

Respiratory System

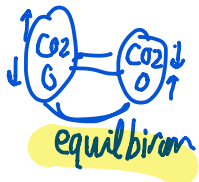
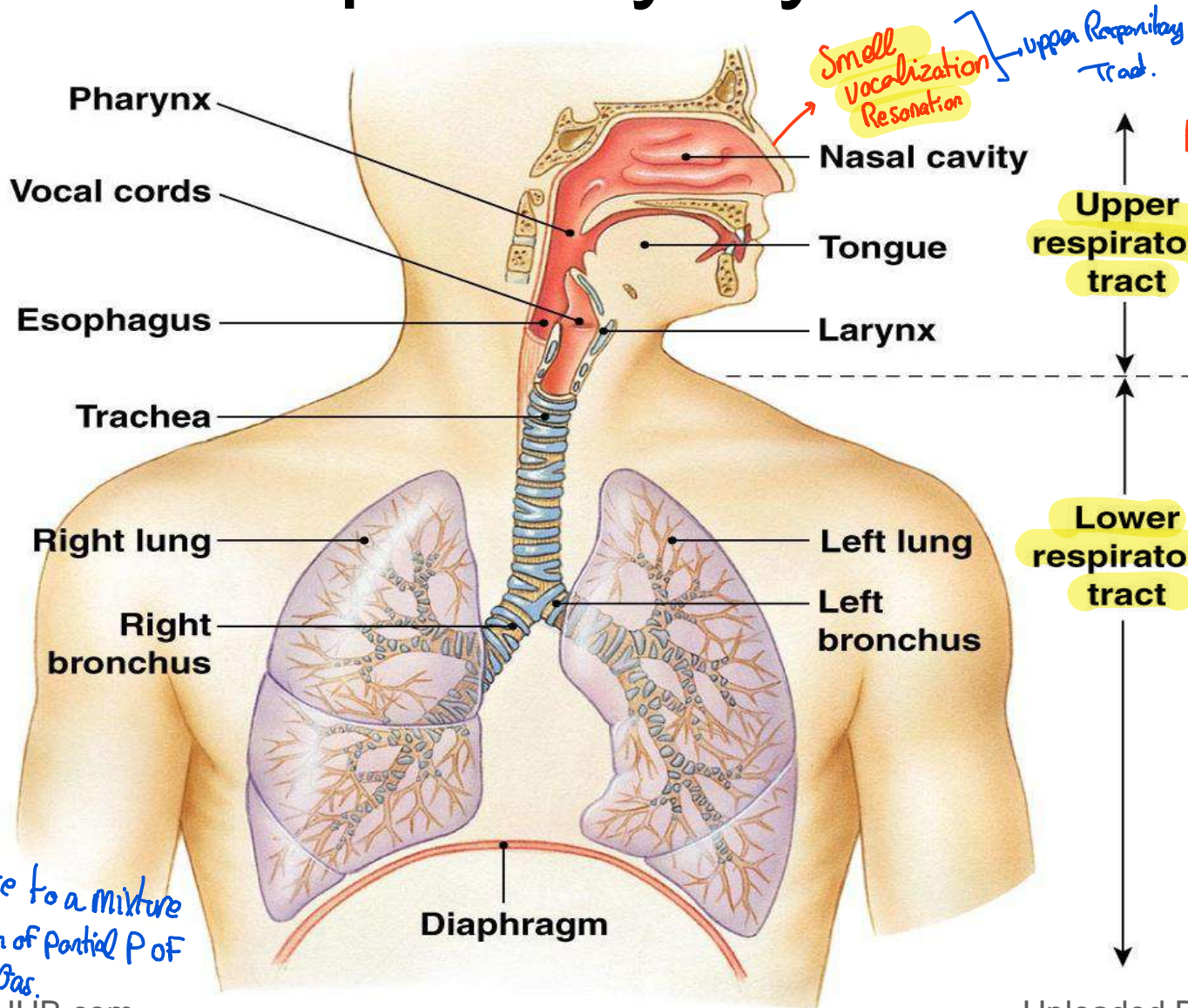
3 Main Components:

- Consists of the **respiratory** and **conducting zones**
- **Respiratory zone:** The Zone where Gas Exchange Happens
 - Site of gas exchange
 - Consists of **bronchioles**, **alveolar ducts**, and **alveoli**

X We only do Gas Exchange in the Alveoli
- **Conducting zone:** The Tubes that connects and Brings all Air In and out. // They don't do Gas Exchange but they are Conducting zone
 - Conduits for air to reach the sites of gas exchange
 - Includes all other respiratory structures (e.g., **nose**, **nasal cavity**, **pharynx**, **trachea**)

*Anatomical dead Zone.
↳ Because we Don't do gas exchange in them*
- **Respiratory muscles:** *↳ They Decrease and Increase Lung's Volume → So we can Exhale and Inhale.*
- **Diaphragm**, **Intercostals**, **Abdominal** and other muscles that **promote ventilation**
 - ↓
Allowing Air to Get In and out.*

Respiratory System



Total Pressure to a mixture
 of Gases \rightarrow Sum of Partial P of
 each Gas.

* **Nasal Cavity** → a) olfaction

b) Vocalization

c) Resonation

d) it has the mucus which Traps dust Particles

e) **Humidification** → the Air which Enters takes up the water Vapor inside the mucus. why? Because if Air Enters Dry it will take up water vapor from the cells inside the lung → So they will get dry → Infection

→ if we Bring a new gas to the mixture? Such as water Vapor.

↳ the O_2 pressure will decrease and Replaced with water vapor in order to keep lungs in a Healthy Situation. So the pressure of O_2 that was in the air was 160 mmHg. But as it enters it goes to 150 mmHg. Because water vapor takes place the 10 mmHg that were lost from O_2 pressure.

So Humidity is Important...

← Damage ←

Anatomic Dead space is where no gas exchange happens

What is Physiological Dead space? Dead Alveolies → Smokers when they takes up tar when they Smoke → which Adhaves to Alveoli → No gas exchange. (it was physiologically Active and Became Dead)

Pulmonary Edema → Accumilation of liquid substance in the lungs Specifically the Alveols.

→ why do we need O_2 ? It's the Ultimate OR Final Acceptor → And Required for the Production of ATP
↳ the Final Acceptor in the Electron transport chain

takes e^- and H^+ From H_2O
(Sulfur Can Be used As the Final Acceptor).

Respiration – four distinct processes

- taking Air in and out. (Mechanical Ventilation) → Requires Muscles (At Quite Breathing Diaphragm and Intercostals → expand and Relax
- **Pulmonary ventilation** – moving air into and out of the lungs
- **Chemical Respiration** – gas exchange between the lungs and the blood
External Respiration → Between lungs and Blood. (Diffusion of Gases Between lungs + Blood)
- **Transport** – transport of oxygen and carbon dioxide between the lungs and tissues (Transport of $O_2 + CO_2$ in Blood from lungs until it comes into the tissues)
- **Internal respiration** – gas exchange between systemic blood vessels and tissues (Keeps cycle → Utilization of $O_2 + Glucose$ to Produce ATP)

Transport → O_2 From lungs diffuse into Blood then to all parts of the Body
→ CO_2 From tissues → Blood Back to lungs → Out

→ why do we need water? Because All chemical Reactions Require media to be Performed
↳ Because it's a universal solvent

Major Functions of the Respiratory System

- To supply the body with oxygen and dispose of carbon dioxide
- **WHAT ELSE?????**

Function of the Nose

- The only externally visible part of the respiratory system that functions by:
 - Providing an airway for respiration
 - Moistening and warming the entering air *(Prevent the epithelial cells from getting dry) → Because the Temp Between Body and Incoming Air → That's why we have vessels)*
 - Filtering inspired air and cleaning it of foreign matter
 - Serving as a resonating chamber for speech
 - Housing the olfactory receptors *→ it affects the taste*

*Mucous → Used for the filtration of Air (Moisturizing) Because Air can Absorb moist → Becomes Dry → Cells will die.

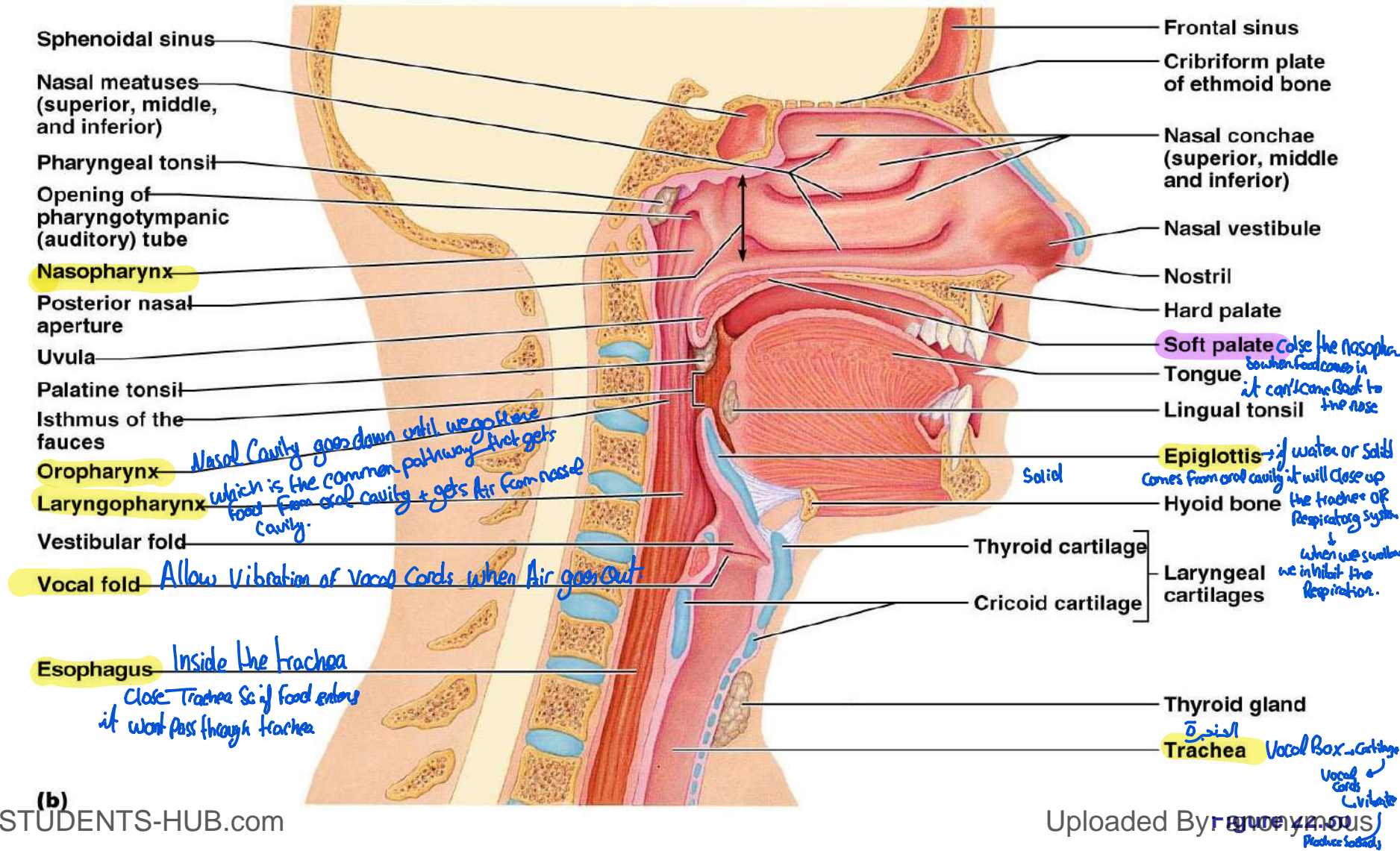
Nasal Cavity

Important because Air passes through it → So it can be filtered, moisturized + warmed up


- **Vestibule** – nasal cavity superior to the nares
 - Vibrissae – hairs that filter coarse particles from inspired air
- **Olfactory mucosa**
 - Lines the superior nasal cavity ✓
 - Contains smell receptors ✓
- **Respiratory mucosa**
 - Lines the balance of the nasal cavity
 - Glands secrete mucus containing lysozyme and defensins to help destroy bacteria

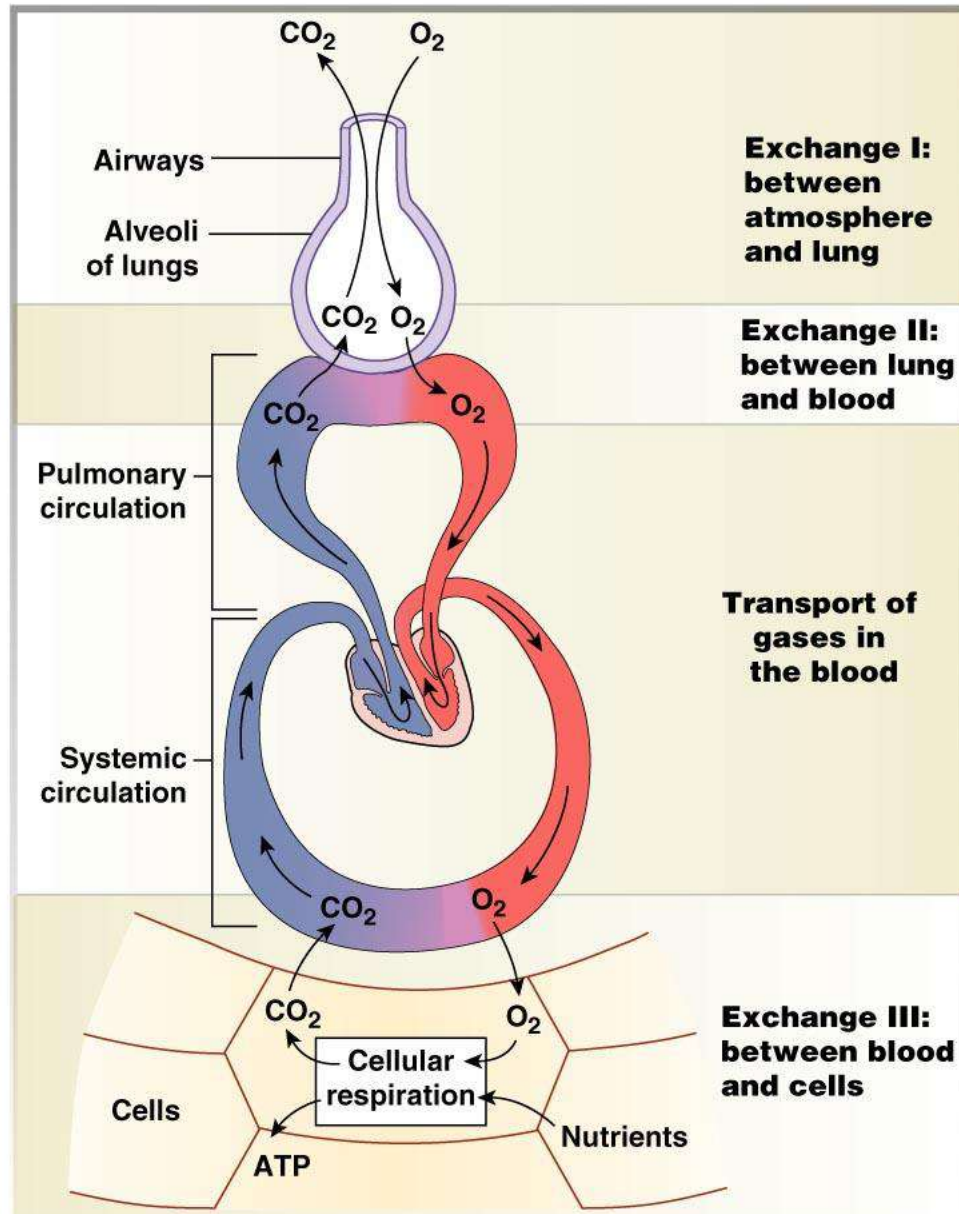
Choking → if Food or Solid enters Before epiglottis Close → Cough → to Remove particles

Nasal Cavity



Functions of the Nasal Mucosa

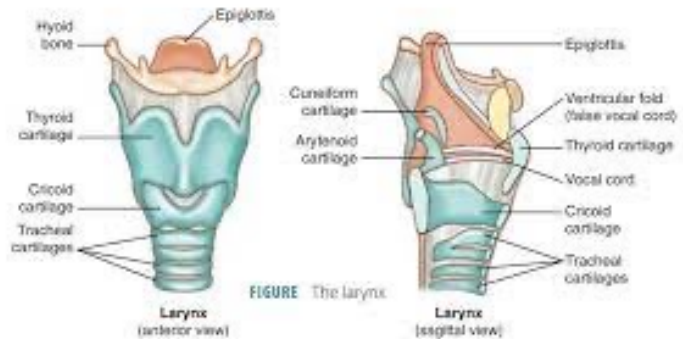
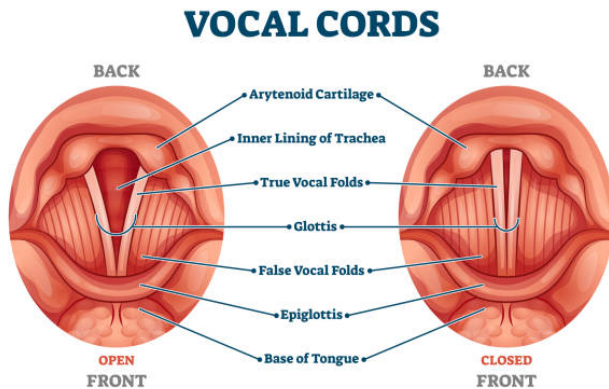
- During **inhalation** the conchae and nasal mucosa:

 - **Filter, heat, and moisten air**
- During **exhalation** these structures:
 - **Reclaim heat and moisture**
 - **Minimize heat and moisture loss**

