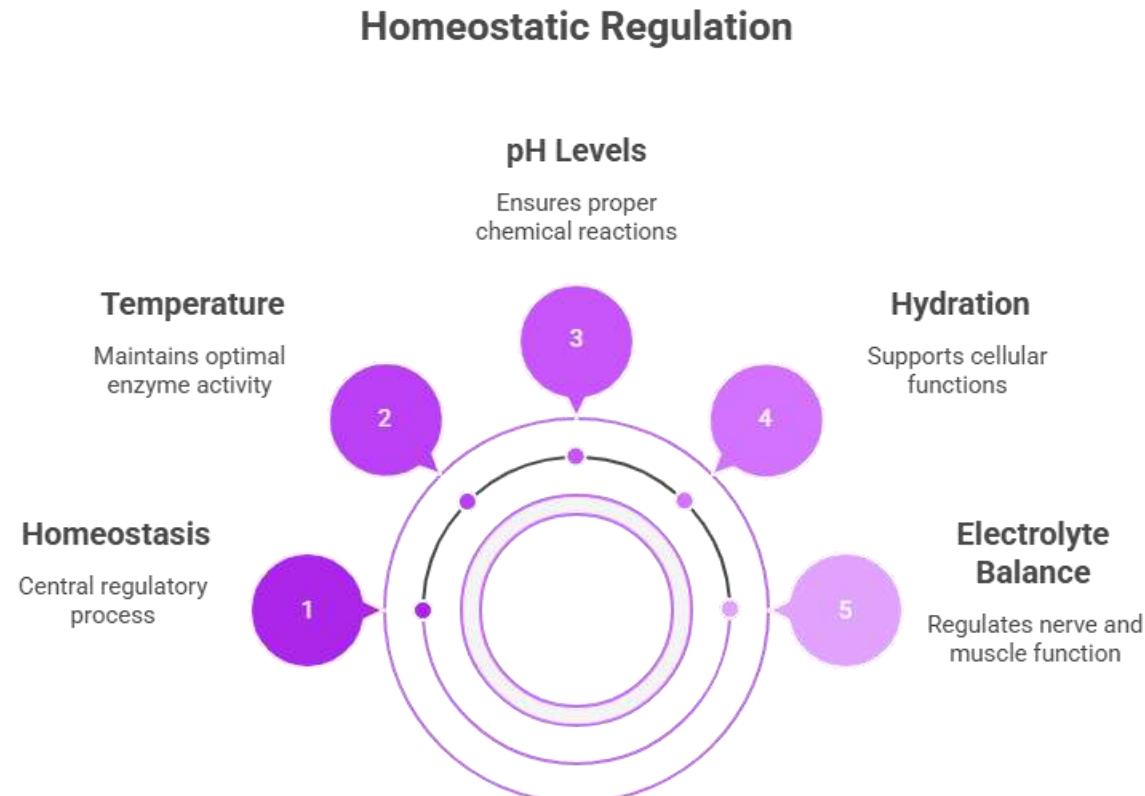




THE INTERNAL & EXTERNAL ENVIRONMENT



IMPORTANCE OF HOMEOSTASIS



TYPES OF FEEDBACK MECHANISMS

Positive vs. Negative Feedback in Homeostasis

What is positive feedback?

