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# Department of Biomedical Engineering

# **Course Name: 21BMT201 Anatomy & Physiology**

I Year : II Semester

**Unit 5- Nervous System and Special senses** 

**Topic : Nervous System** 

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# **EMPATHY !!!**



Epilepsy



migraine



# Alzheimer



21BMT201/HAP/Unit 5 /Mrs.J.Jareena /AP/BME Cerebral Palsy



# Alzheimer s Disease

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- Nervous system → maintaining homeostasis within the body maintaining all systems within their normal physiological limits in order to maintain health.
- The nervous system does this by sending electrical signals called **action potentials** to tissues and organs in the body. The nervous system has three basic functions:
  - Sensory function: We obtain information
  - **Integrative function:** We decide what to do with the onformation
  - Motor function: We create an action



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# **How does Nervous System Works**







nervous system has two main divisions: the Central Nervous System (CNS) and

the Peripheral Nervous System (PNS).



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# central nervous system

- It forms and stores memories, sensory information, generates emotions and thoughts and stimulating most of the muscular contractions and glandular secretions that take place.
- brain and spinal cord form a central 'axis' in the body from which nerves run outwards to all parts of the body, connecting the central nervous system to sensory receptors, glands and muscles.
- Nerves arise in pairs (left and right sides) from the brain (cranial nerves) and from the spine (spinal nerves).
- There are 12 pairs of cranial nerves and 31 pairs of spinal nerves. 21BMT201/HAP/Unit 5

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- Sensory receptors →Nerve cells (neurones) in the PNS → CNS. These neurones are called afferent or sensory neurones.
- CNS →Motor or efferent neurones → muscles and glands via Motor an efferent nerve.



#### Smell



Sensory organ: Nose Sensory receptor: Chemoreceptors

Touch



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Sensory organ: Skin Sensory receptor: Pain cells

#### Sight



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Sensory organ: Eyes Sensory receptor: Rods and cones

Taste



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Sensory organ: Tongue Sensory receptor: Chemoreceptors

#### Sound



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Sensory organ: Ear Sensory receptor: Hair cells in ears

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# nervous systemnervous system• involuntary homeostasis,<br/>unconsciously controlled,• voluntary movement.<br/>consciously controlled,

- Sensory (afferent) neurones & efferent (motor) nerve cells
- glands, cardiac and smooth muscle
- changes in rate and strength of

   heartbeat, vasoconstriction and
   vasodilation of blood vessels,
   or stimulation and depression
   of glandular secretions.

- Sensory (afferent) neurones & efferent (motor) nerve cells
- skeletal muscles
- Movements of the skeletal muscles

## Sympathetic

- Prepares the body for emergency situations
- Involves energy expenditure
- At rest, it counteracts (balances) the PNS
- During stress, it dominates the PNS
- Exercise, fear or anger stimulate this system

## Parasympathetic

- Balances stimulation from the sympathetic nervous system
- Regulates activities that conserve and restore energy during rest
- The PNS governs responses such as salivation, tear flow, urination, digestion and defecation.

Autonomic Nervous System has two divisions: sympathetic and parasympathetic divisions.









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## Quiz

#### Organisation of mammalian nervous system



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