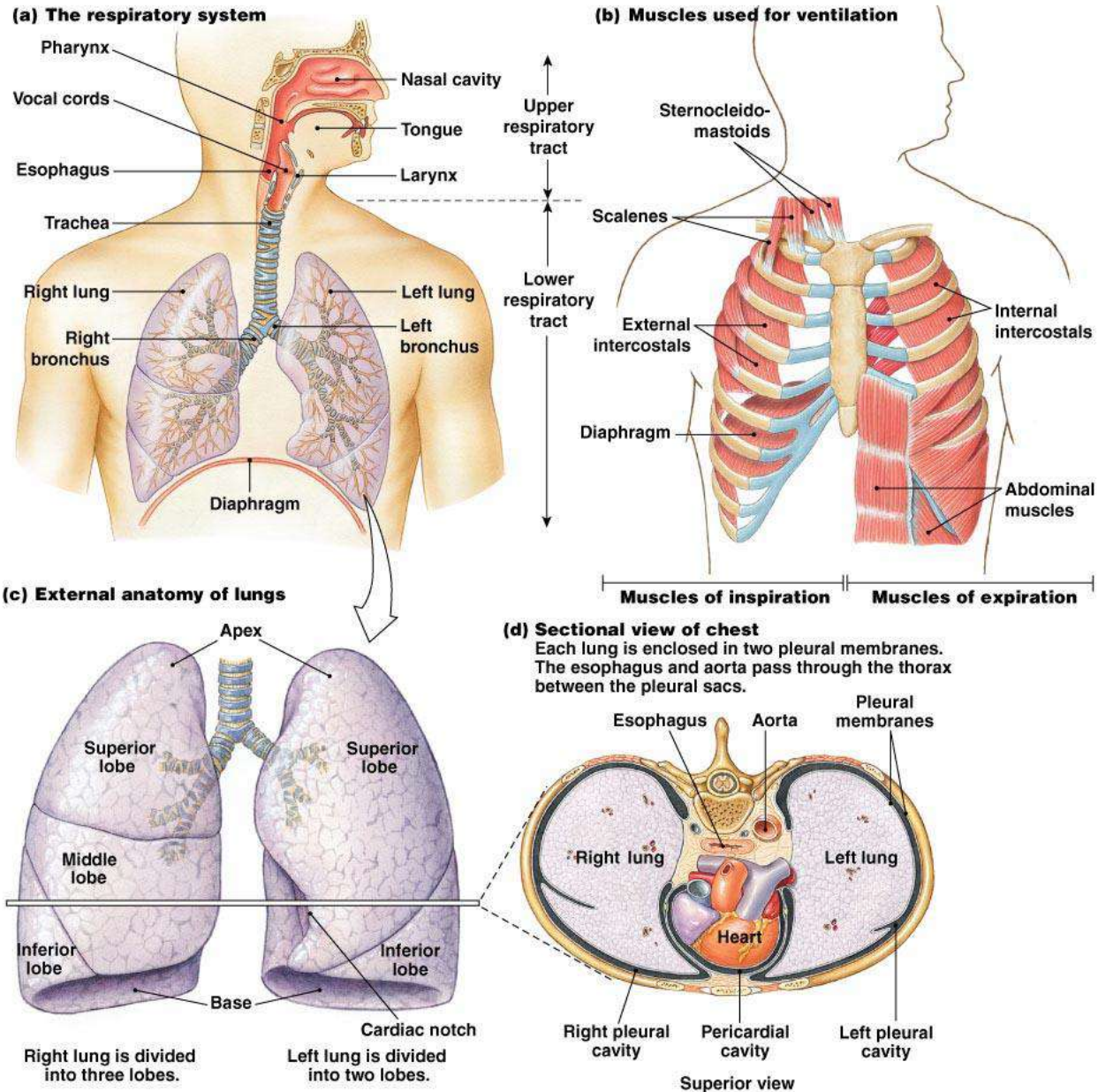


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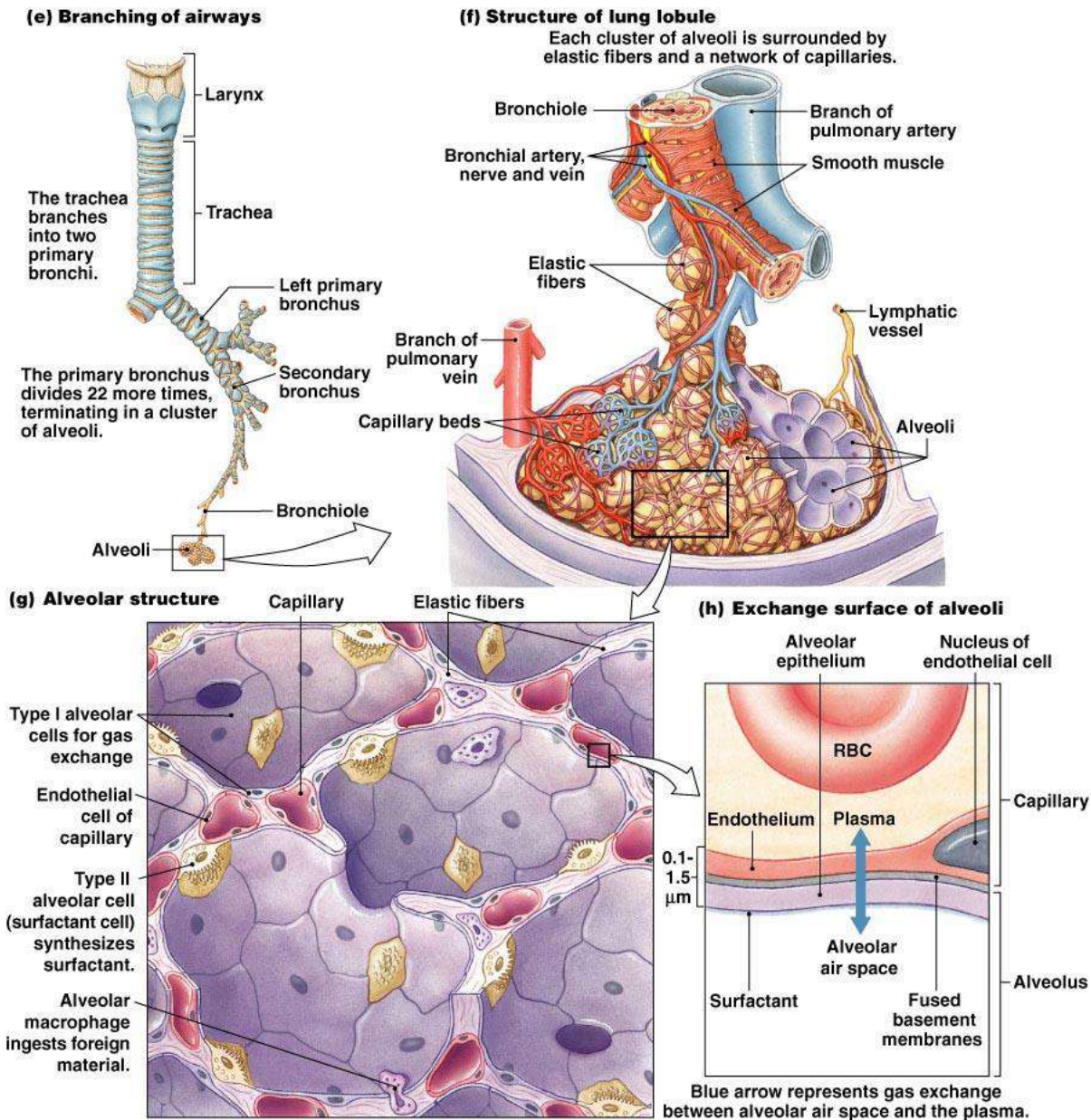
* After Nasal Cavity → **Pharynx** (Common pathway)
 ↳ Nasopharynx
 ↳ Oropharynx (Common)
 ↳ Laryngopharynx

* Larynx → Cartilages + skeletal muscle → production of voice (when it goes up and **close**) → So food goes Around it then to esophagus by the epiglottis.
 * False Vocal Cords → Attached to the muscles



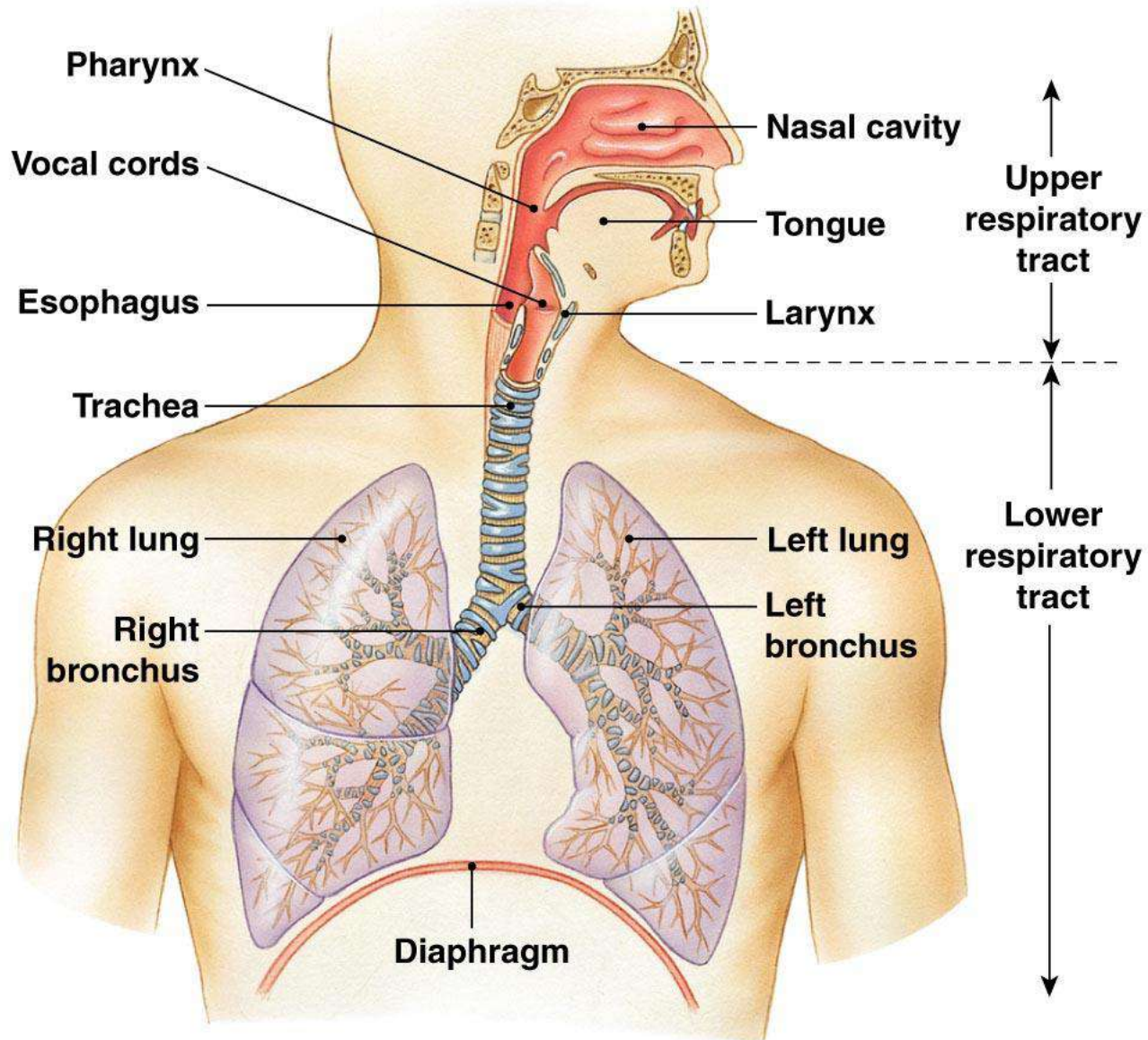


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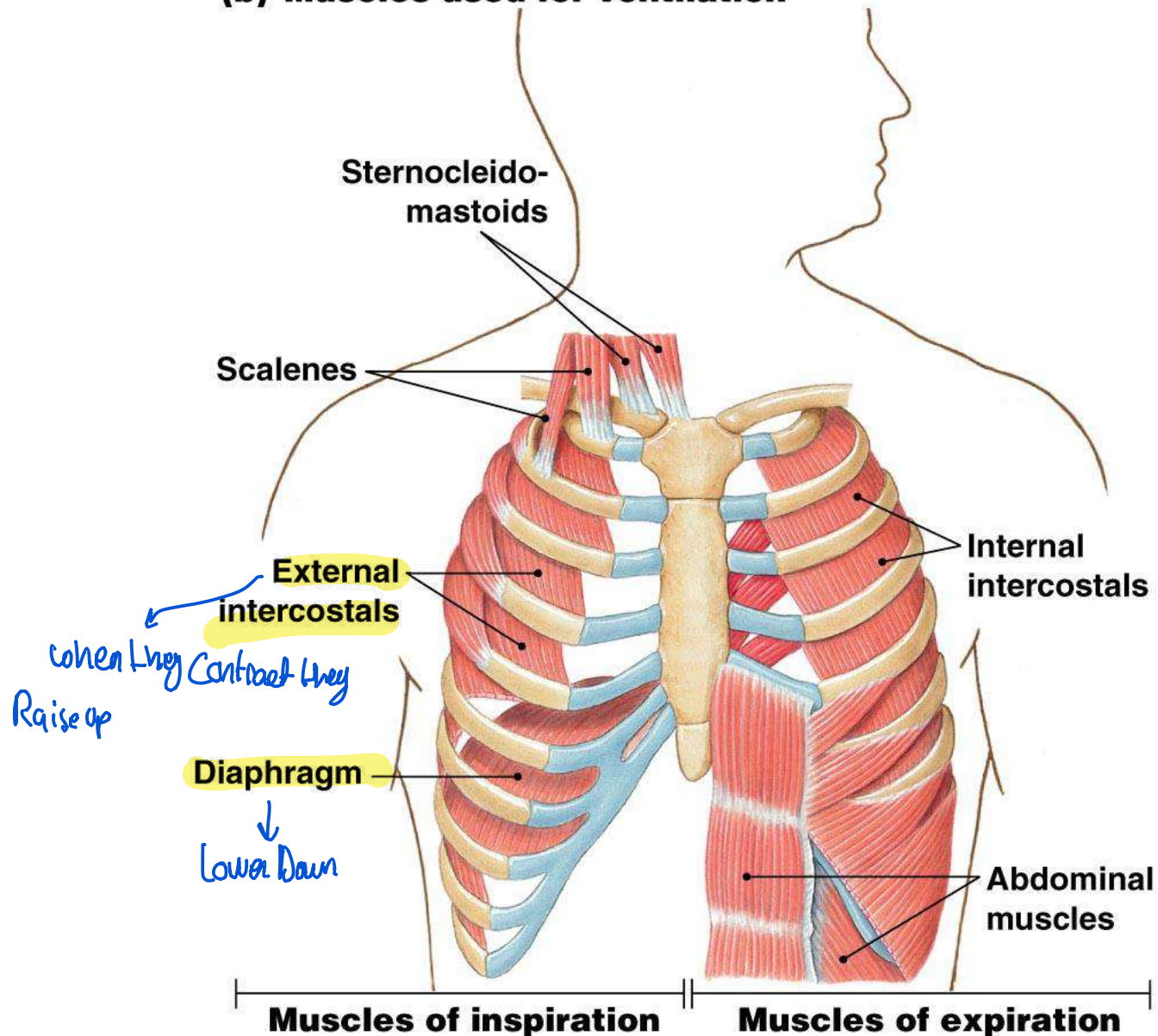
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(a) The respiratory system



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(b) Muscles used for ventilation



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* For Mechanical Respiration Activity

Air Moves In \rightarrow Gas law \rightarrow \uparrow Volume \rightarrow Pressure \downarrow and the opposit.

. Muscles Are Used In taking Air in (Inhale) \rightarrow Active Respiration 2 muscles Are used:

\hookrightarrow For Air to get in we need muscles to expand in the thoracic cavity.



when Muscles expand \rightarrow Volume Inc. \rightarrow Pressure \downarrow \rightarrow Allowing Air to get in.

So we have 2 muscles to do that:

1) Diaphragm \rightarrow Lower Down

2) External Intercostals (we use them for Quite Breathing) \rightarrow Inspiration \rightarrow Muscles Contract.
 \hookrightarrow Raise Up in contraction.

* We have other than Normal Quite Breathing \rightarrow Like when walking we will start Breathing Heavily \rightarrow In this condition we use the Scalene \rightarrow Helps in Raising up the thoracic cavity.

Also we have Sternocleidomastoids \rightarrow Used for Active Inspiration too

* Normally for Expiration \rightarrow Passive Process "we Don't use Muscles"

\hookrightarrow However in Active Respiration \rightarrow Coughing \rightarrow Internal intercostals Are Used.

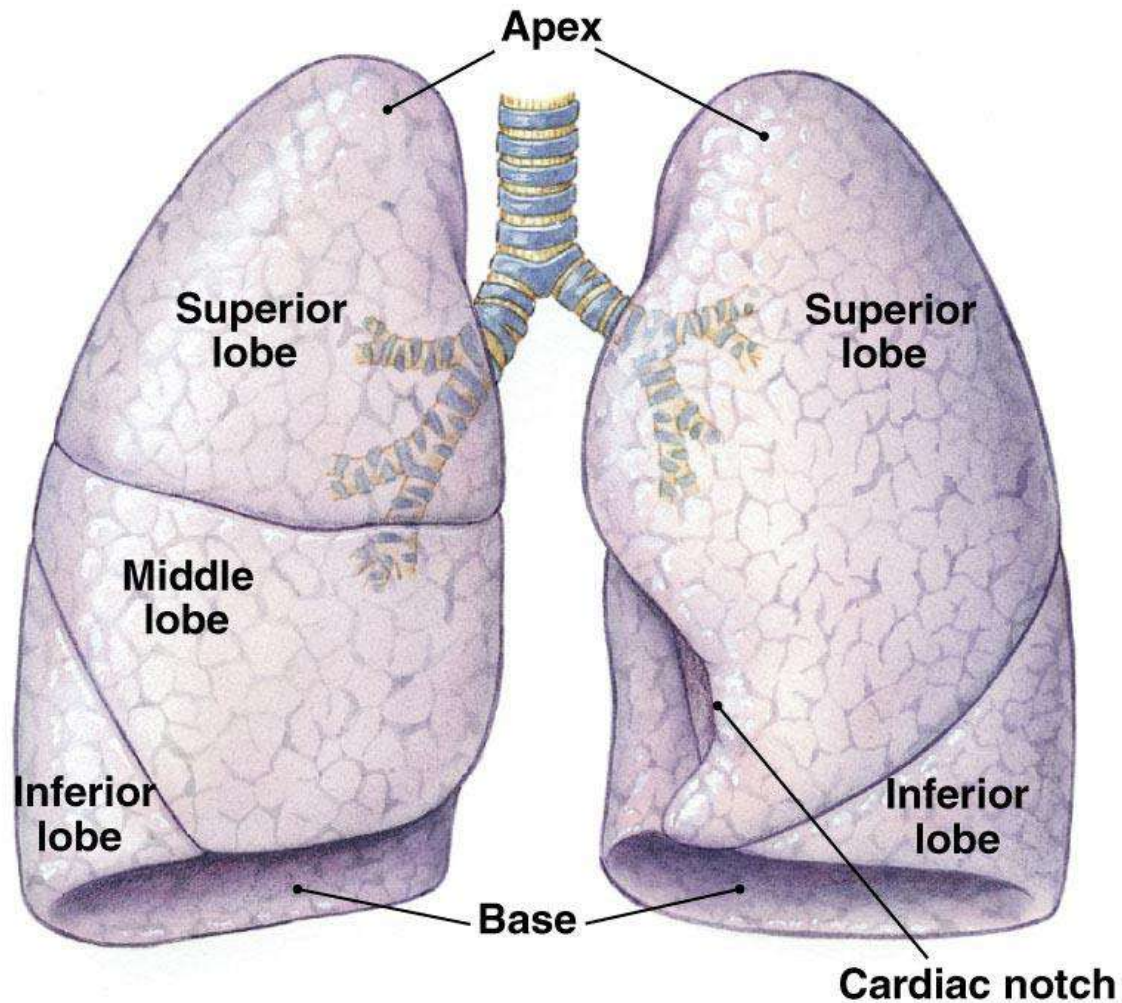
\downarrow
Abdominal Cavity Muscles

\downarrow
they Contract so they Bring thoracic cavity lower \rightarrow \downarrow Volume \rightarrow \uparrow Pressure \rightarrow Air Goes out.

\downarrow
the contraction of them Cause Expiration.

* Pulmonary Ventilation: the Mechanical Process of Respiration \rightarrow Allow Air to get in by Inspiration + Get out by expiration.

(c) External anatomy of lungs



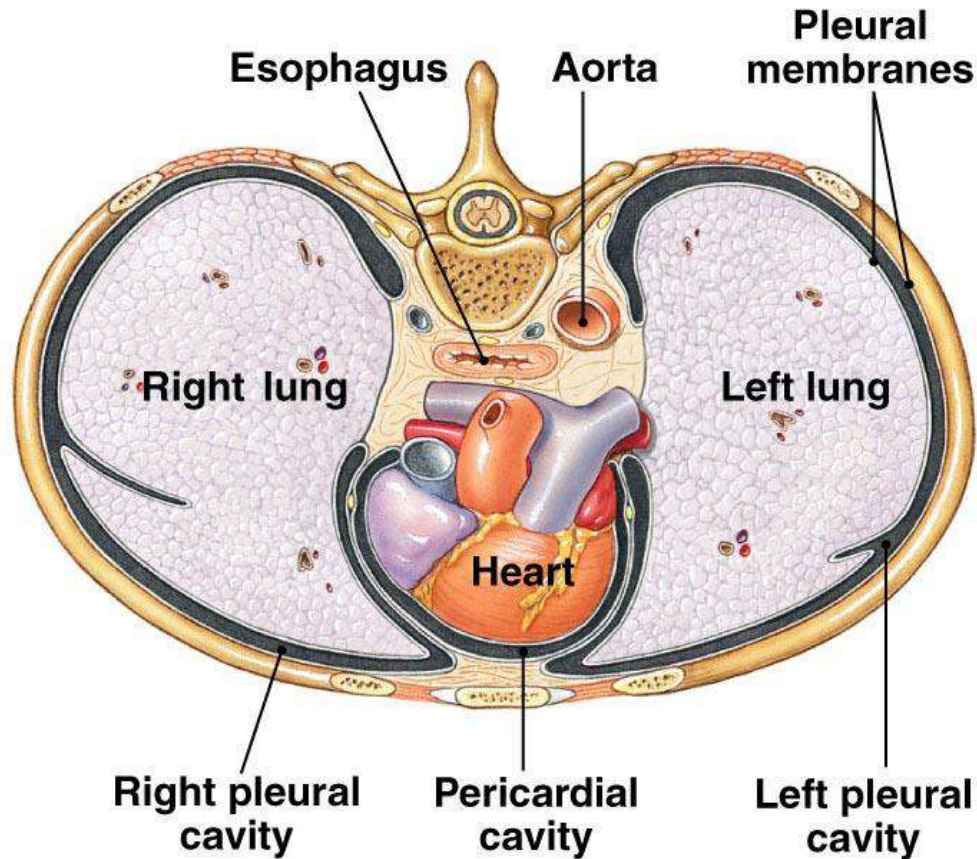
**Right lung is divided
into three lobes.**

**Left lung is divided
into two lobes.**

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(d) Sectional view of chest

Each lung is enclosed in two pleural membranes. The esophagus and aorta pass through the thorax between the pleural sacs.