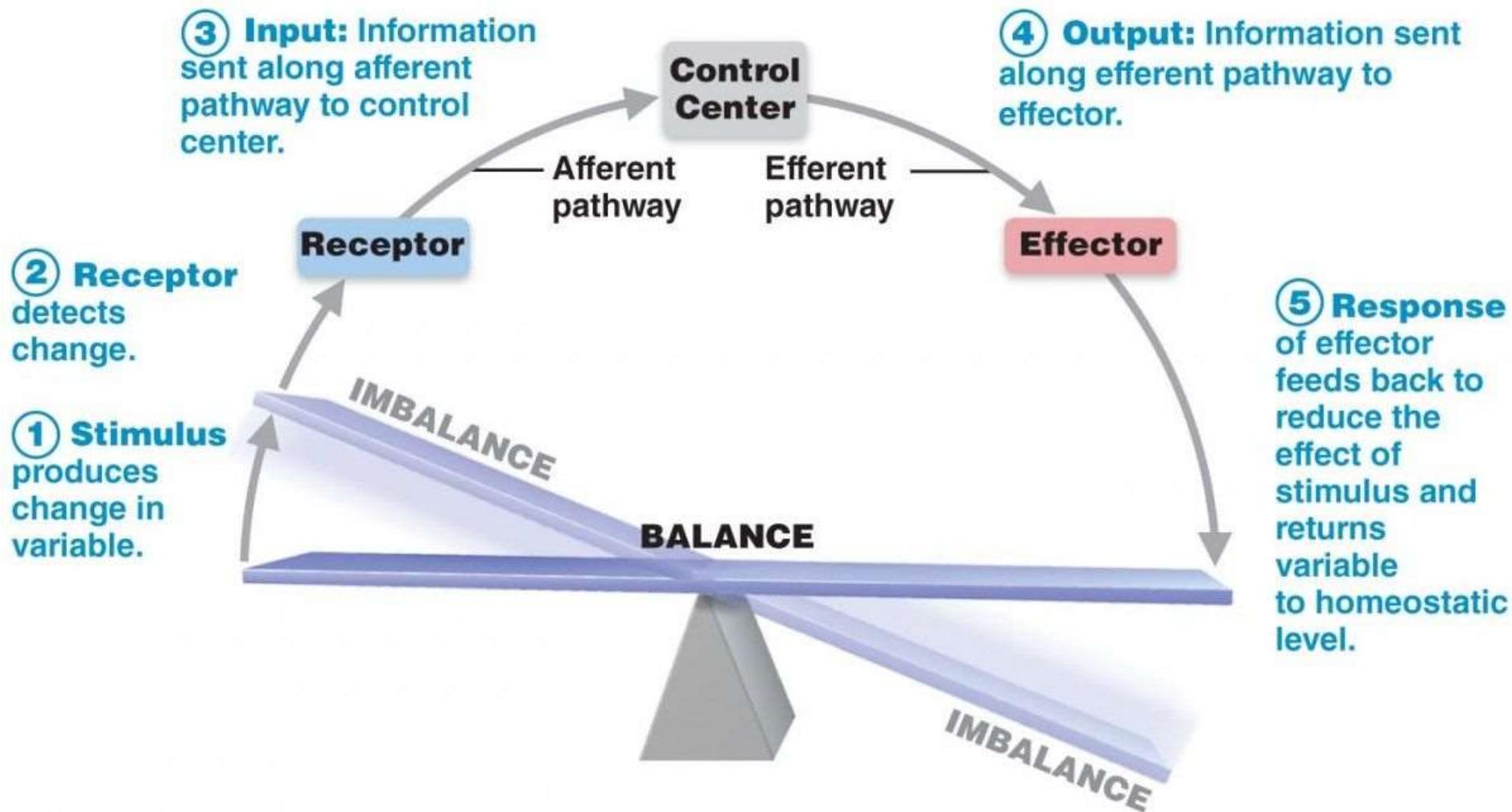
It amplifies changes and drives systems away from their starting state, often leading to a specific outcome, such as childbirth.

What is negative feedback?