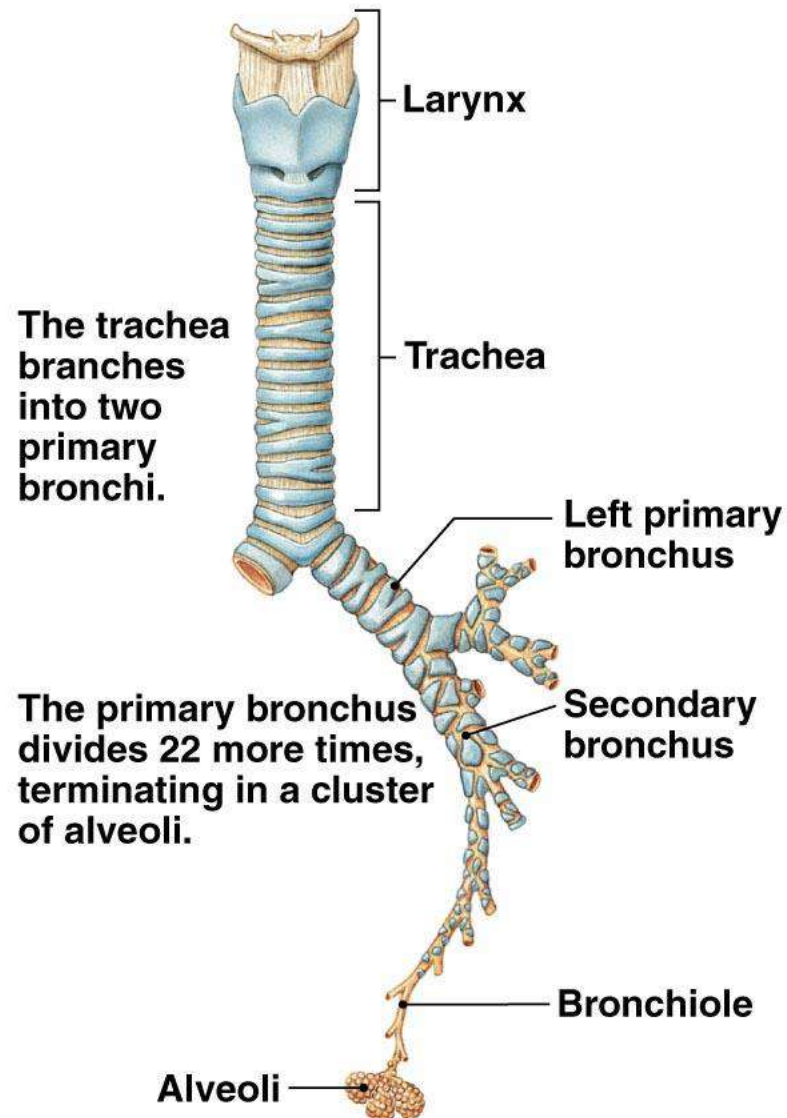
Superior view

Trachea

- Flexible and mobile tube extending from the larynx into the mediastinum
- Composed of three layers

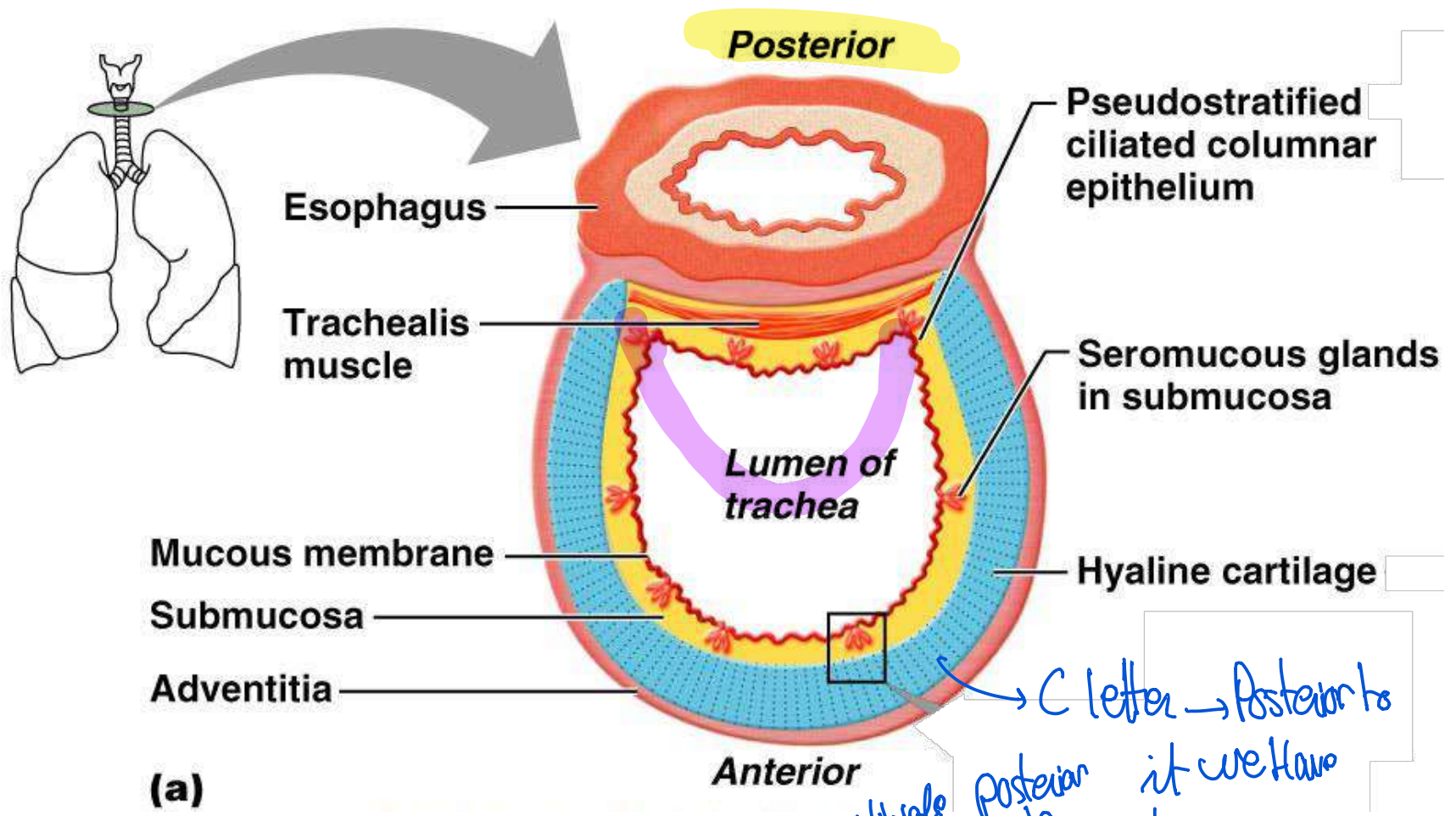
- Goblet Cells.*
- **Mucosa** – made up of goblet cells and ciliated epithelium
 - **Submucosa** – connective tissue deep to the mucosa
 - **Adventitia** – outermost layer made of C-shaped rings of hyaline cartilage

(e) Branching of airways



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Trachea



end of trachea → smooth muscle → will allow the expand of trachea + allow esophagus to expand

vertebrate column

posterior to it we have esophagus

Figure 22.6a

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Conducting Zone

- **Carina** of the last tracheal cartilage marks the end of the trachea and the beginning of the bronchi
- Air reaching the bronchi is:
 - Warm and cleansed of impurities
 - Saturated with water vapor
- Bronchi subdivide into secondary bronchi, each supplying a lobe of the lungs
- Air passages undergo 23 orders of branching

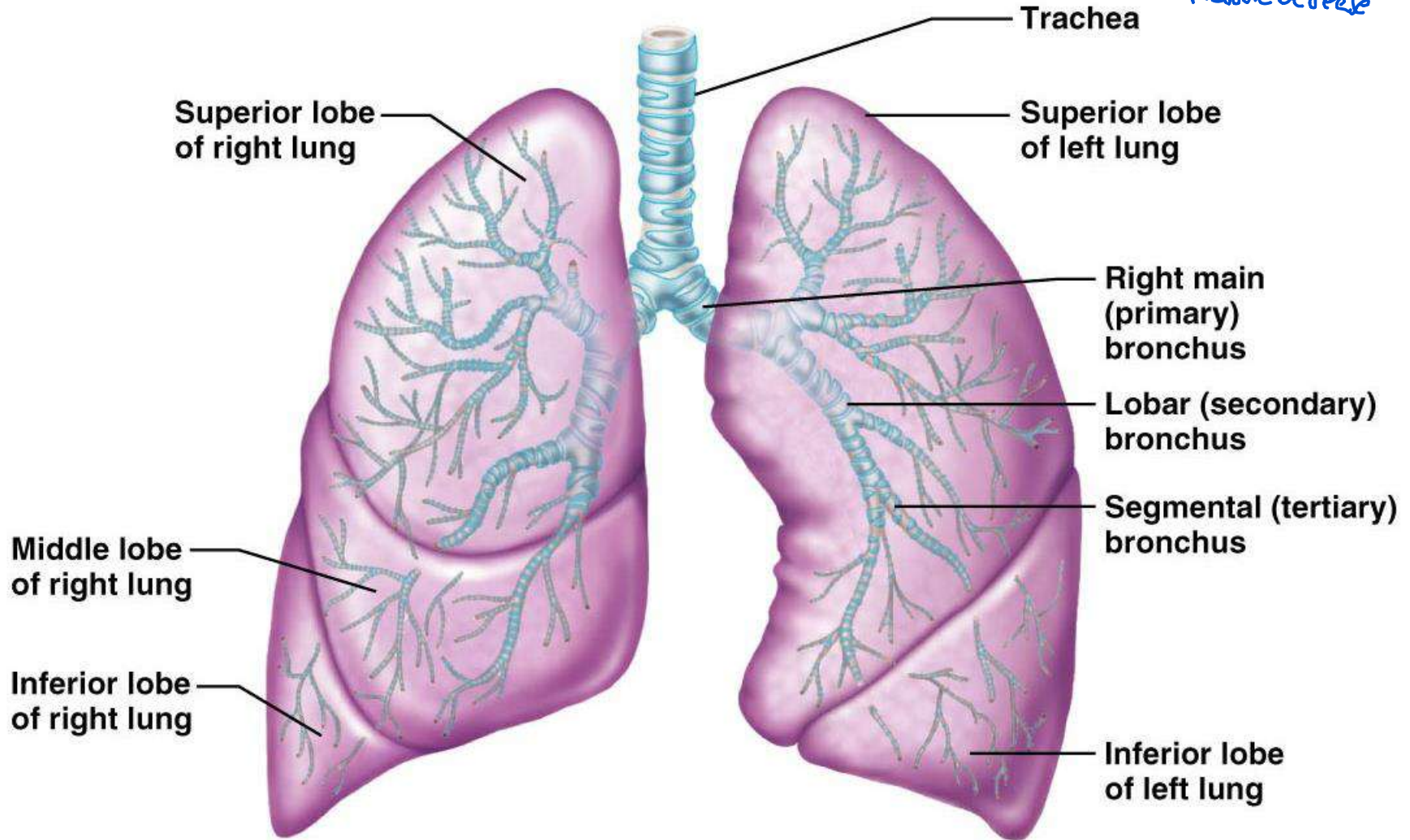
	Name	Division	Diameter (mm)	How many?	Cross-sectional area (cm ²)
Conducting system	Trachea	0	15–22	1	2.5
	Primary bronchi	1	10–15	2	↓
	Smaller bronchi ↓	2	1–10	4	
		3			
		4			
		5			
	6–11	1 x 10 ⁴	↓		
	Bronchioles	1–23	0.5–1	2 x 10 ⁴ ↓ 8 x 10 ⁷	100 ↓ 5 x 10 ³
Alveoli	24	0.3	3–6 x 10 ⁸	>1 x 10 ⁶	

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DPG → Diphosphoglycerate.

Conducting Zones

when Heart Contract it
Pumps w/ Blood
and when it's Released
Pressure decrease



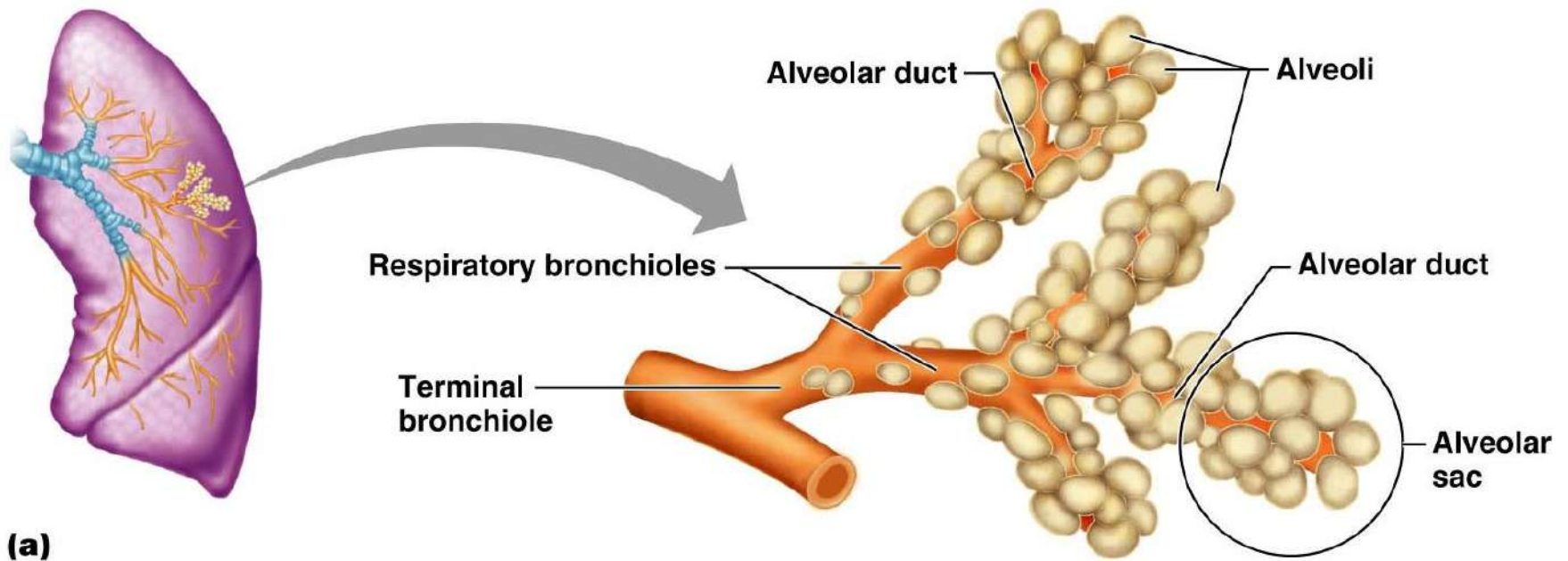
Dead Space

- **Anatomic**
- **Physiologic**

Respiratory Zone

- Defined by the presence of alveoli; begins as terminal bronchioles feed into respiratory bronchioles
- Respiratory bronchioles lead to alveolar ducts, then to terminal clusters of alveolar sacs composed of alveoli
- Approximately 300 million alveoli:
 - Account for most of the lungs' volume
 - Provide tremendous surface area for gas exchange

Respiratory Zone



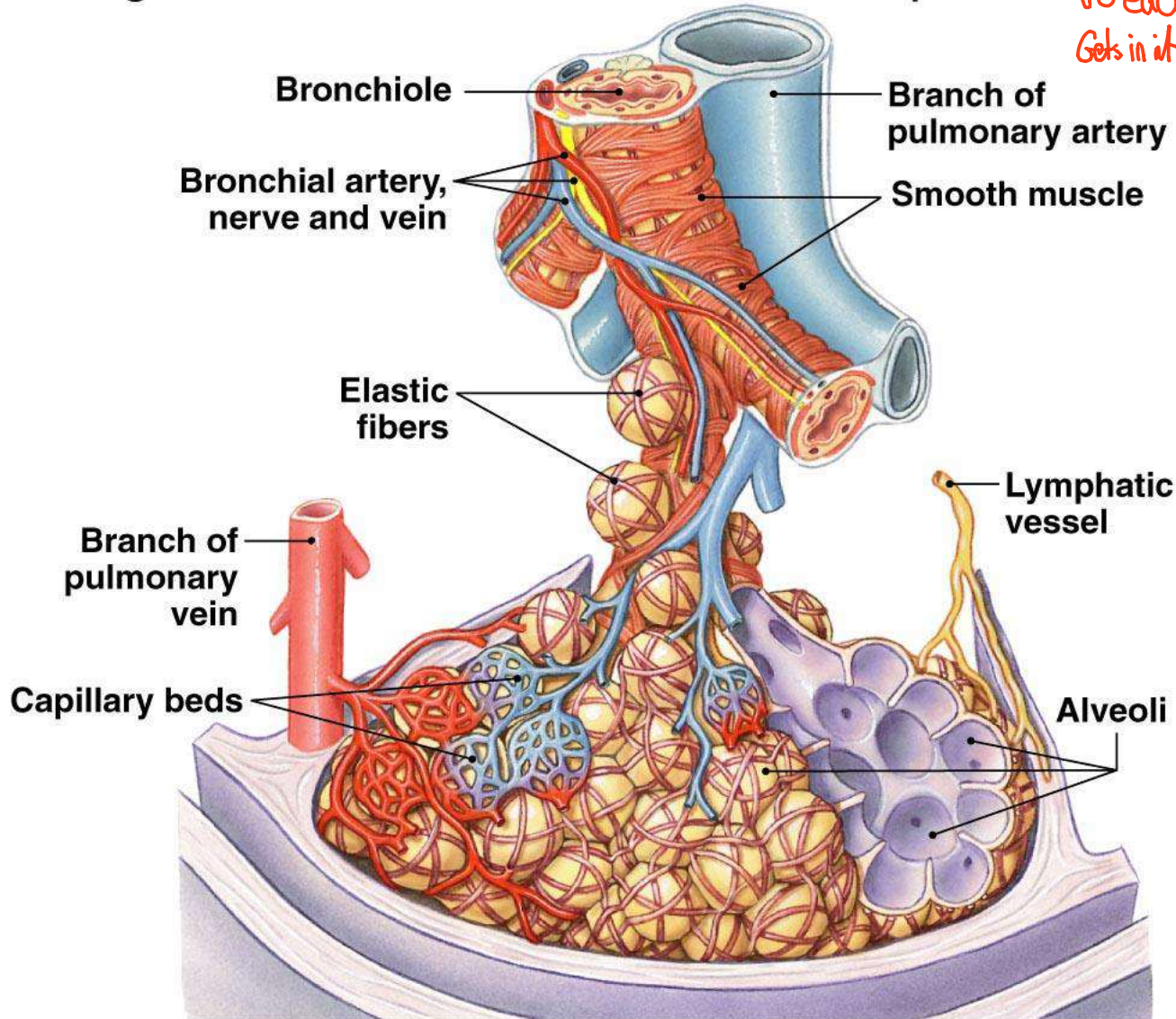
Alveoli

- Surrounded by fine elastic fibers
- Contain open pores that:
 - Connect adjacent alveoli
 - Allow air pressure throughout the lung to be equalized
- House macrophages that keep alveolar surfaces sterile

(f) Structure of lung lobule

Each cluster of alveoli is surrounded by elastic fibers and a network of capillaries.

Alveoli are connected to each other so if air gets in it will fill all of the alveoli.



(g) Alveolar structure

Very sensitive layer of cells
Composed of one single cell layer

Type I alveolar cells for gas exchange

Endothelial cell of capillary

Type II alveolar cell (surfactant cell) synthesizes surfactant.

glycoproteins & glycolipids to reduce surface tension.

Alveolar macrophage ingests foreign material.

Capillary

Elastic fibers



if the lungs expands
Volume Increase
↓
Pressure decrease
760 mmHg → Atmosphere
760 mmHg → inside
↓
no Air move
if lung expand → ↑ Volume
↓ Pressure
So Air moves From inside to outside.
* if we ↓ Volume of lungs → ↑ Pressure
Air goes From inside to outside

A glycoprotein on the surface of the cell that is responsible for the cell's ability to interact with other cells. It is a protein with a carbohydrate chain attached to it.

Liquid: Any problems in these cells will cause the Respiratory System to be affected.