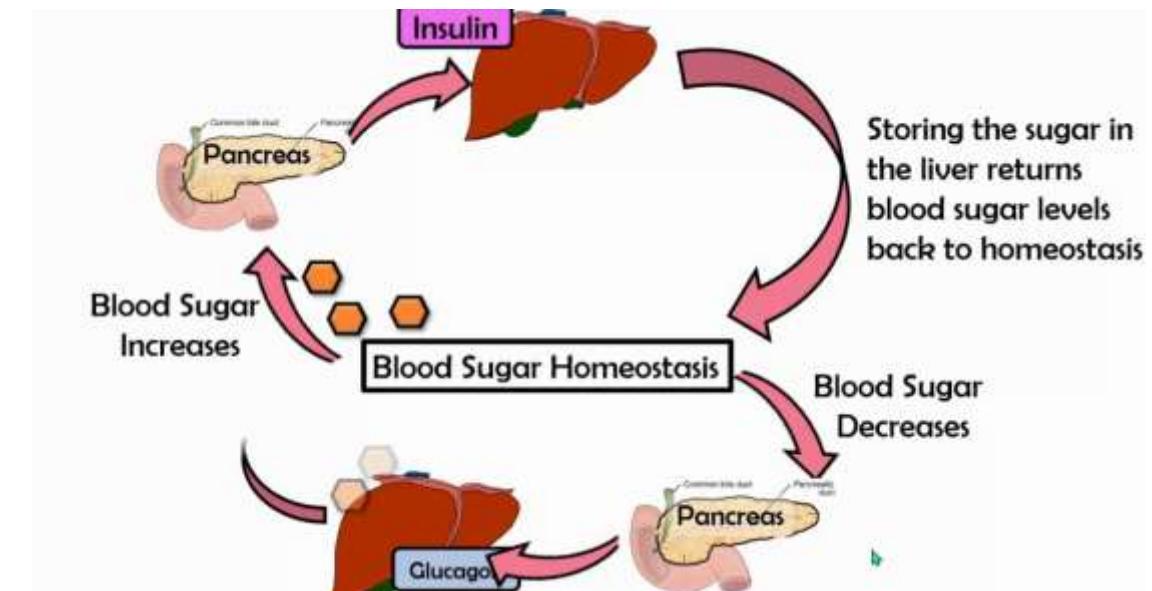
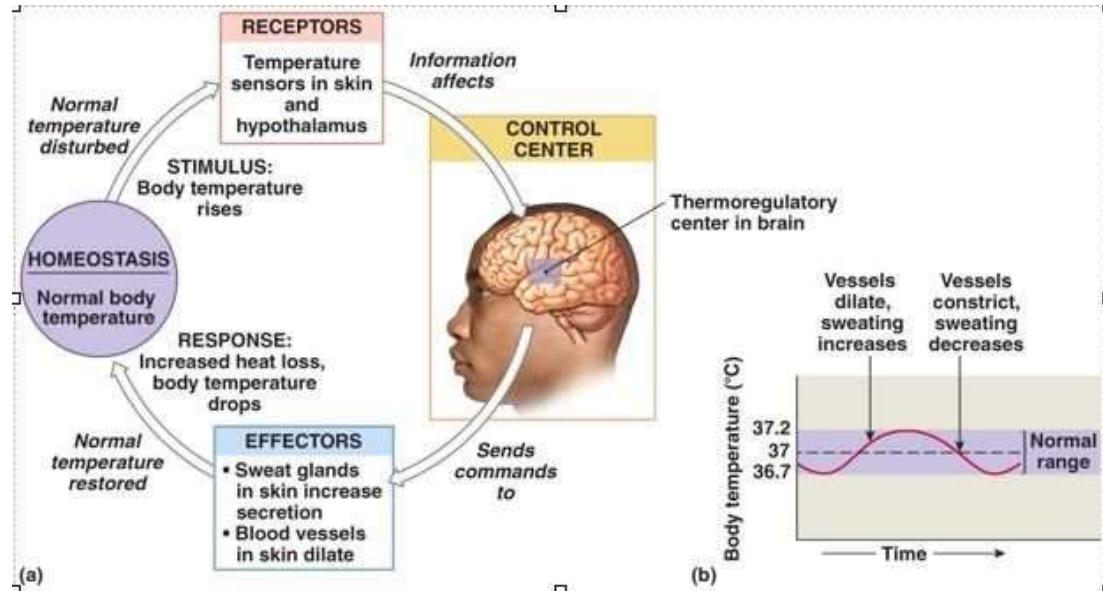
It counteracts changes, maintaining stability and promoting equilibrium within the system.