Reduce the tension so they expand easily.

Ingest Any Foreign Bodies.

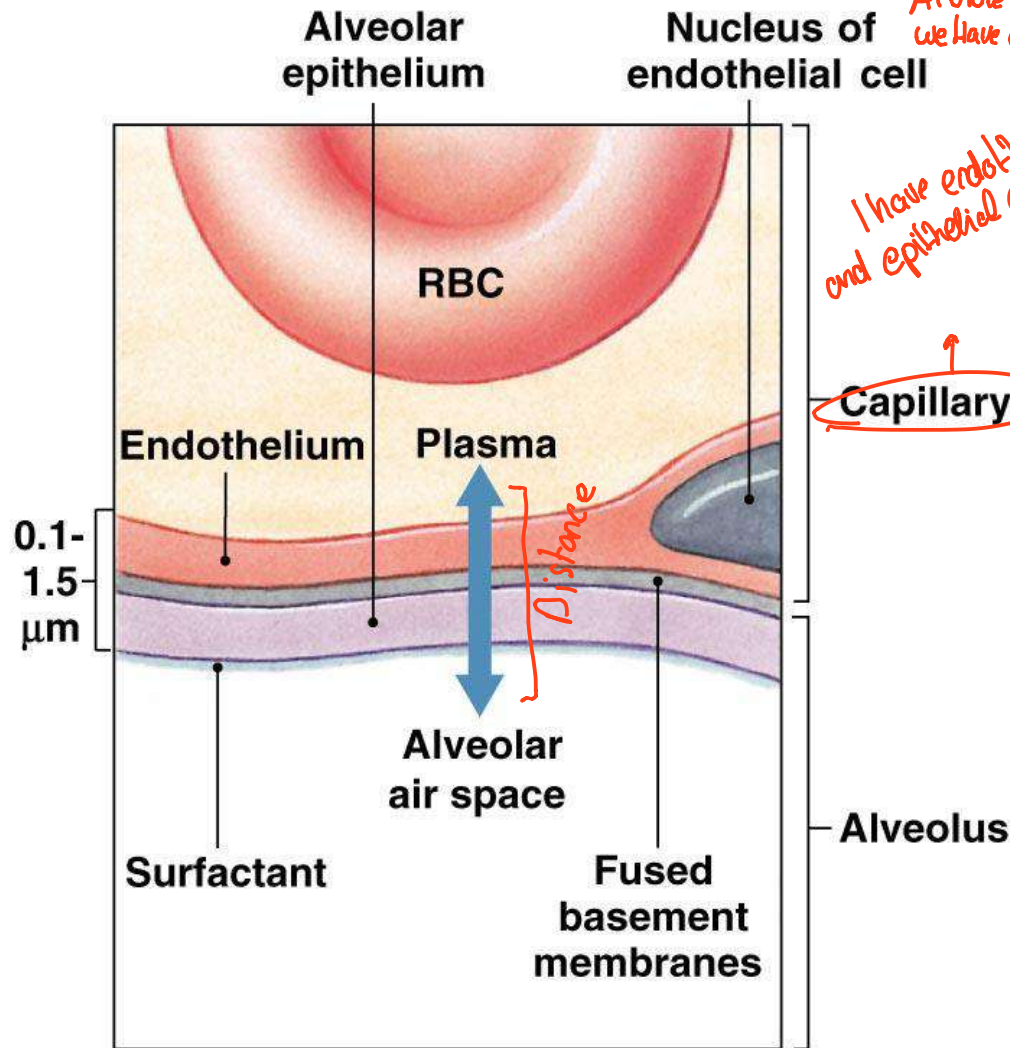
Alveoli are so tough to expand → High surface tension (it atom one so collapsed to each other) → So need so much energy to take up Air

Respiratory Membrane

- This air-blood barrier is composed of:
 - **Alveolar and capillary walls**
 - **Their fused basal laminas**
- **Alveolar walls:**
 - Are a single layer of type I epithelial cells
 - Permit gas exchange by simple diffusion
 - Secrete angiotensin converting enzyme (ACE)

Alveol → 75m²

(h) Exchange surface of alveoli



Blue arrow represents gas exchange between alveolar air space and the plasma.

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What is the Respiratory distance?

if I'm going to do Exchange of Gases From the Alveole to RBC OR the opposit it means th^t we have distance that it will cross

I have endothelium cells and epithelial cells → Surfactant

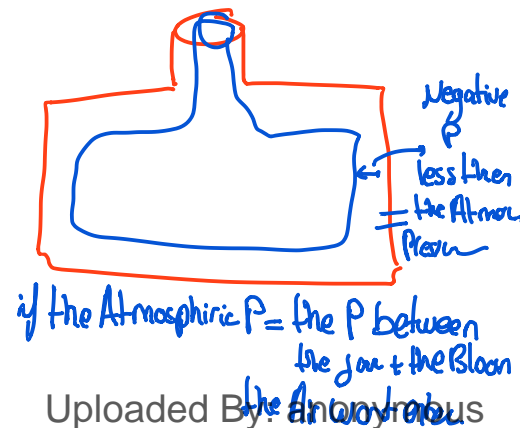
So for Gas to move From Alveoles to Capillres
↓
diffuse in Surfactant

Capillary

Pleurae

Pleural Cavity → Space/Liquid
In between
Parietal + Visceral Pleural
membrane

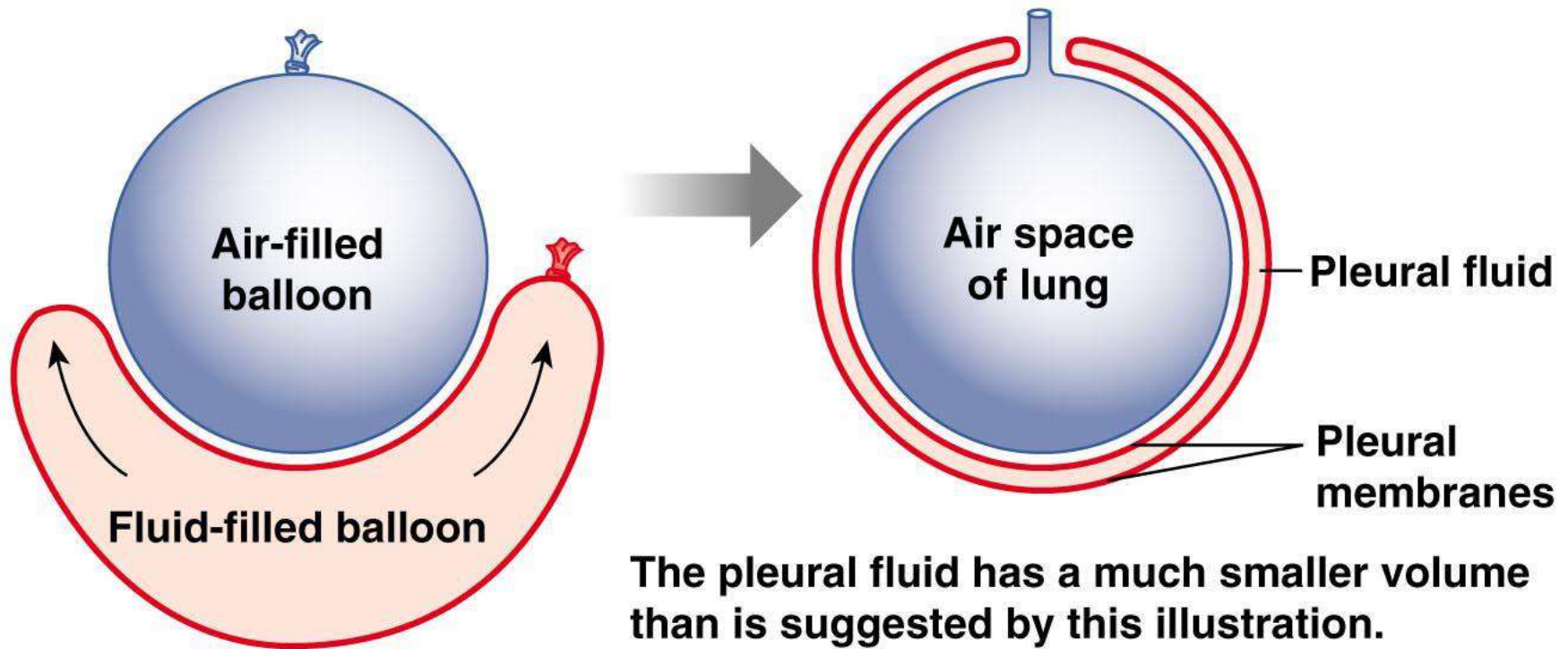
- Thin, double-layered serosa
- **Parietal pleura** → خارجی
 - Covers the thoracic wall and superior face of the diaphragm
 - Continues around heart and between lungs
- **Visceral pleura** → Directly connected to lungs
 - Covers the lungs



Why enhalation is Active
and exhalation is passive?

enhalation → we need energy + muscles
exhalation → we don't use any muscles.

The pleural sac forms a double membrane surrounding the lung, similar to a fluid-filled balloon surrounding an air-filled balloon.



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TABLE 17-1	Gas Laws
<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. The total pressure of a mixture of gases is the sum of the pressures of the individual gases (Dalton's law).2. Gases, singly or in a mixture, move from areas of higher pressure to areas of lower pressure.3. If the volume of a container of gas changes, the pressure of the gas will change in an inverse manner (Boyle's law).	

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TABLE 17-2 Partial Pressures (P_{gas}) of Atmospheric Gases at 760 mm Hg

GAS AND ITS PERCENTAGE IN AIR	P_{gas} IN DRY, 25° C AIR	P_{gas} IN 25° C AIR, 100% HUMIDITY	P_{gas} IN 37° C AIR, 100% HUMIDITY
Nitrogen (N_2) 78%	593 mm Hg	574 mm Hg	556 mm Hg
Oxygen (O_2) 21%	160 mm Hg	155 mm Hg	150 mm Hg
Carbon dioxide (CO_2) 0.033%	0.25 mm Hg	0.24 mm Hg	0.235 mm Hg
Water vapor	0 mm Hg	24 mm Hg	47 mm Hg

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Respiratory Volumes

- ✓ ^{500-750 ml →} **Tidal volume (TV)** – air that moves into and out of the lungs with each breath (approximately 500 ml)
- **Inspiratory reserve volume (IRV)** – air that can be inspired forcibly beyond the tidal volume (2100–3200 ml)
- **Expiratory reserve volume (ERV)** – air that can be evacuated from the lungs after a tidal expiration (1000–1200 ml)
- **Residual volume (RV)** – air left in the lungs after strenuous expiration (1200 ml) (to prevent lungs from collapsing)

$$M_1 V_1 = M_2 V_2$$

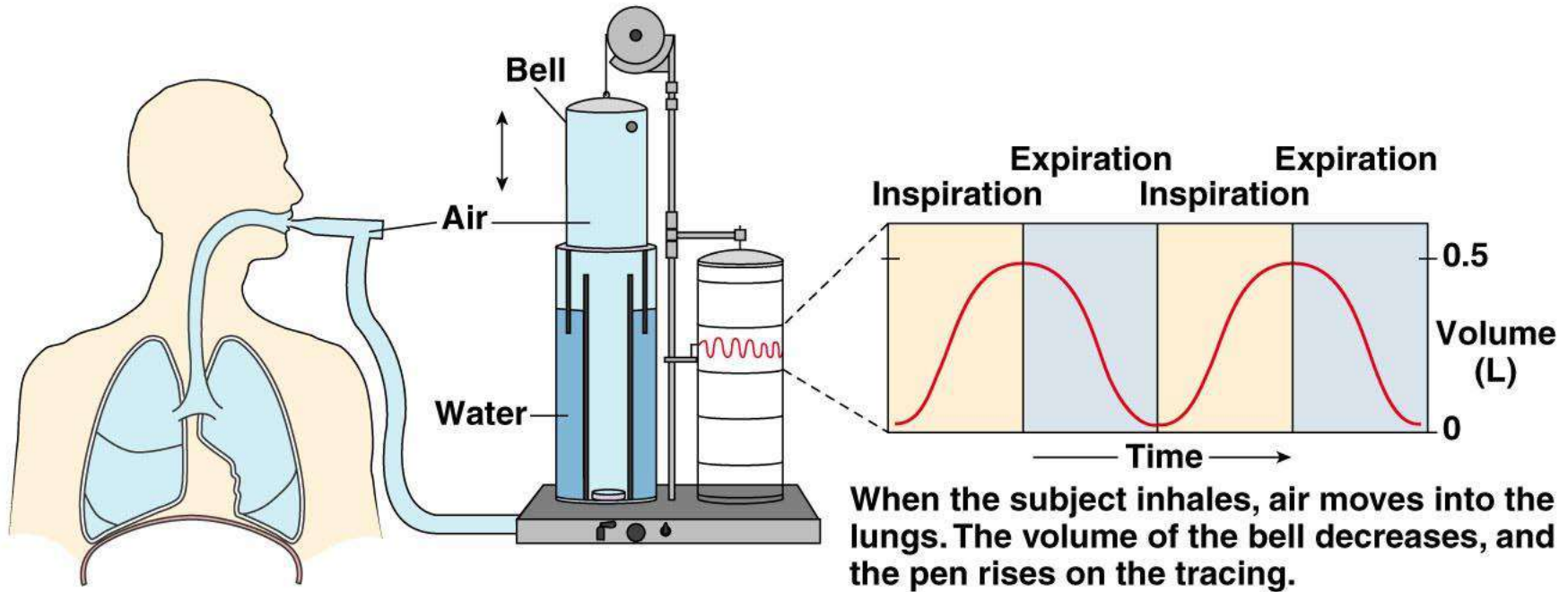
↓ ↓ ↓ ↓
✓ ✓ ✓ ?!

That's how we measure the Residual Volume.

$$\underset{\text{initially}}{C_1 V_1} = \overset{\text{the final conc.}}{C_2 * (V_S + 1.2 L)}$$

↓ ↓
lungs

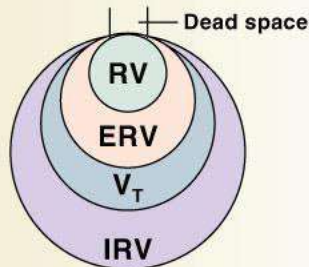
$$V_a = (V_S + V_L)$$



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Spirometer: Measuring + Reading Breath Moments.

The four lung volumes

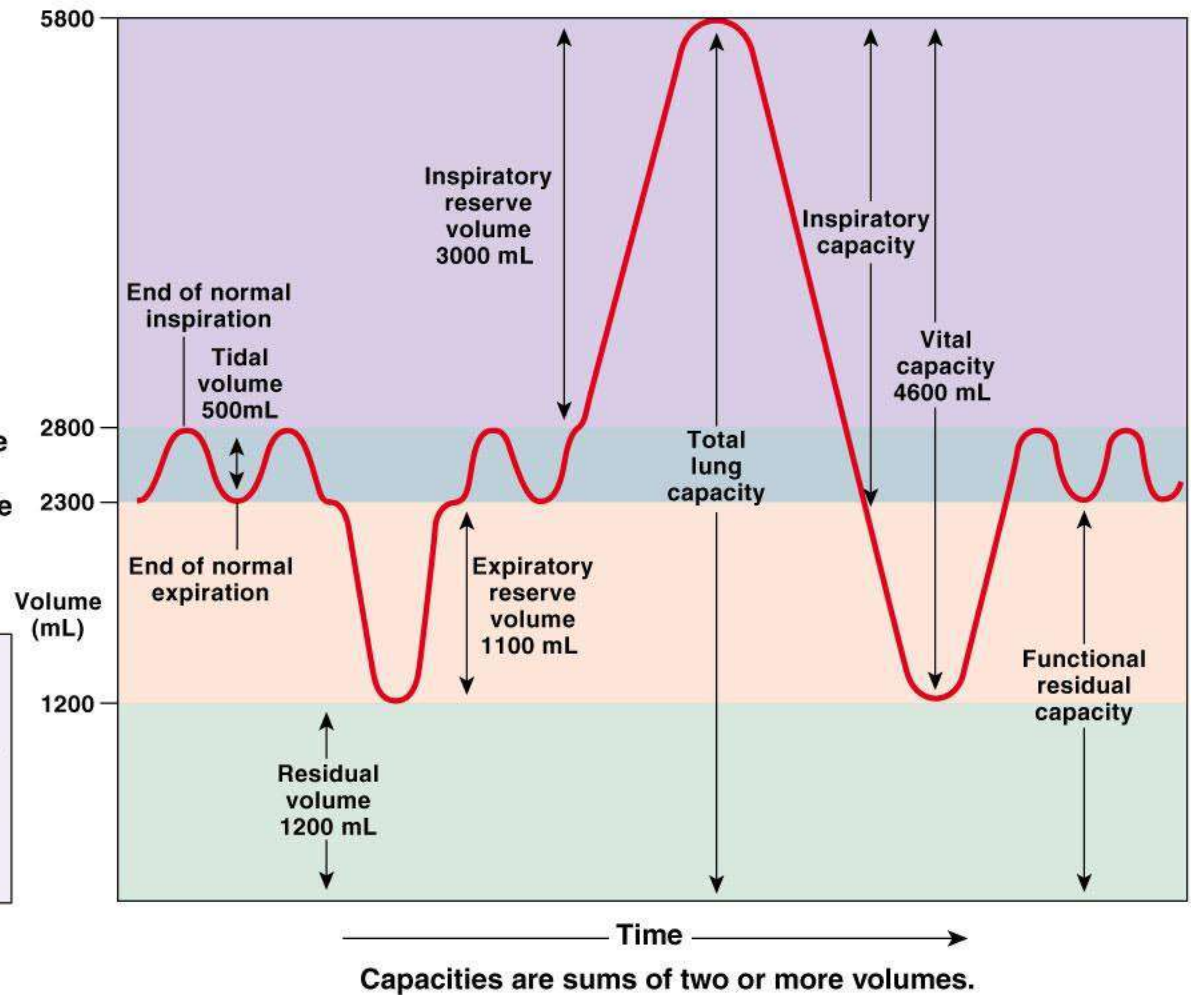


RV = Residual volume
 ERV = Expiratory reserve volume
 V_T = Tidal volume
 IRV = Inspiratory reserve volume

Pulmonary volumes

	Males	Females	
Vital capacity	IRV 3000	1900	Inspiratory capacity
	V_T 500	500	
	ERV 1100	700	Functional residual capacity
Residual volume	1200	1100	
	5800 mL	4200 mL	

A spirometer tracing showing lung volumes and capacities



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* Respiratory Volumes: During Quite Breathing

the Max Volume of Air we take 500ml But we have the potential to take up to 1L at Running OR doing Activity.

1) Tidal Volume, the Volume of Air we Inhale Normally.

2) Inspiratory Reserve Volume → Air we Inhale forcibly.

3) Expiratory Reserve Volume (ERV) → the Maximum Air we can Remove from lungs.

4) Residual Volume → the Volume of Air the we still have in our lungs.