COMPONENTS OF HOMEOSTATIC CONTROL

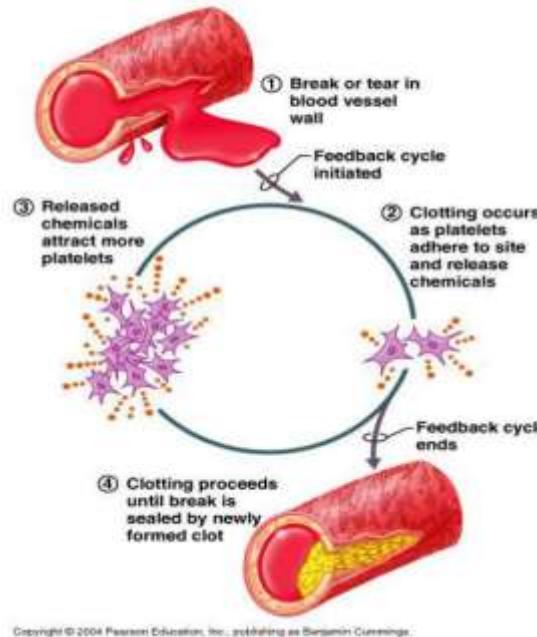


NEGATIVE FEEDBACK MECHANISMS



POSITIVE FEEDBACK MECHANISMS

Positive Feedback Mechanisms

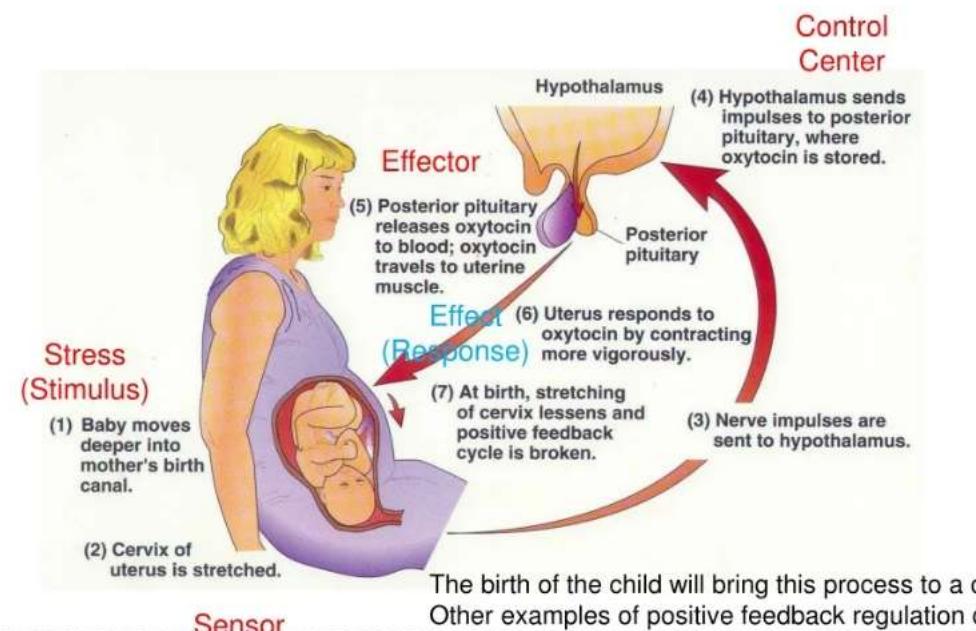


Examples:

– Blood clotting:

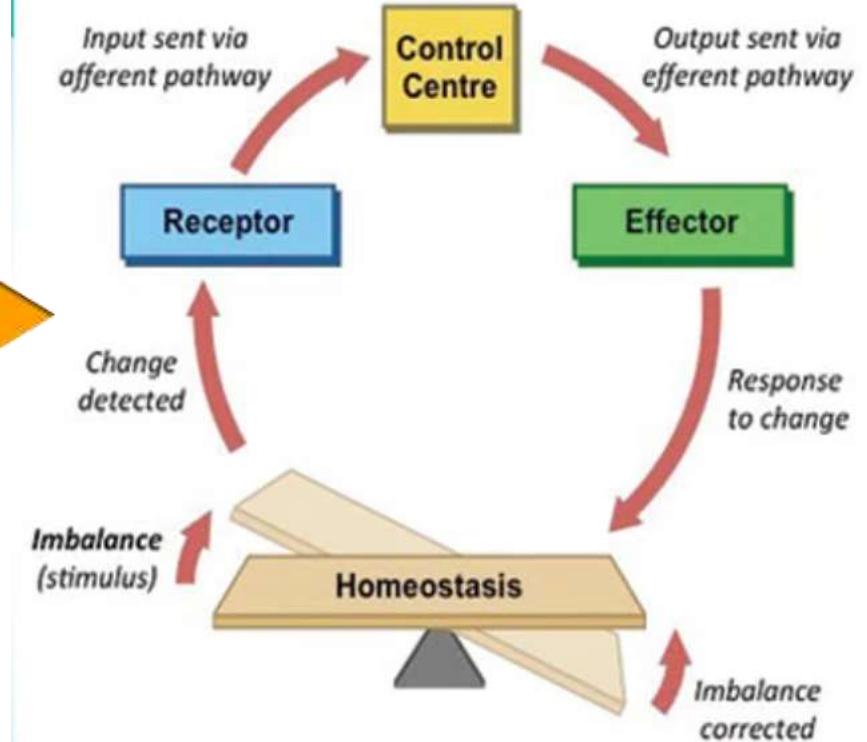
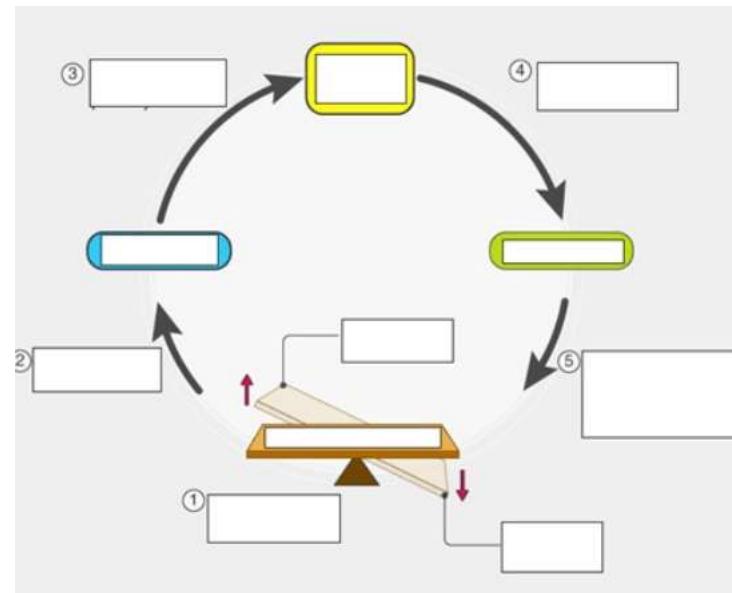
- Blood clotting is a normal response to a break in the lining of a blood vessel
- 1. Once vessel damaged has occurred
- 2. Blood elements called **platelets** immediately begin to cling to the injured site
- 3. Platelets release chemical that attract more platelets
- 4. This rapidly growing pileup of platelets initiates the sequence of events that finally forms a **clot**

Positive Feedback - Childbirth





CLASS ASSESSMENTS



SUMMARY

- ✓ Homeostasis is a fundamental process that is essential for the survival and proper functioning of living organisms.
- ✓ By maintaining a stable internal environment, organisms can optimize cellular function and adapt to changing external conditions.
- ✓ Disruptions in homeostasis can lead to various health problems and diseases, highlighting the importance of maintaining this delicate balance.
- ✓ Understanding the principles of homeostasis is crucial for understanding physiology and disease processes.

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