↓
How is it Calculated (Helium dilution Method) → We let the person take up Helium At Known Volume and Conc.

$$V_L = V_S \times [(C_1/C_2) - 1]$$

↓
The Air which Enters the Lungs (Helium) is Now Mixed with O_2 in there

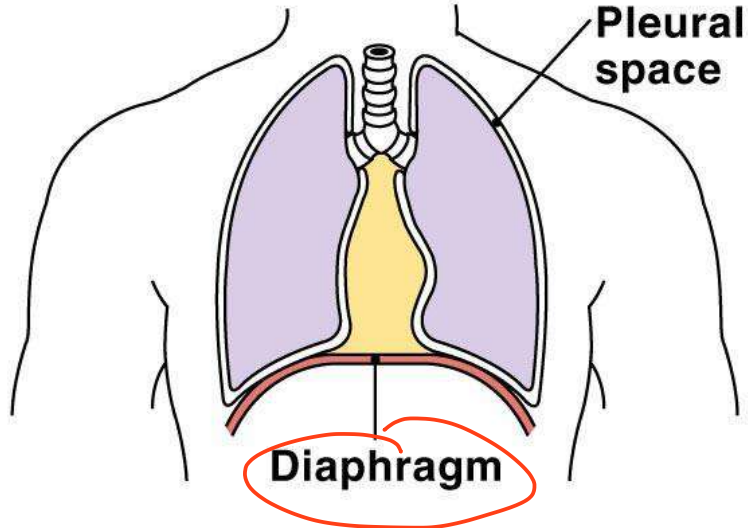
↓
we measure the Conc./Molarity → Volume

$$M_1 V_1 = M_2 V_2$$

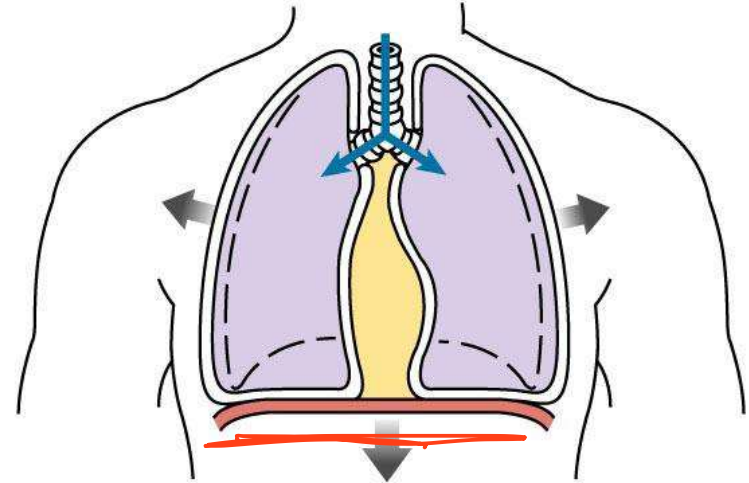
$$\text{Total} = 100 + RV$$

$$RV = \text{Total} - \text{He Volume.}$$

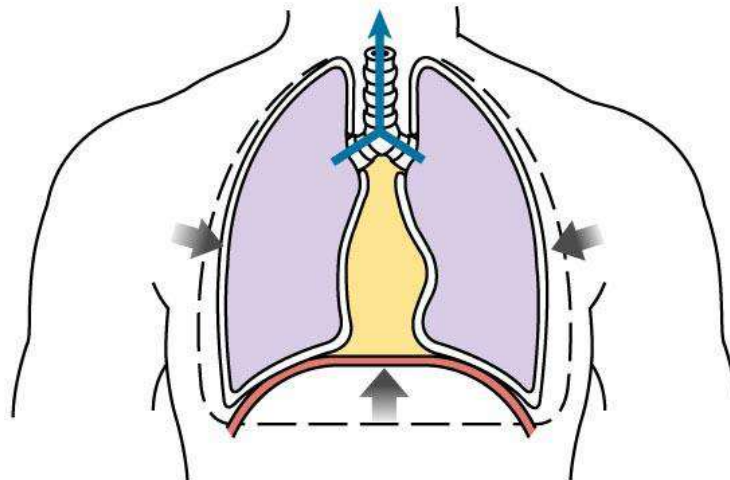
(a) At rest, diaphragm is relaxed.



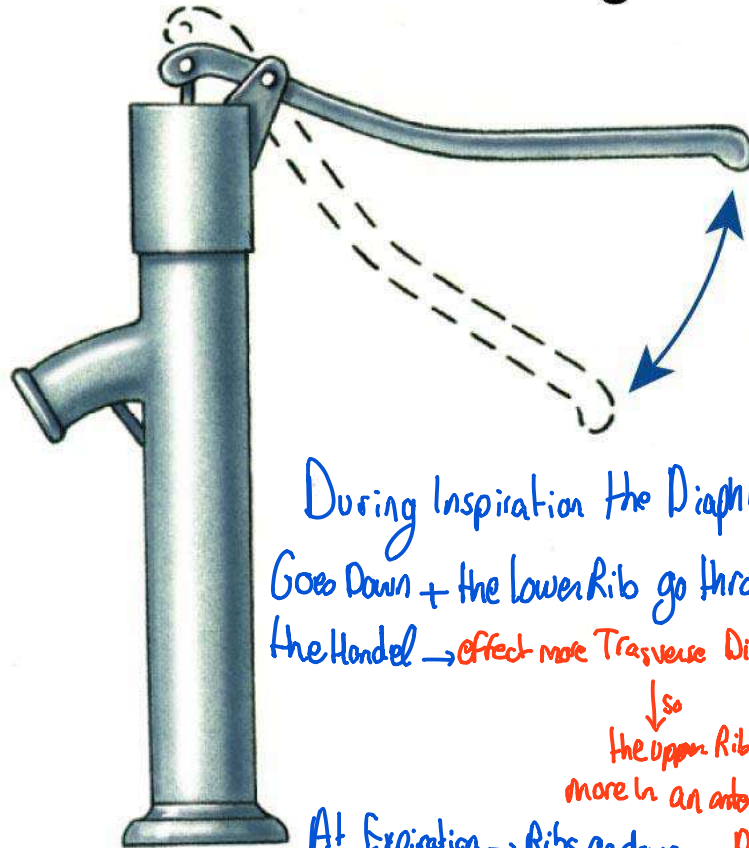
(b) Diaphragm contracts, thoracic volume increases.



(c) Diaphragm relaxes, thoracic volume decreases.



(a) “Pump handle” motion increases anterior-posterior dimension of rib cage.

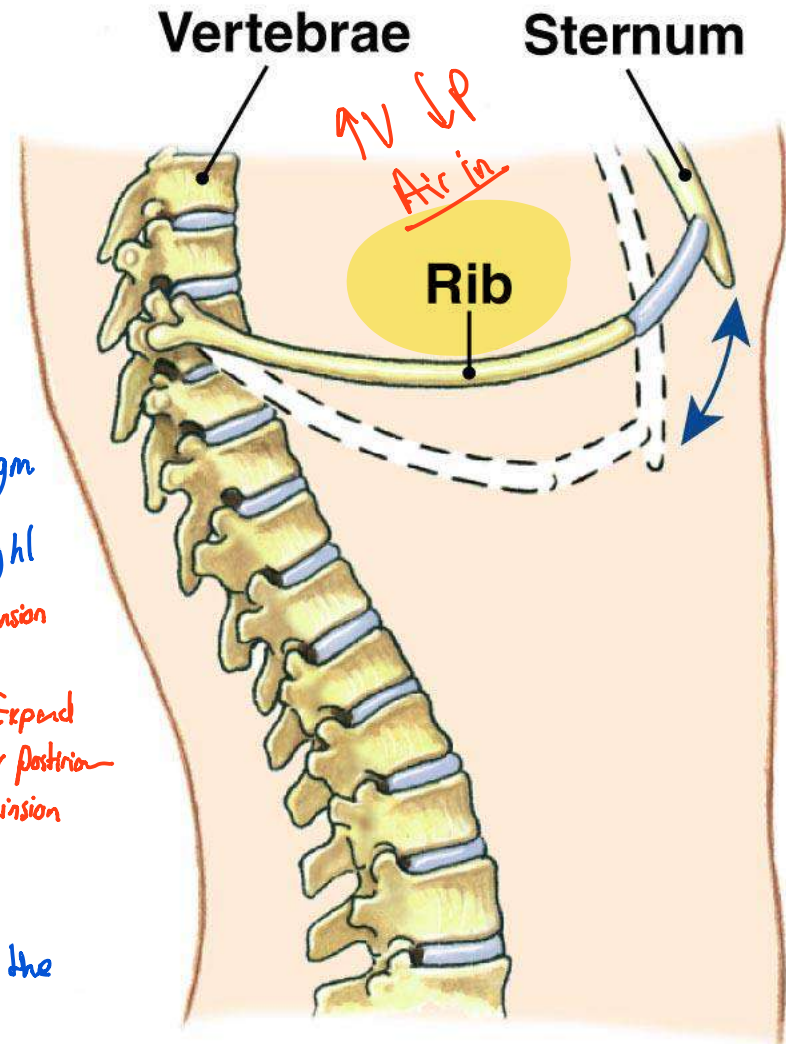


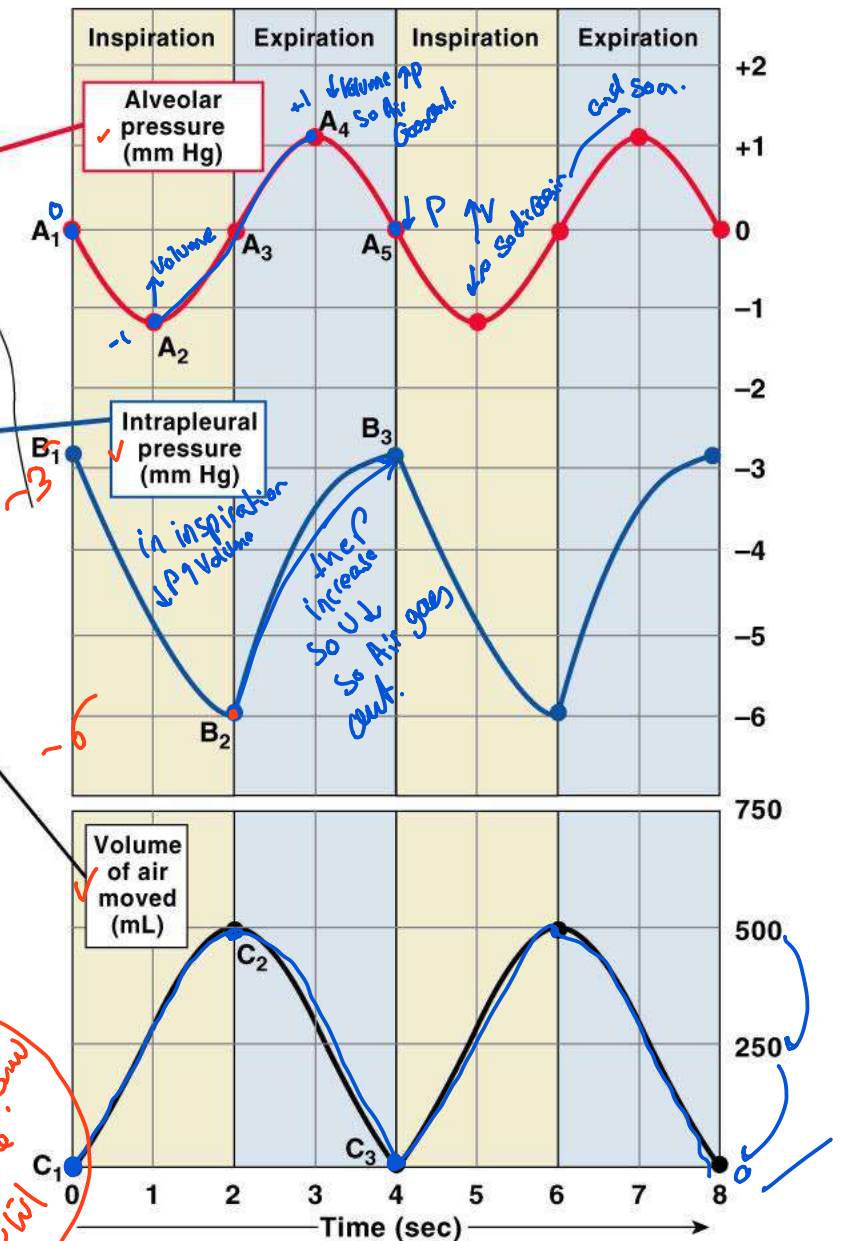
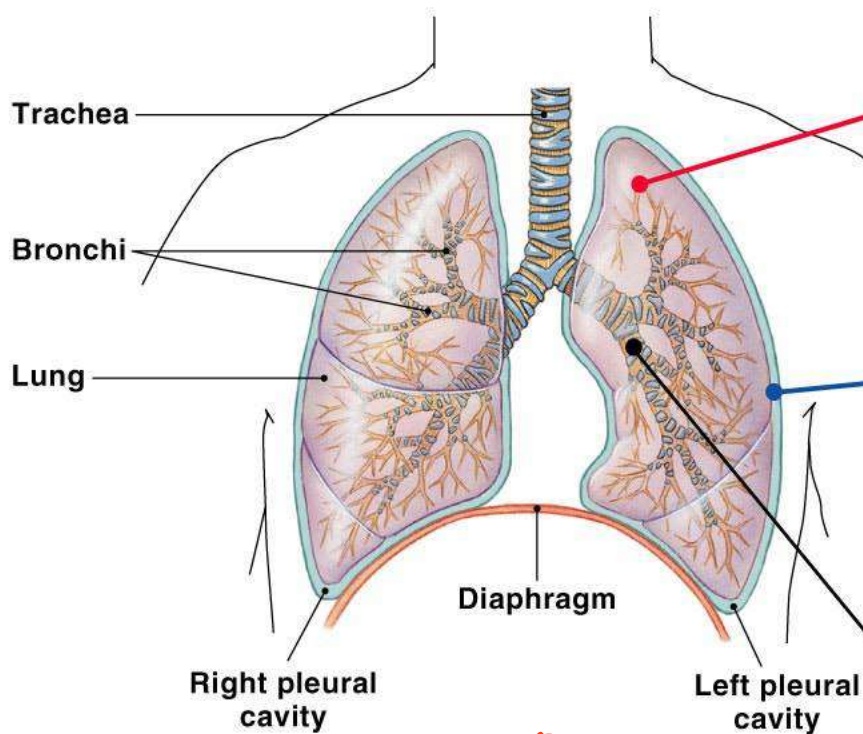
During Inspiration the Diaphragm Goes Down + the lower Rib go through the Handle → effect more Transverse Diminision

↓ So the upper Ribs Expand more in an anterior postrior Diminision

At Expiration → Ribs go down and the Diaphragm goes up again.

So Rib movement → Increase or Decrease the Width of Rib Cage.





3 Components:

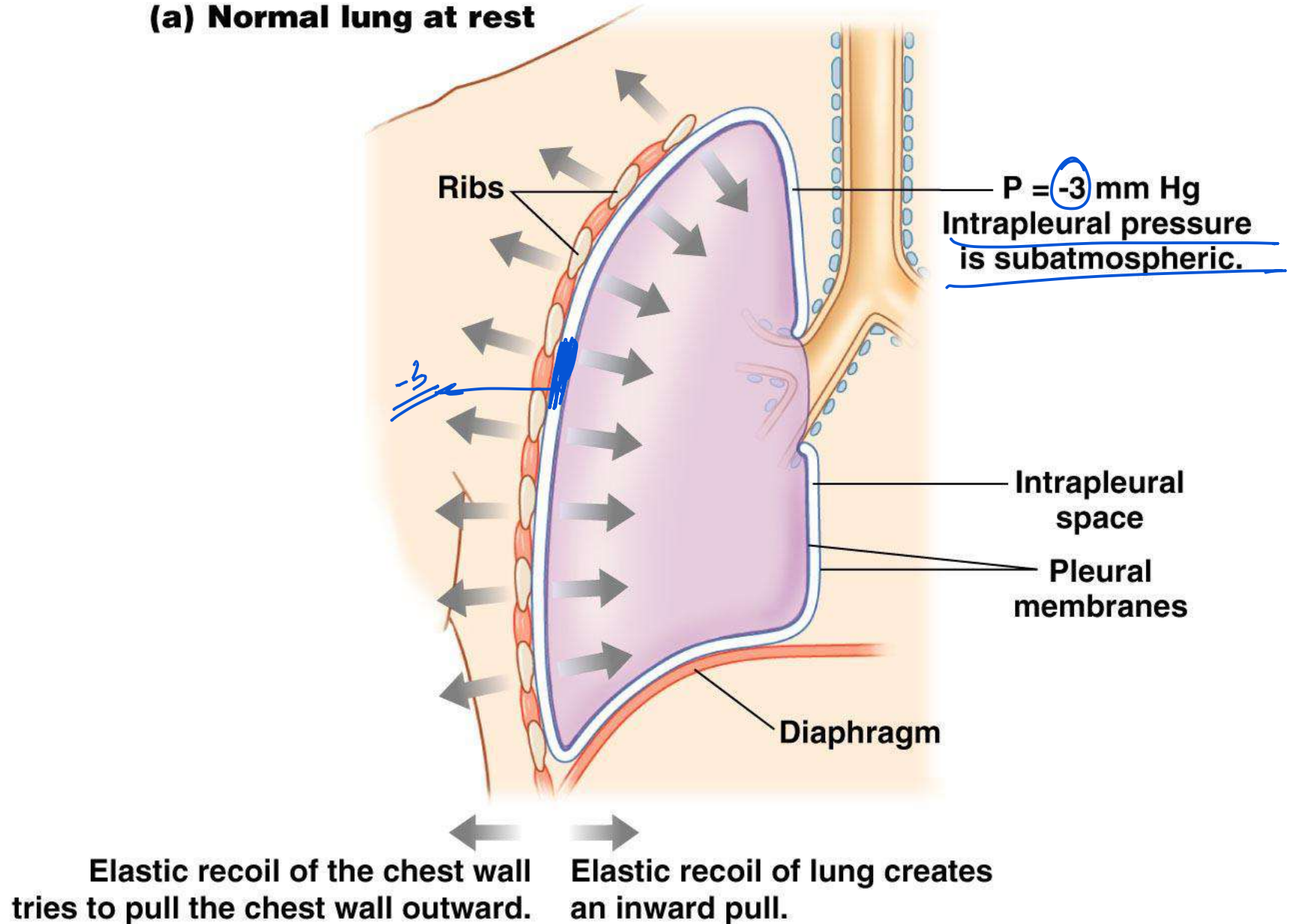
9 Rib ↓
 بغير الشئ الجذبي
 Pribal
 ↓ P to -6
 membrane
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Lung Collapse

Caused when lungs are injured.

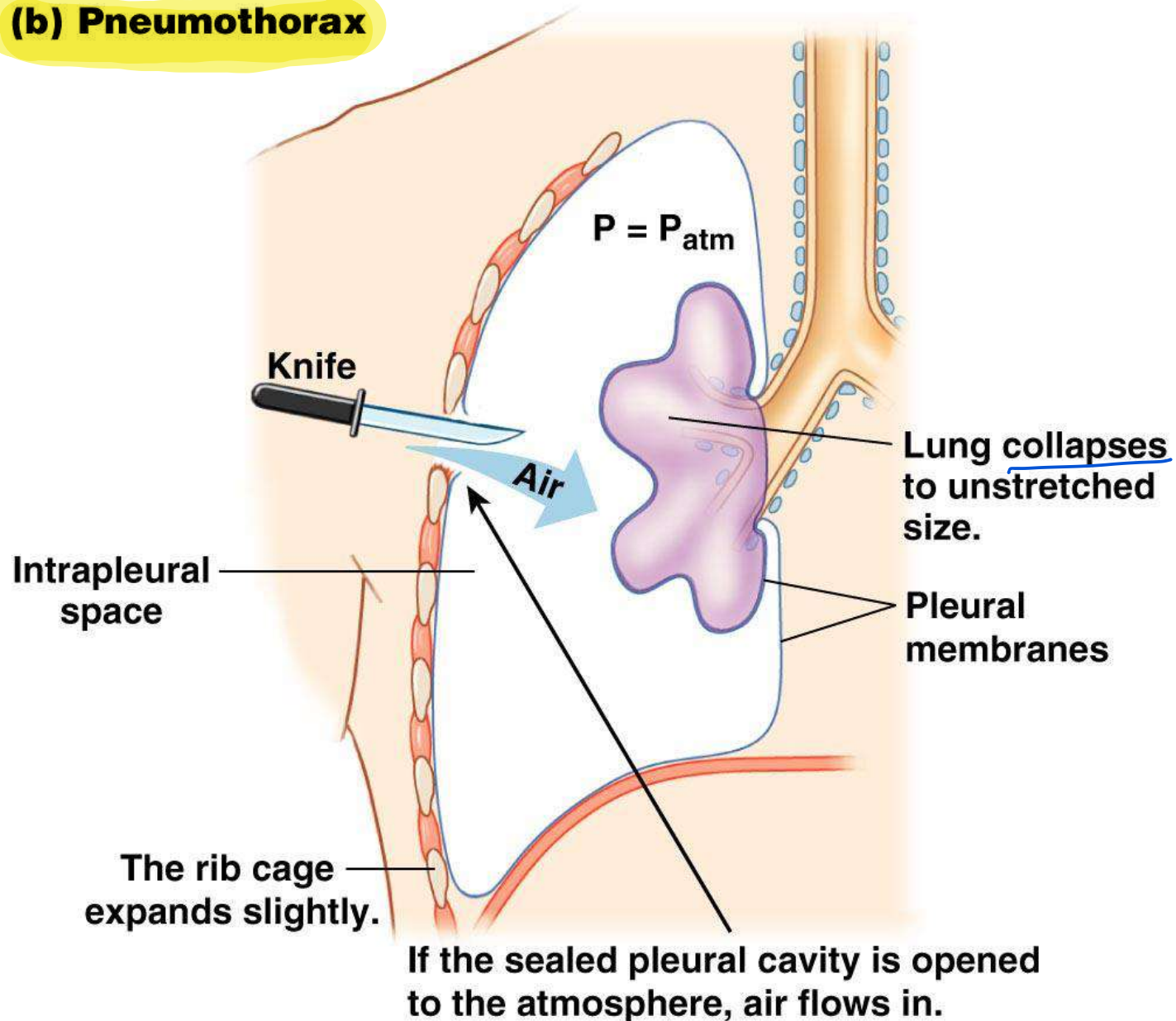
- Caused by equalization of the intrapleural pressure with the intrapulmonary pressure
- **Transpulmonary pressure** keeps the
airways open
 - Transpulmonary pressure – difference between the intrapulmonary and intrapleural pressures
 $(P_{pul} - P_{ip})$ ✓

(a) Normal lung at rest



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(b) Pneumothorax



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* **What is Hypoxia?** When Blood level of O_2 falls below 80.

- **Hypercapnia** → Increase in the CO_2 level in Blood (Normally at Rest → 40 mmHg CO_2 + 98 mmHg O_2)

→ **Hypoventilation:** In this case O_2 level will drop and CO_2 level will increase.

↳ So as a response from our body it will try to increase O_2 + ↓ CO_2

1) Increasing Respiratory Rate (More Breathing)

2) ↑ Respiratory Reserve Volume (RRV) + ↑ Expiratory Reserve Volume (ERV) → which increases the Rate + Volume which you take → Hyperventilation.

So Hypoventilation cause, Hypoventilation.

What tells the body to take more Air? and Reduce CO_2 ?

↳ Chemical Receptors are needed for this case because we deal with chemicals

Integration
↓ ↓

Everything we do is based on this.

Sensation + Motor Action

So whenever O_2 ↓ + CO_2 ↑ it means that there is Hypoxia - Hypercapnia → which can be sensed by the chemical receptors.

As Example: Divers that do Hypoventilation before swimming ↑ PO_2 to 120 and Reduce PCO_2 to 20 or below

↳ when they dive → O_2 will be consumed quickly while CO_2 will be produced slowly

O_2 → 90 → 85 → 80 while CO_2 → 18 → 20 → 25 → 30 → Severe Drop.

So when CO_2 reaches 40 + O_2 decrease to below 80 → it will cause coma → which may lead to death.

↓
Those chemical receptors

are specific one to CO_2 and the other for O_2 .

* Our body is more sensitive to CO_2 than O_2

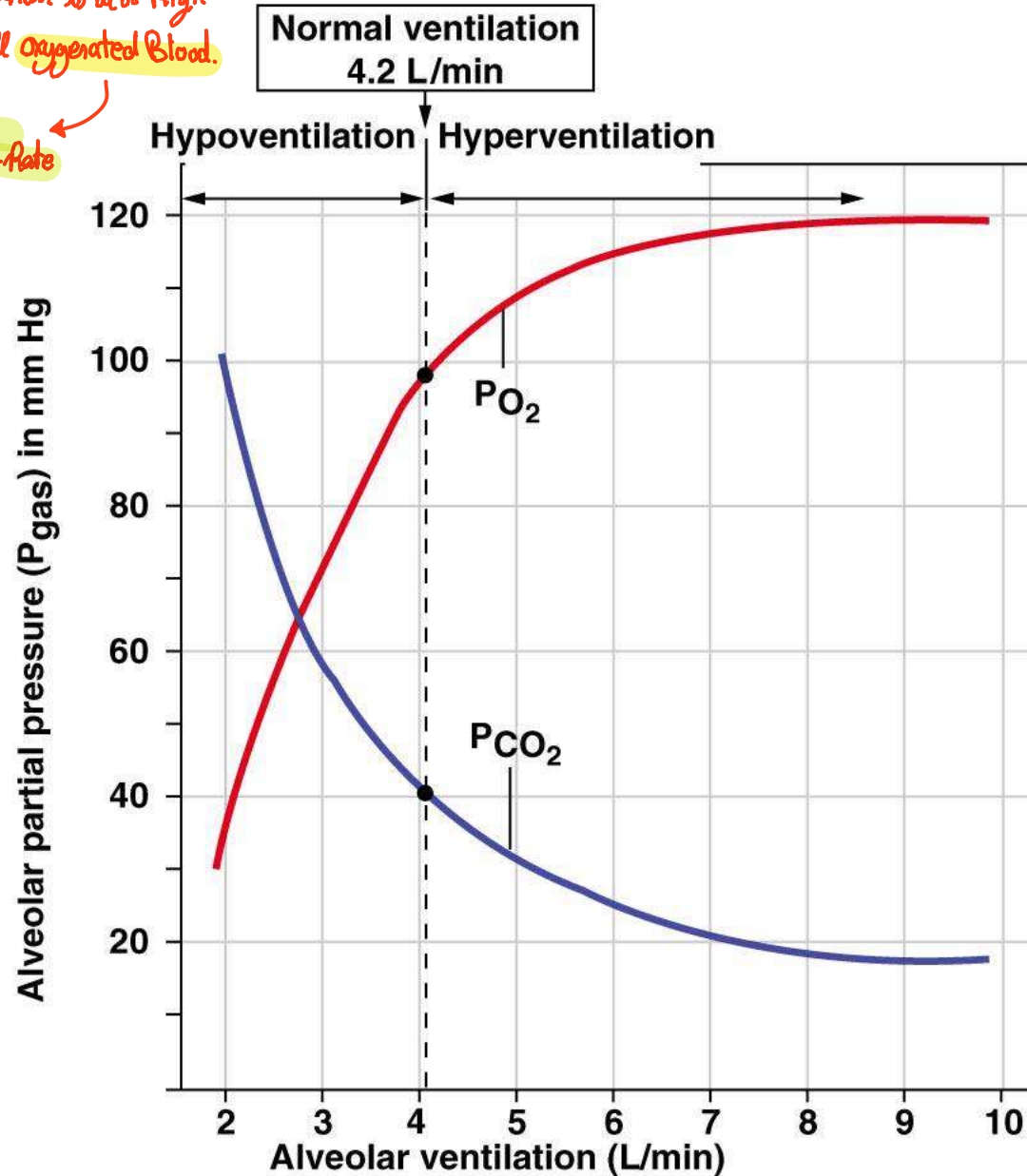
Hyperventilation can happen consciously OR unconsciously (By chemo receptors)

→ why are receptors more sensitive to CO_2 ? Because CO_2 can mess with pH of the body, since it's a part of buffering system.

→ Normally we have a ratio to follow (Perfusion - ventilation Ratio) → They have to be equal.
Perfusion → Flow of blood into lungs to meet enough Ventilation → $فازم - فائز$

Circulation (High) → the ventilation is also High
to have well oxygenated Blood.

Increase Respiratory Rate
Increase Heart Rate



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Perfusion
(the amount of
Blood which
circulate in
lungs =
Ratio with gas
exchange is okay)

Respiratory Rate
Gas Exchange.

Passage of blood into lungs of
other Organs.

As for Example Asthma

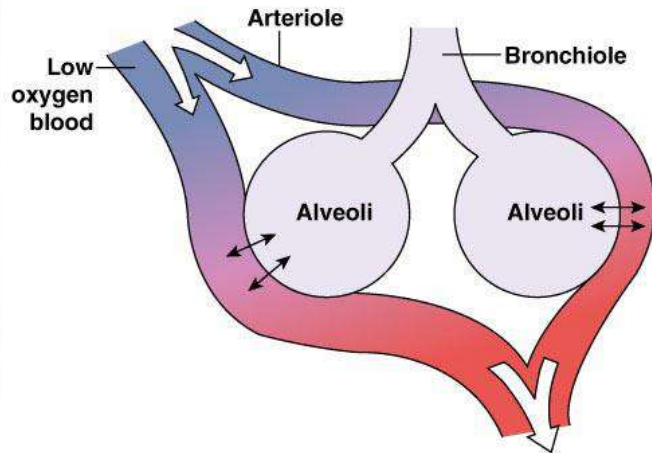
↳ Ventilation is not good while

Perfusion
is okay.

So Blood is
not oxygenated

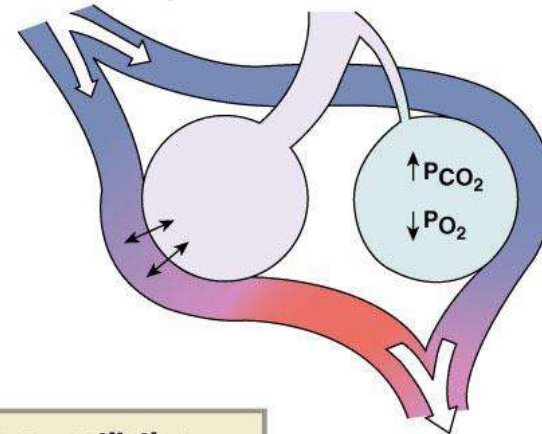
So we need to
Decrease the
amount of blood
entering the
lungs

(a) Ventilation in alveoli is matched to perfusion through pulmonary capillaries.



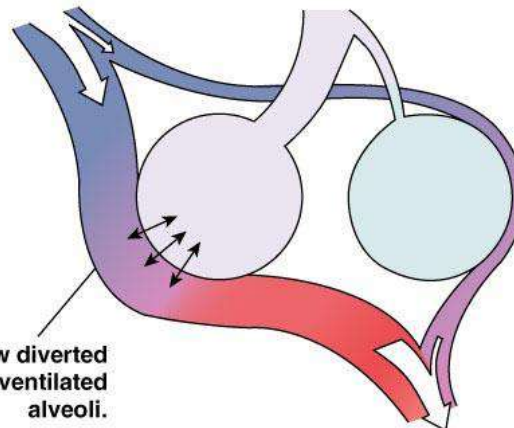
(b) Ventilation-perfusion mismatch.

If ventilation decreases in a group of alveoli (blue), PCO_2 increases and PO_2 decreases. Blood flowing past those alveoli does not get oxygenated.



(c) Local control mechanisms try to keep ventilation and perfusion matched.

Decreased tissue PO_2 around underventilated alveoli constricts their arterioles, diverting blood to better-ventilated alveoli.

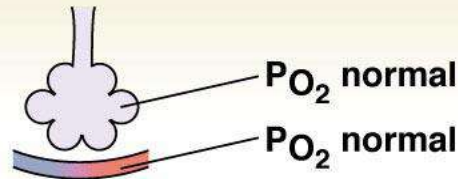


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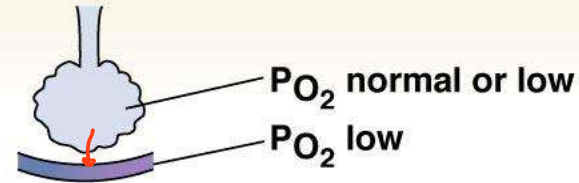
COPD → Chronic obstructive Pulmonary disease.

less surface Area (60m² rather than 75m²)
to take O₂ so blood is not oxygenated well.
(even though the O₂ that enters is enough.)

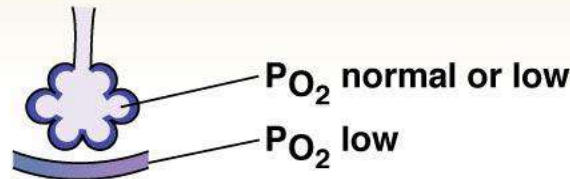
(a) Normal lung



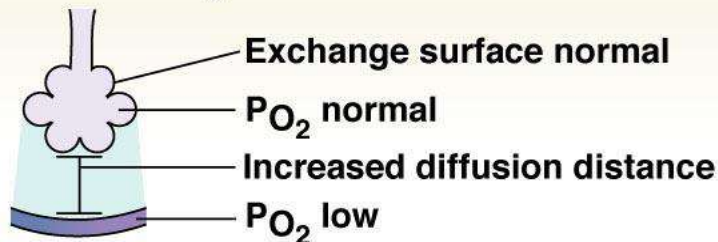
(b) Emphysema: destruction of alveoli reduces surface area for gas exchange.



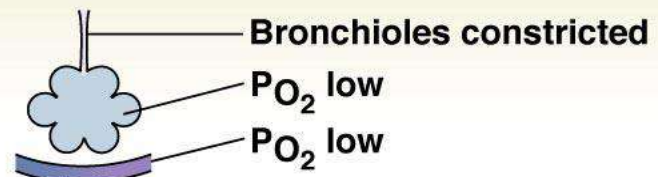
(c) Fibrotic lung disease: thickened alveolar membrane slows gas exchange. Loss of lung compliance may decrease alveolar ventilation.

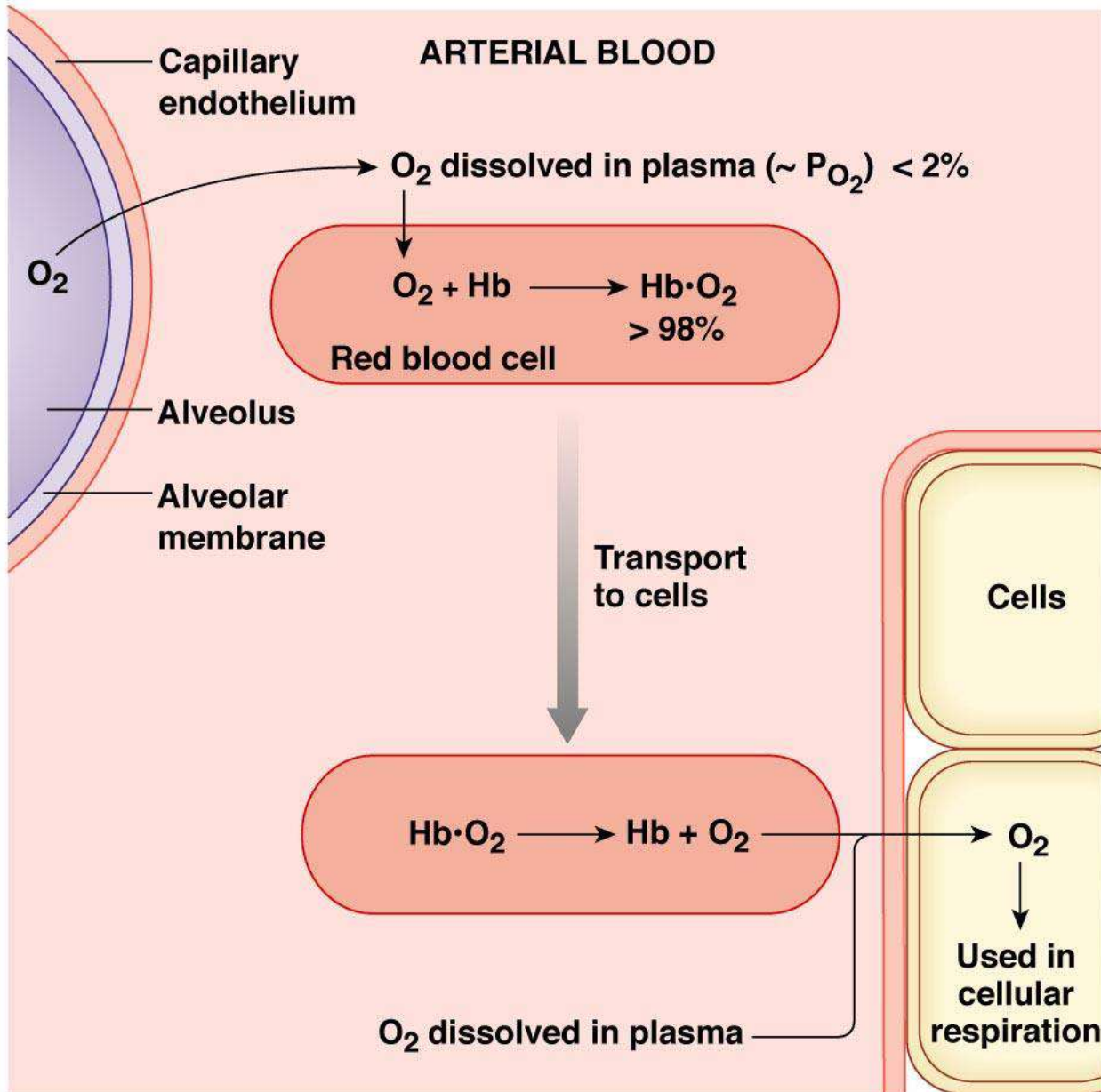


(d) Pulmonary edema: fluid in interstitial space increases diffusion distance. Arterial PCO_2 may be normal due to higher CO_2 solubility in water.



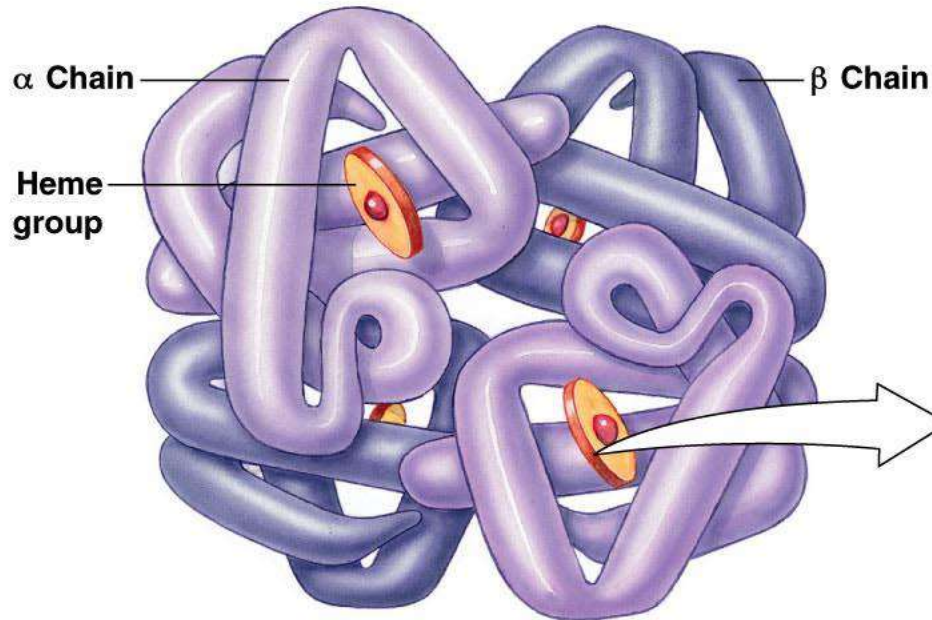
(e) Asthma: increased airway resistance decreases airway ventilation.





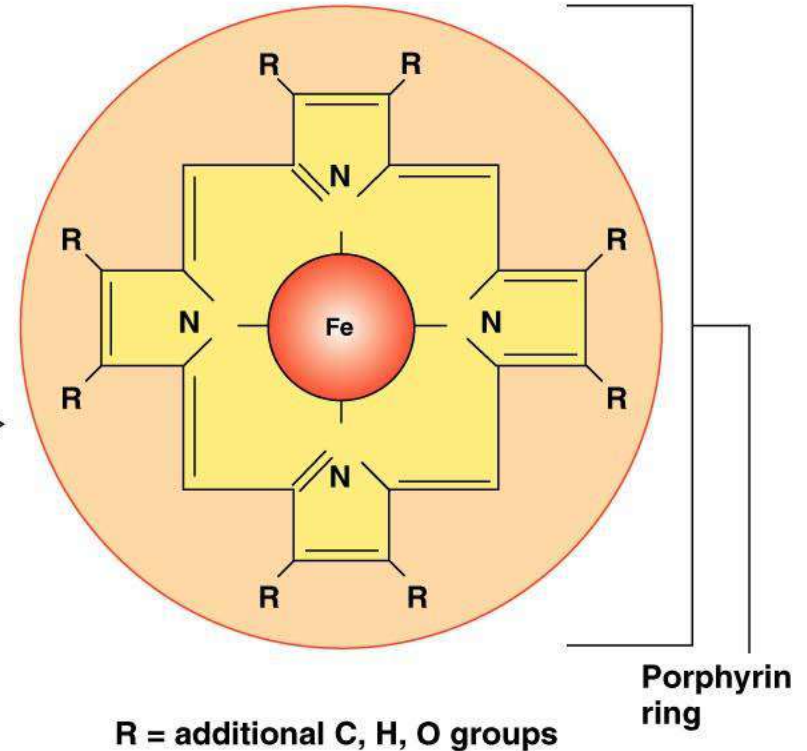
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(a) A hemoglobin molecule is composed of four protein globin chains, each surrounding a central heme group.

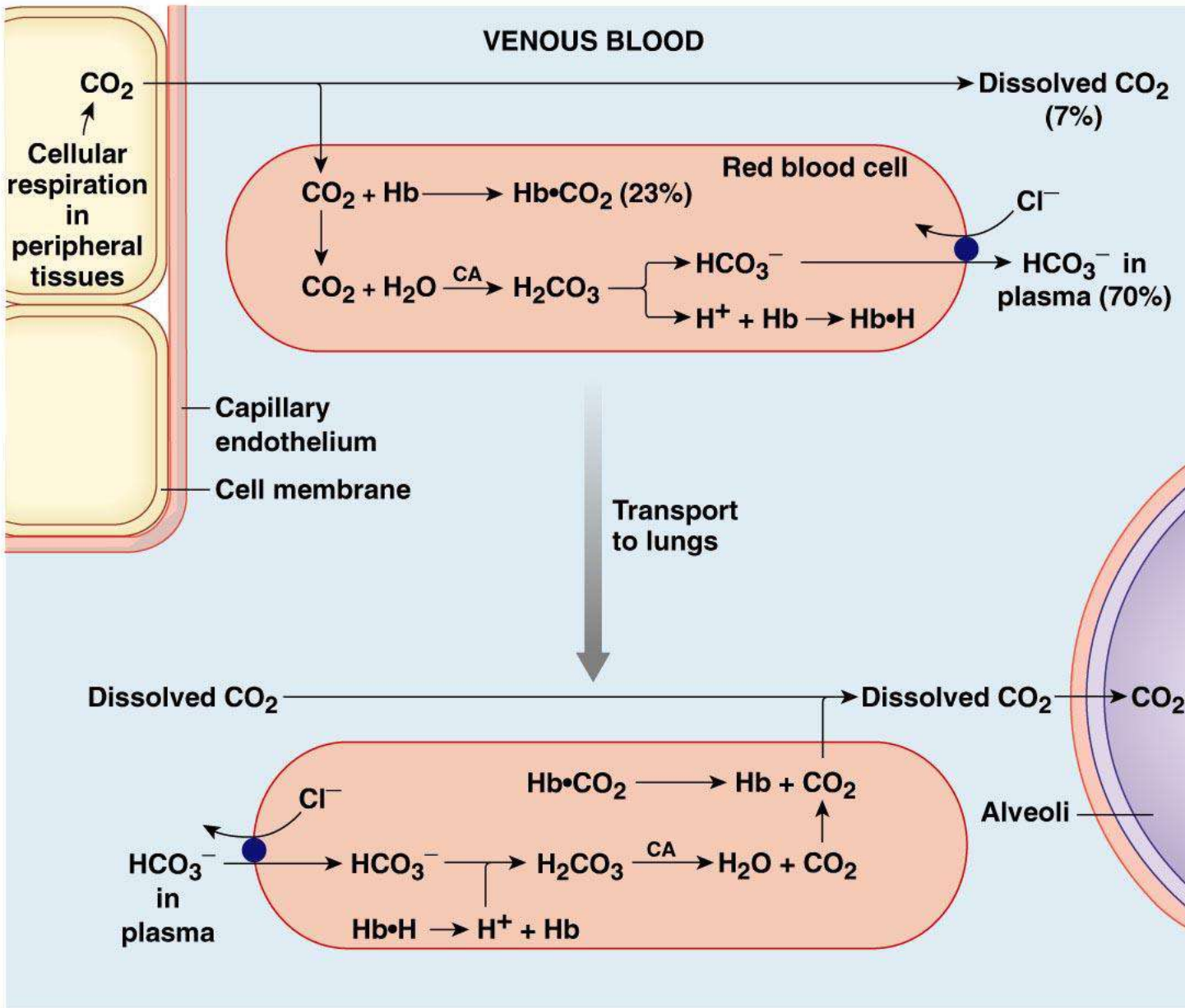


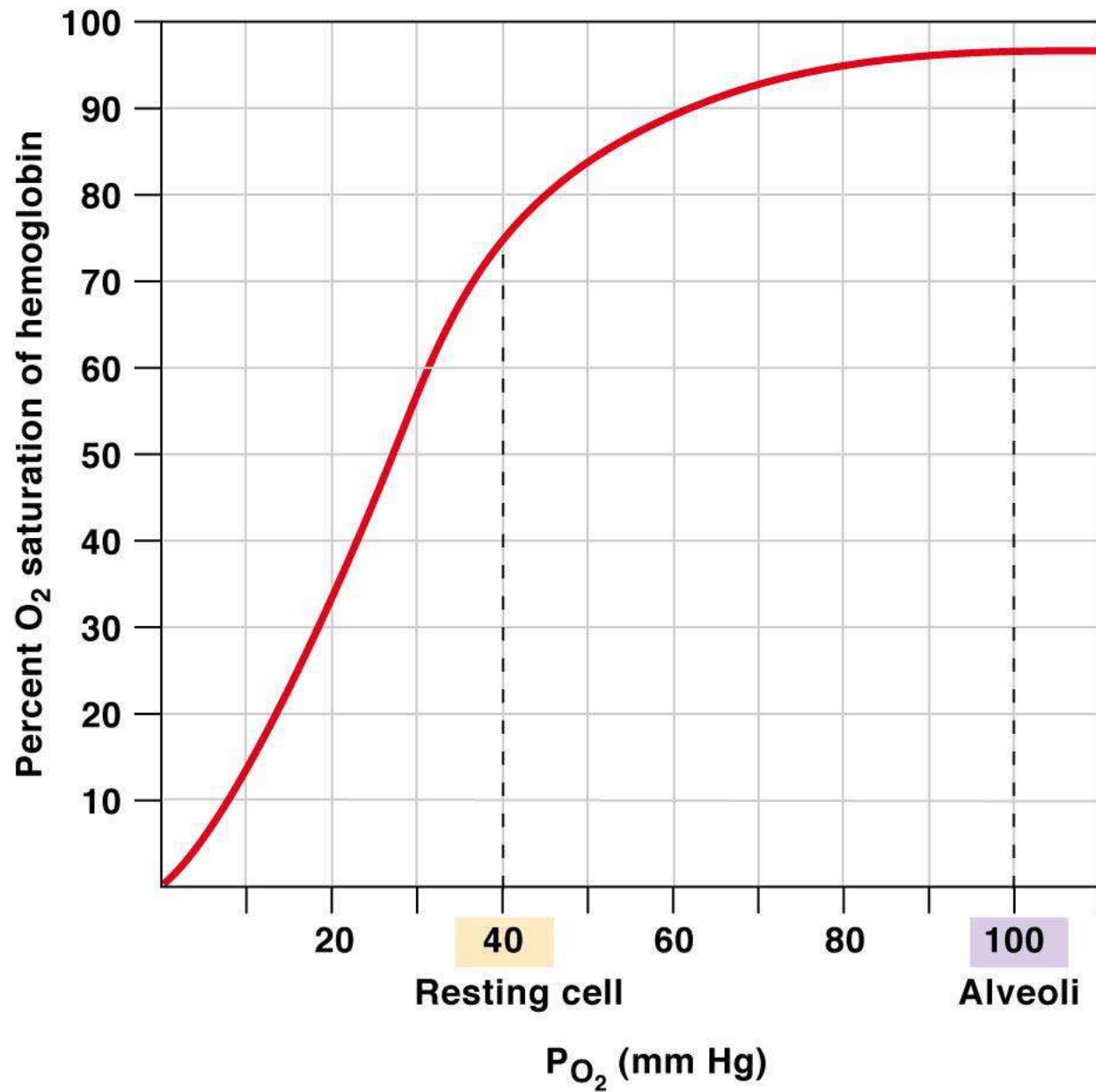
In most adult hemoglobin, there are two alpha chains and two beta chains as shown.

(b) Each heme group consists of a porphyrin ring with an iron atom in the center.



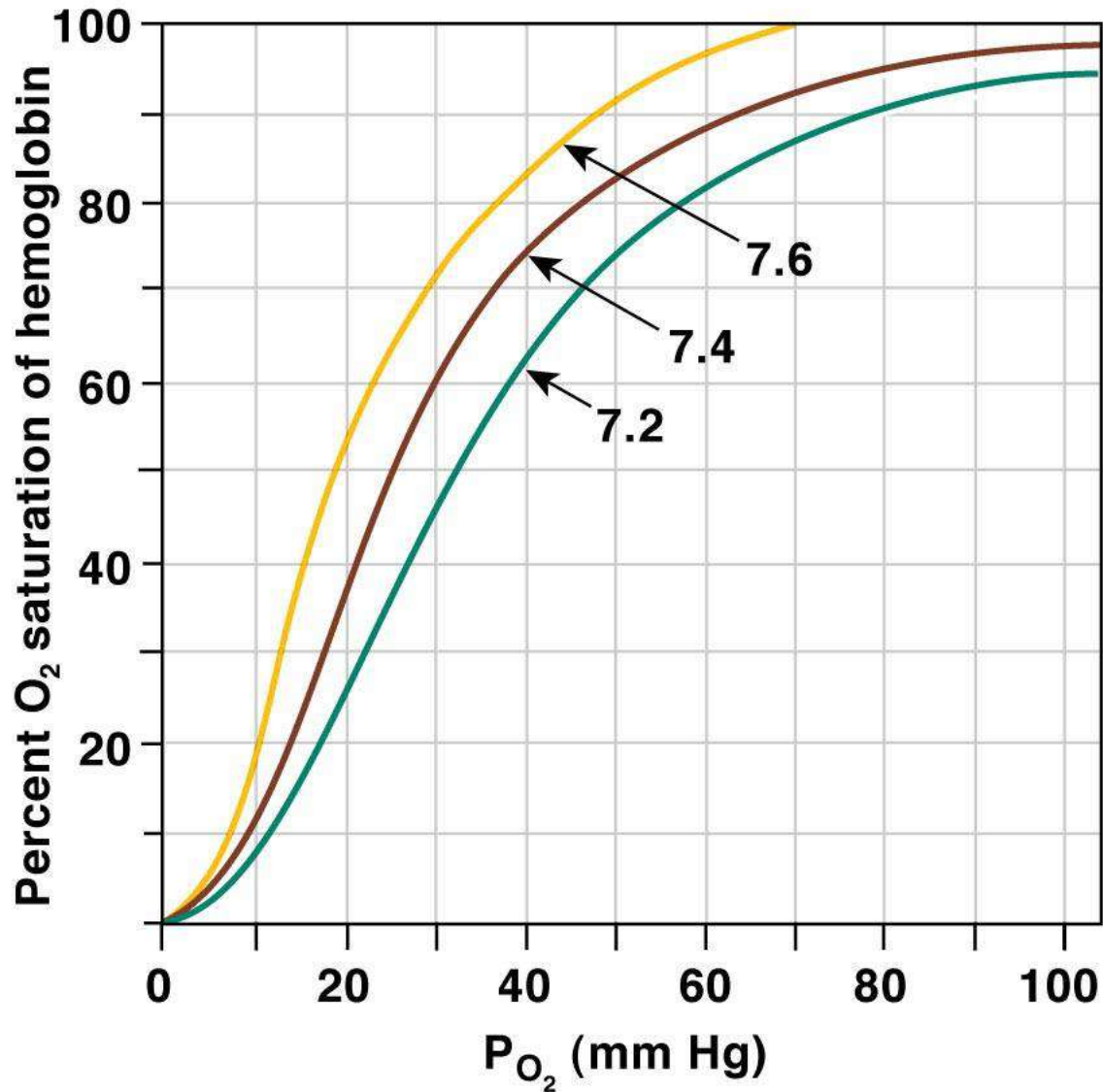
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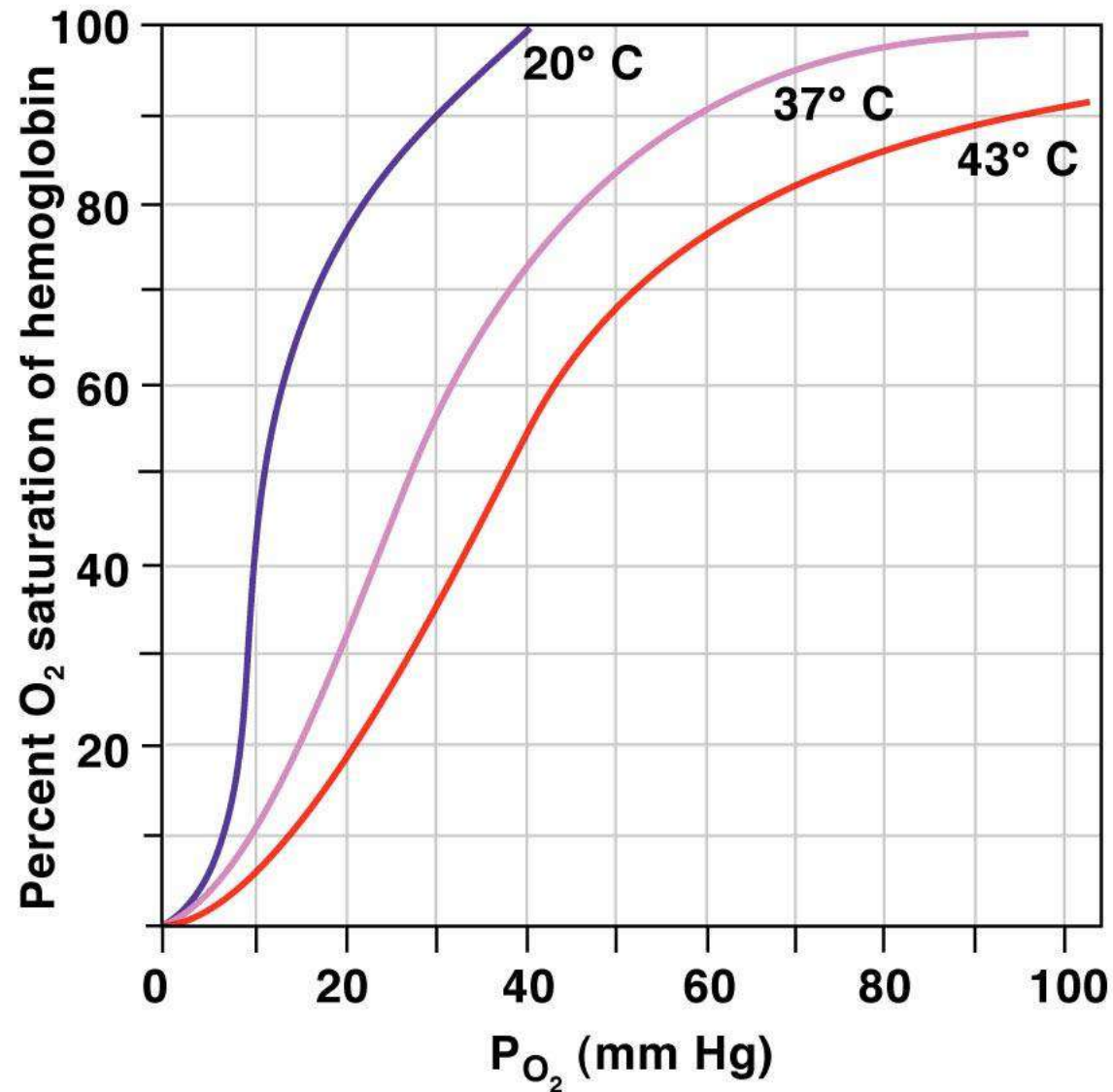
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(a) Effect of pH



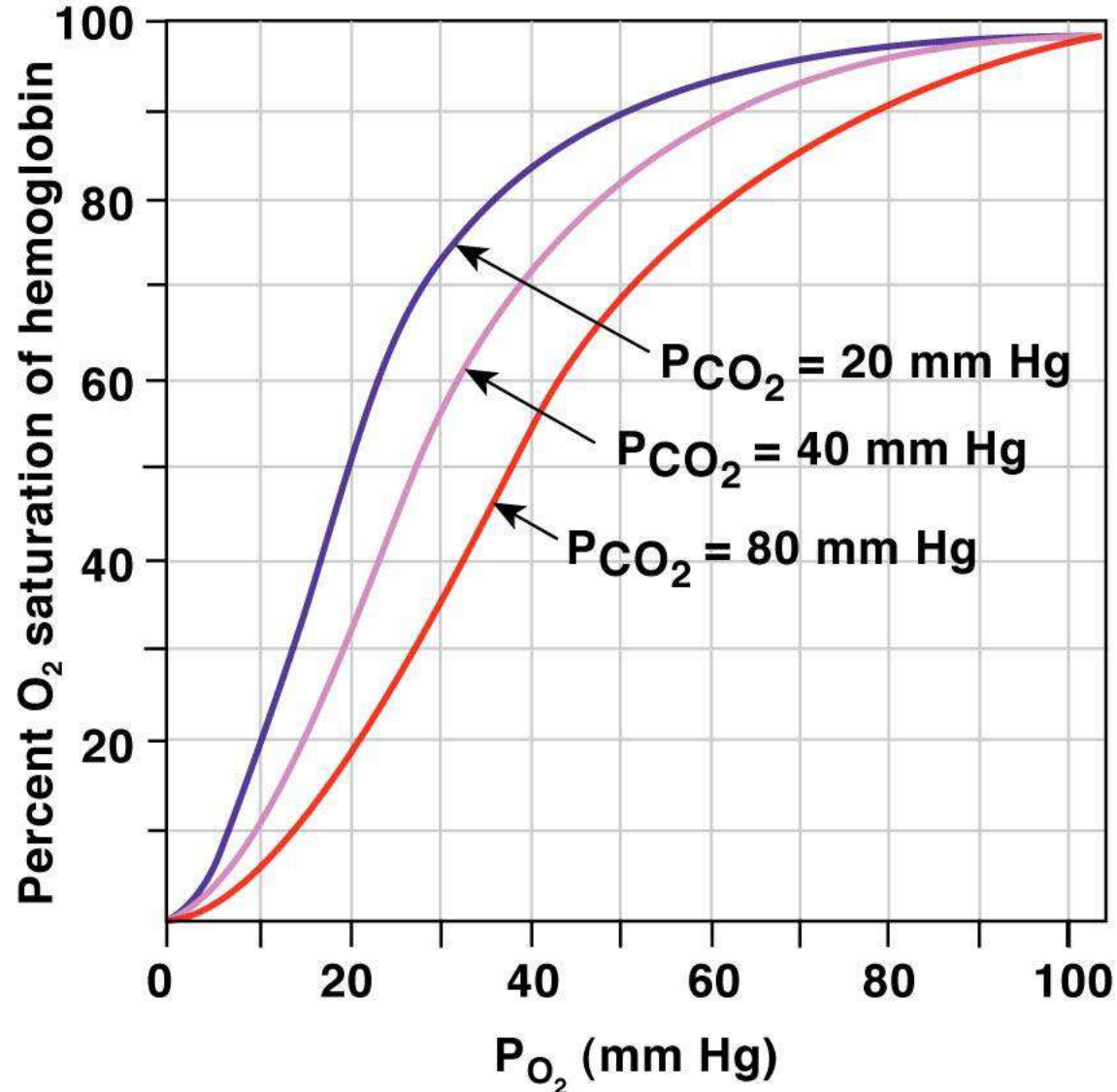
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(b) Effect of temperature

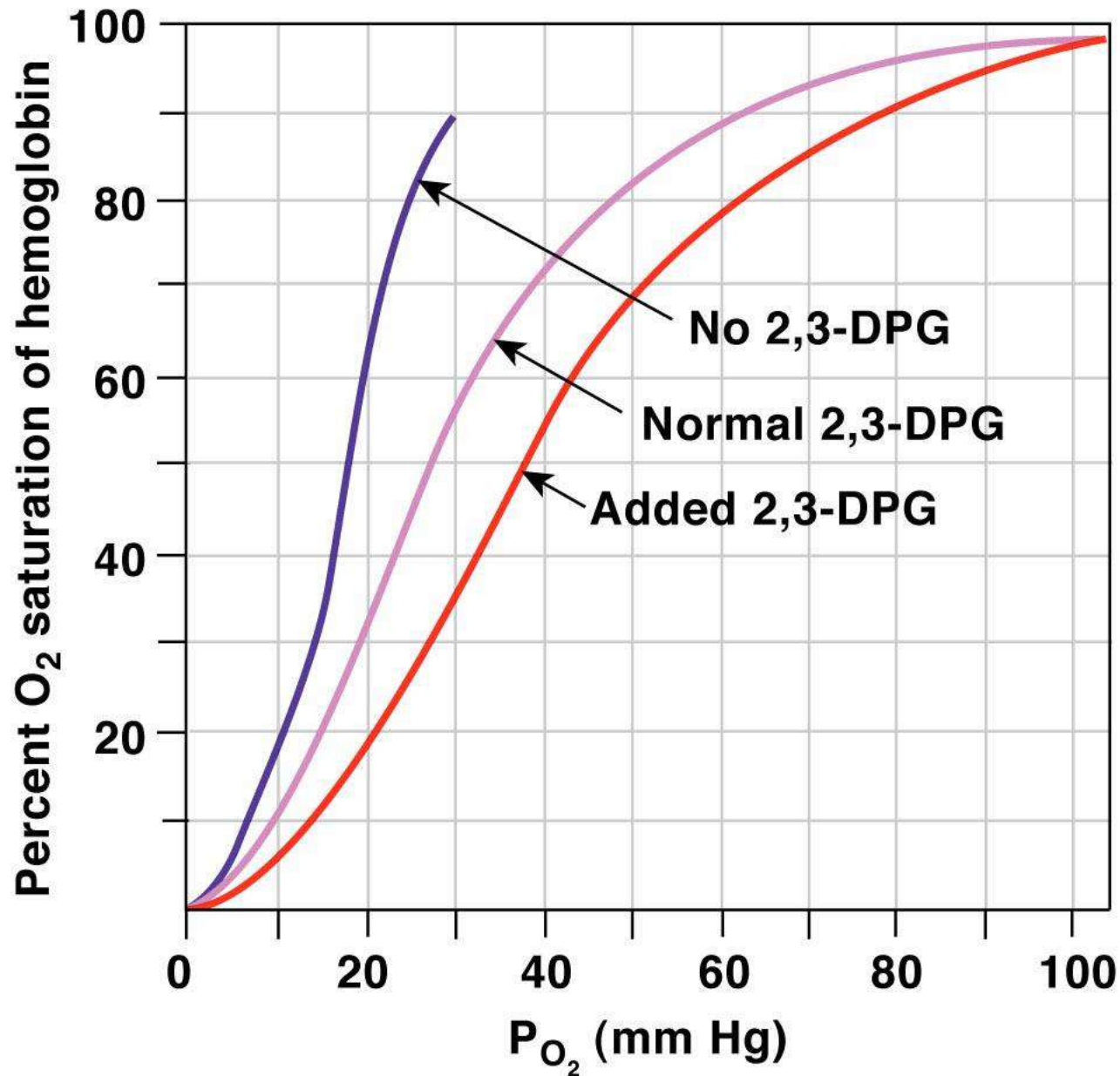


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(c) Effect of P_{CO_2}

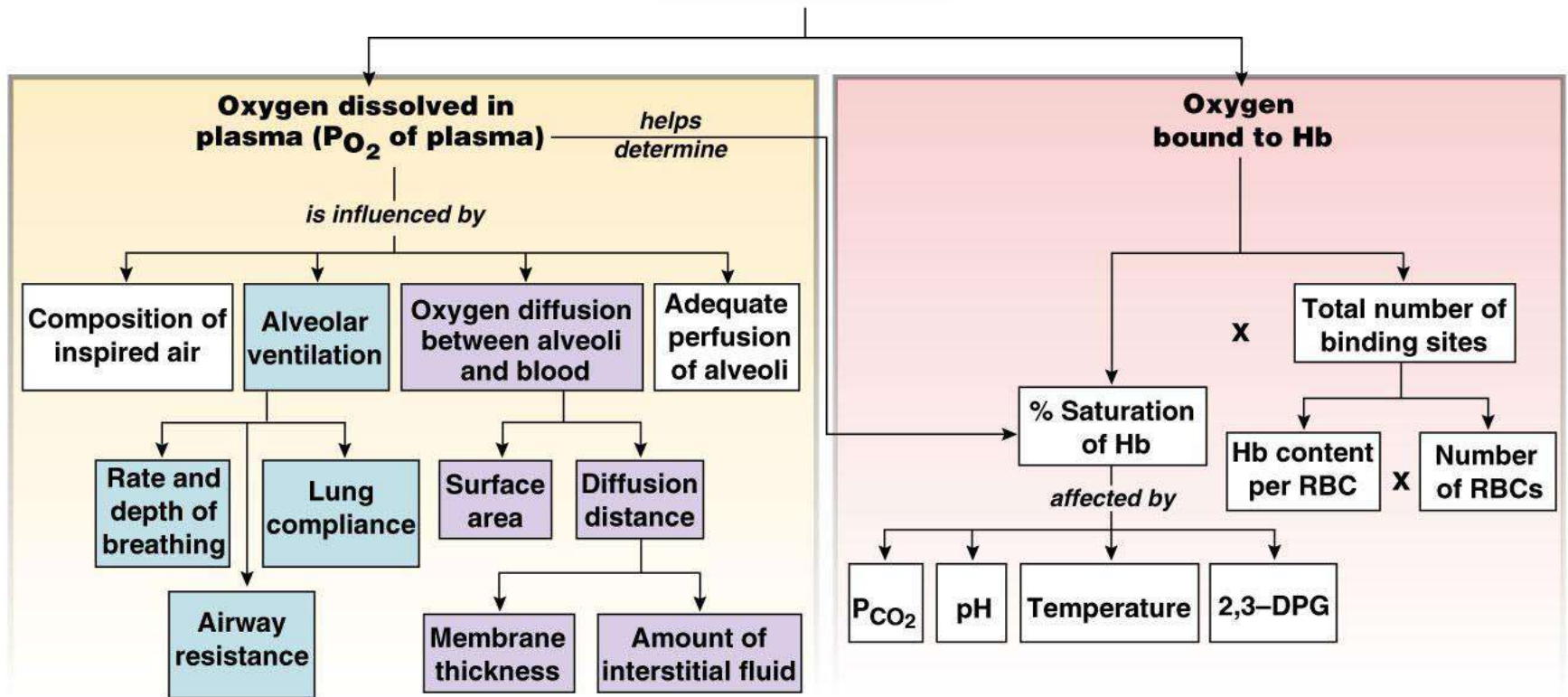


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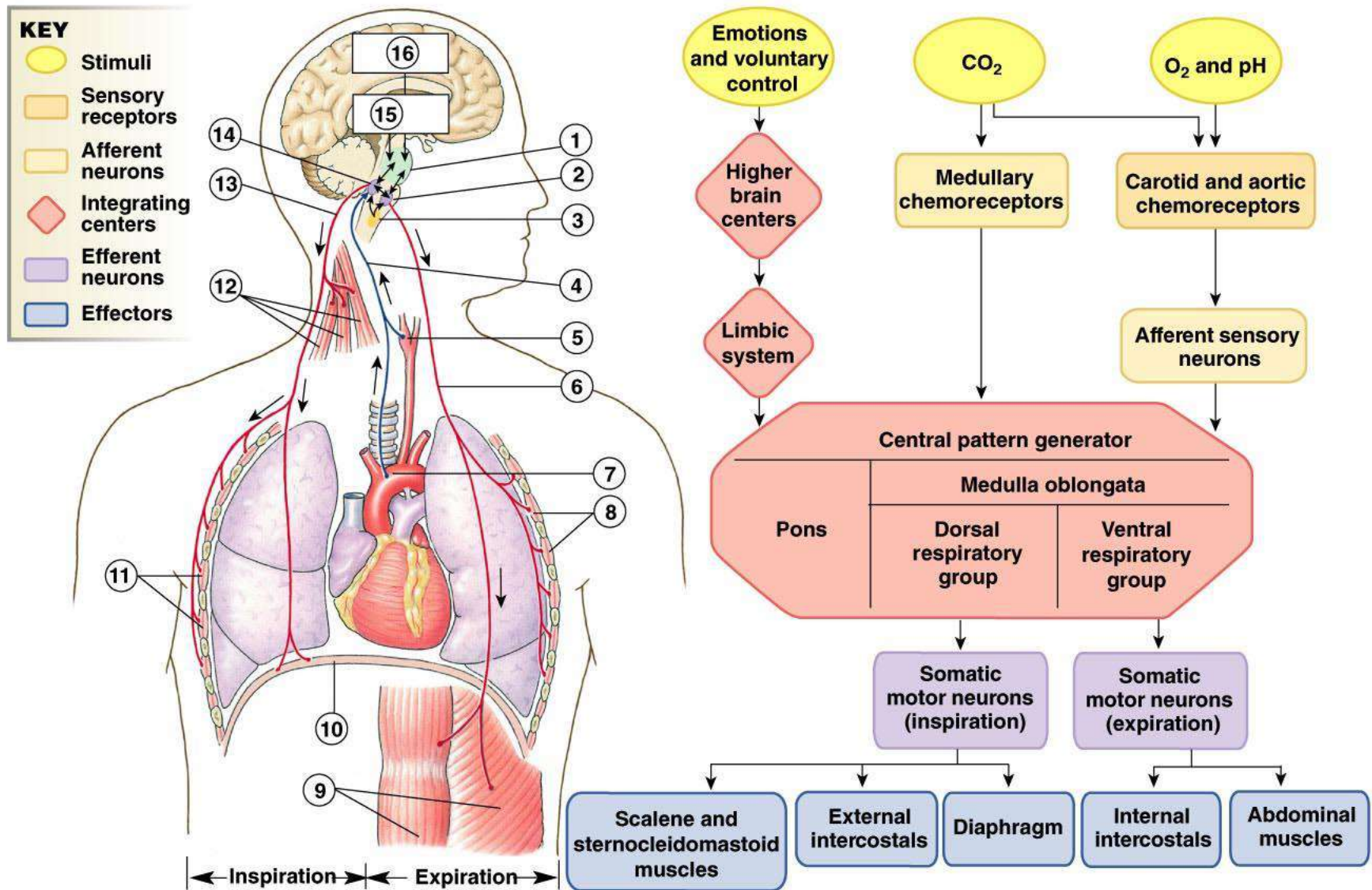


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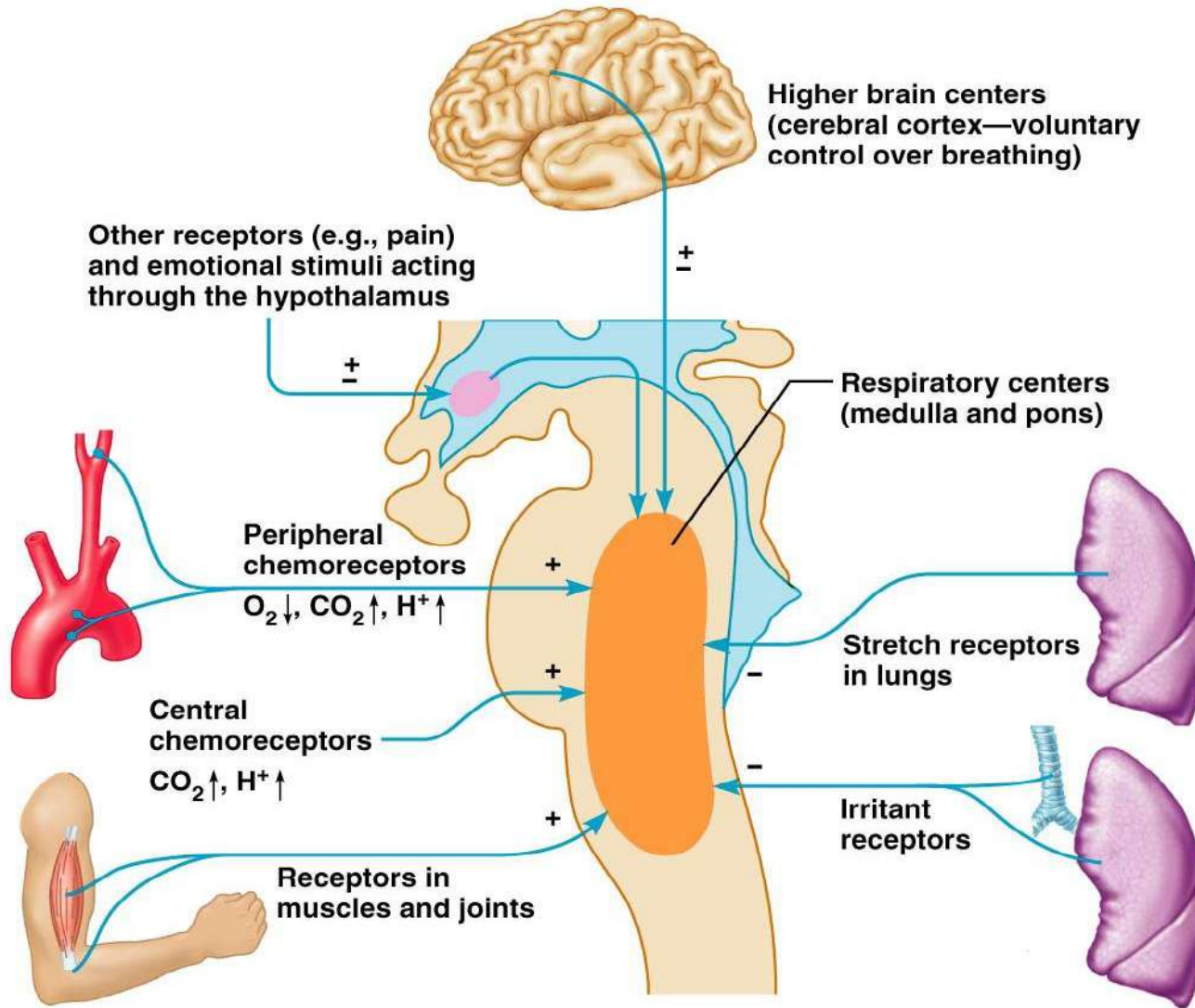


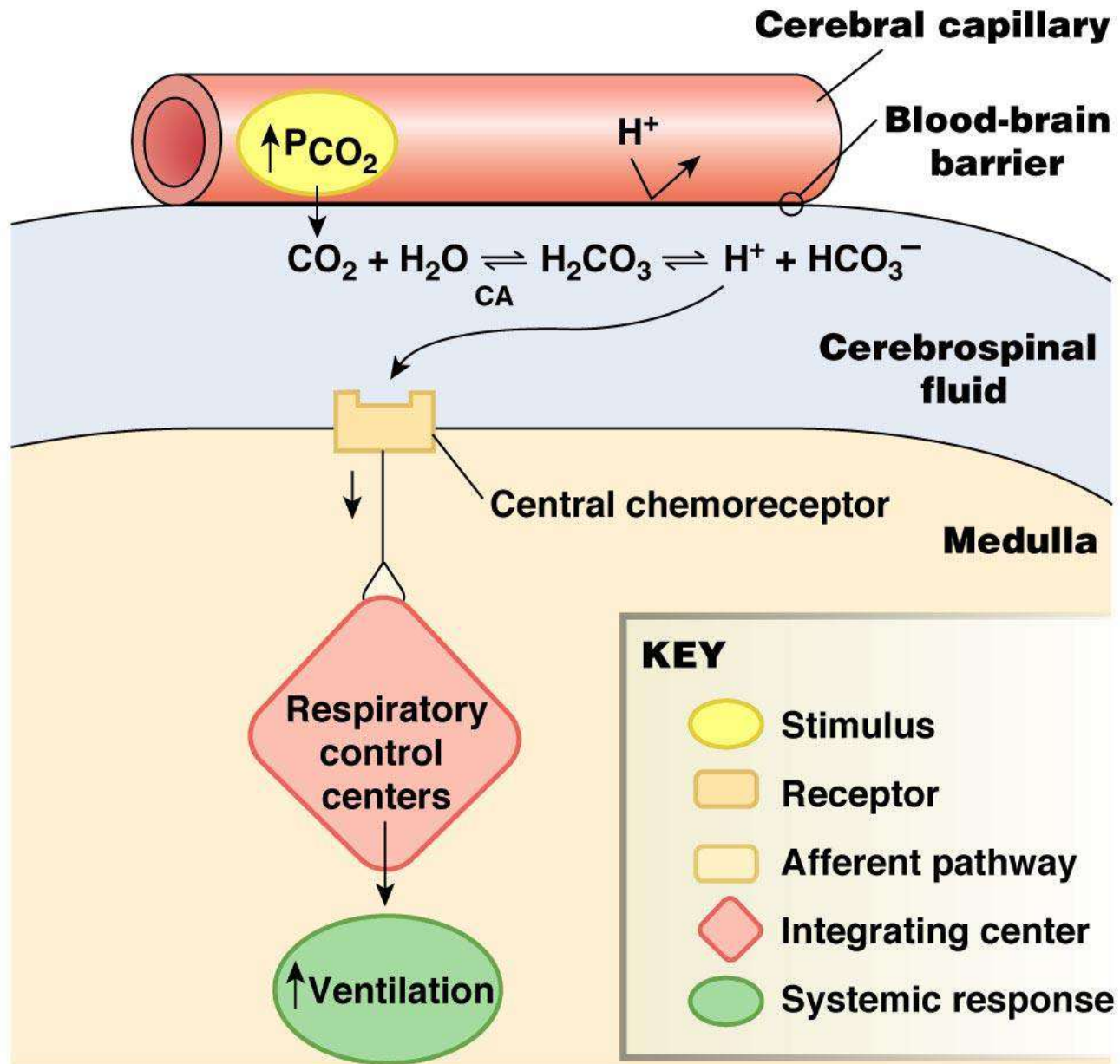
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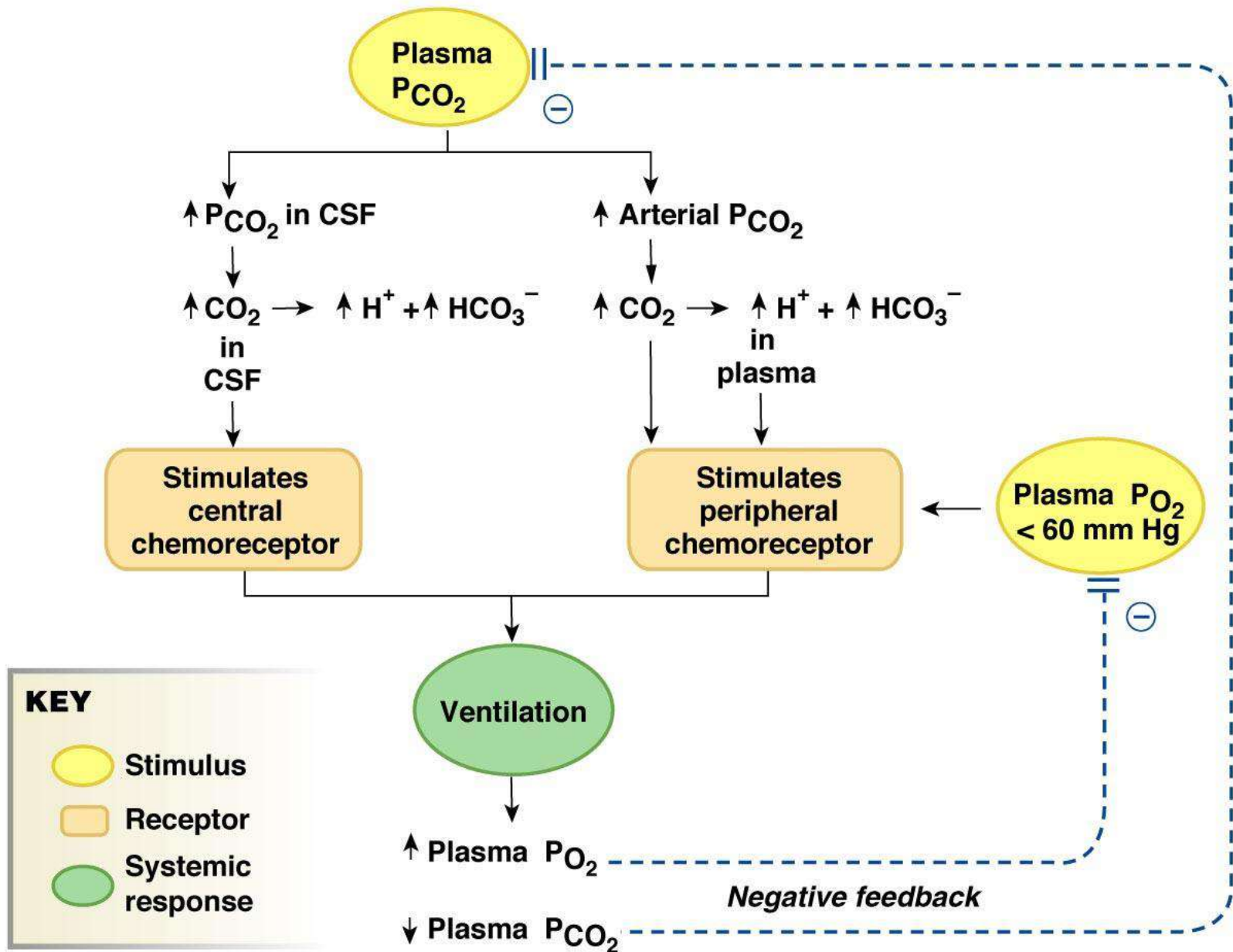
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