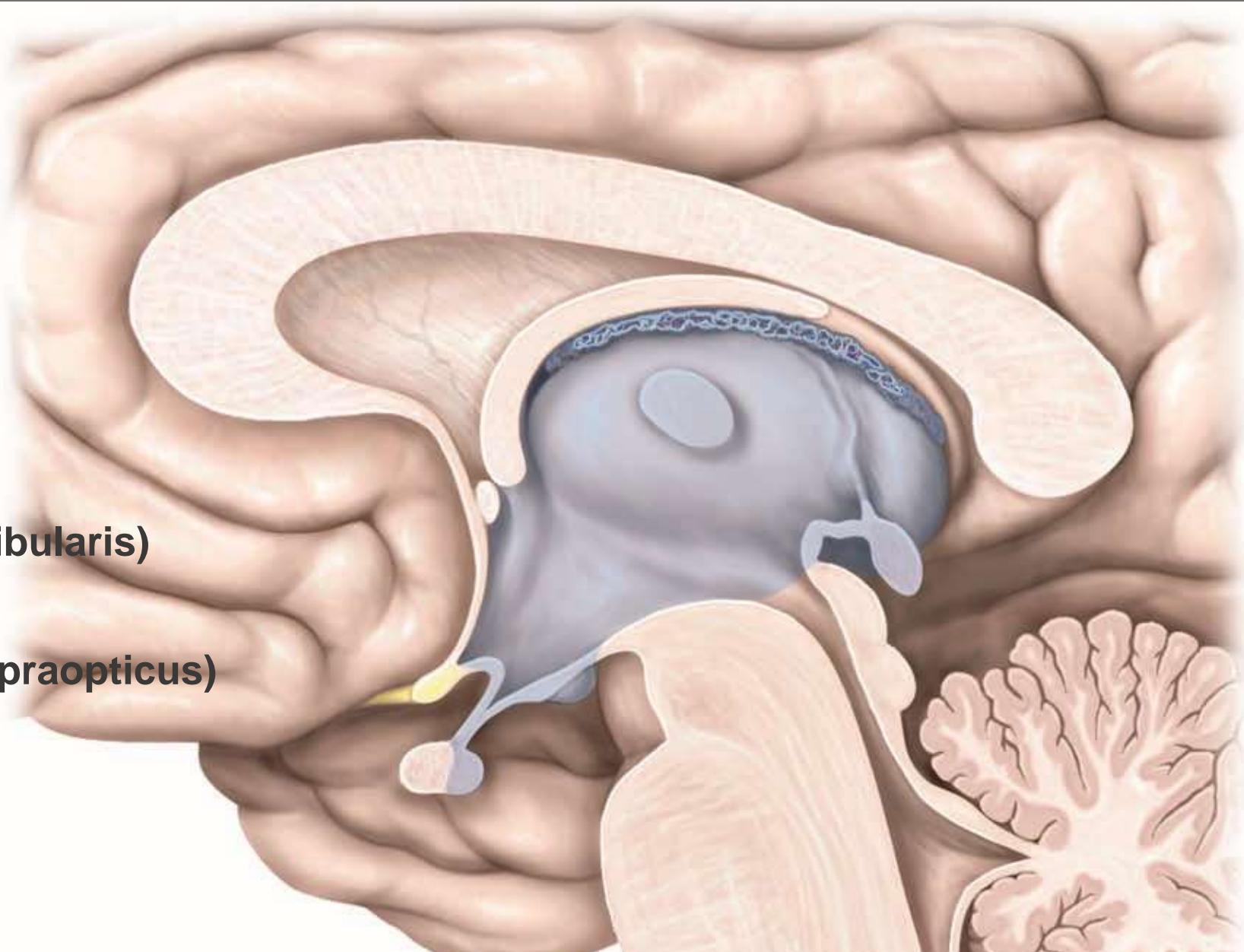


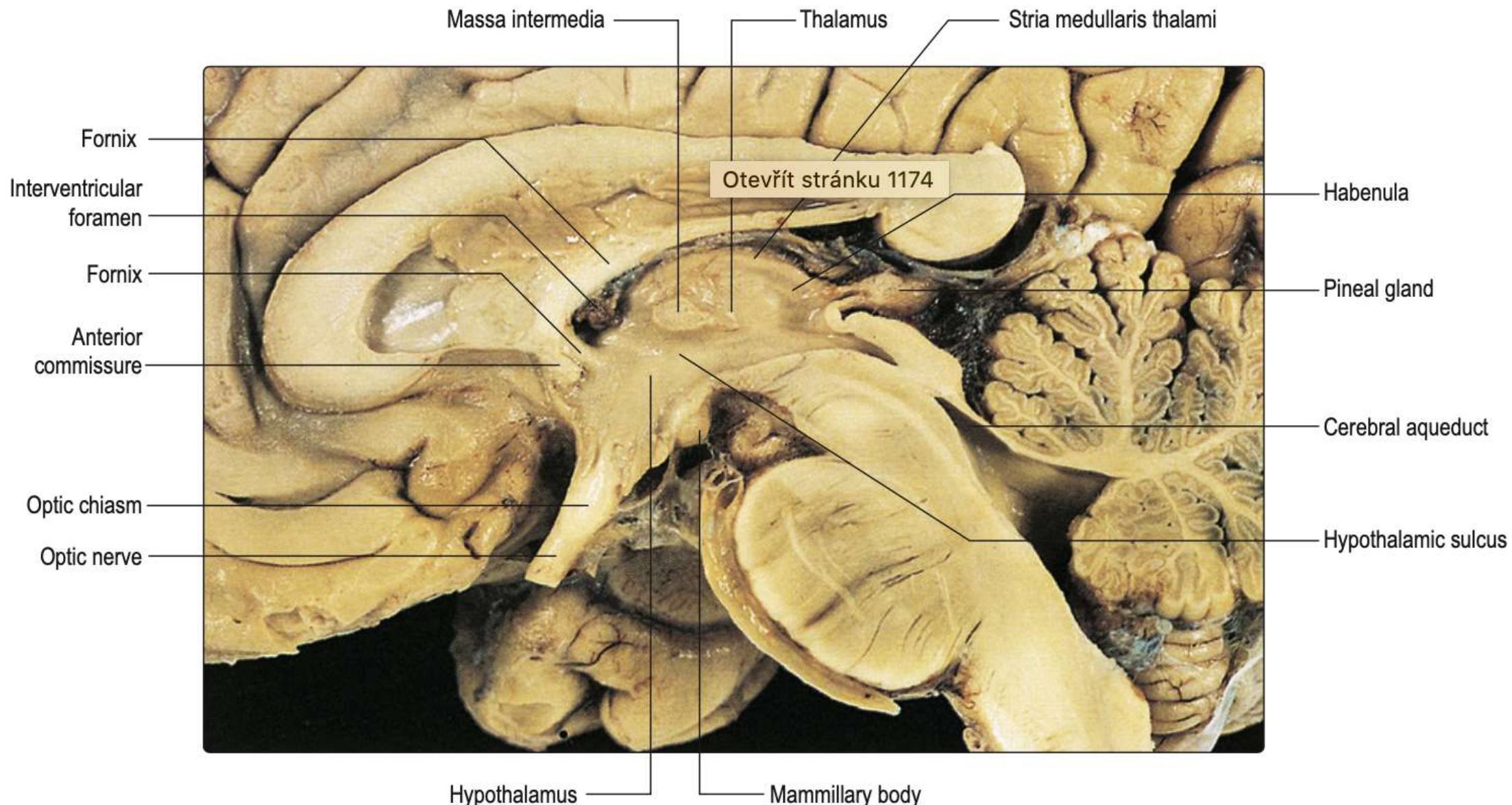
Neuroanatomy – diencephalon and basal ganglia

Diencephalon

- **Plexus chorioideus**
- Thalamus
- Adhaesio interthalamica
- Stria medullaris thalami
- Glandula pinealis
- Habenula
- Tuber cinereum
- Corpus mammilare
- Infundibulum (recessus infundibularis)
- Hypothalamus
- Chiasma opticum (recessus supraopticus)
- Area praeoptica
- **Commissura anterior**
- Fornix
- **Lamina quadrigeminalis**



Diencephalon



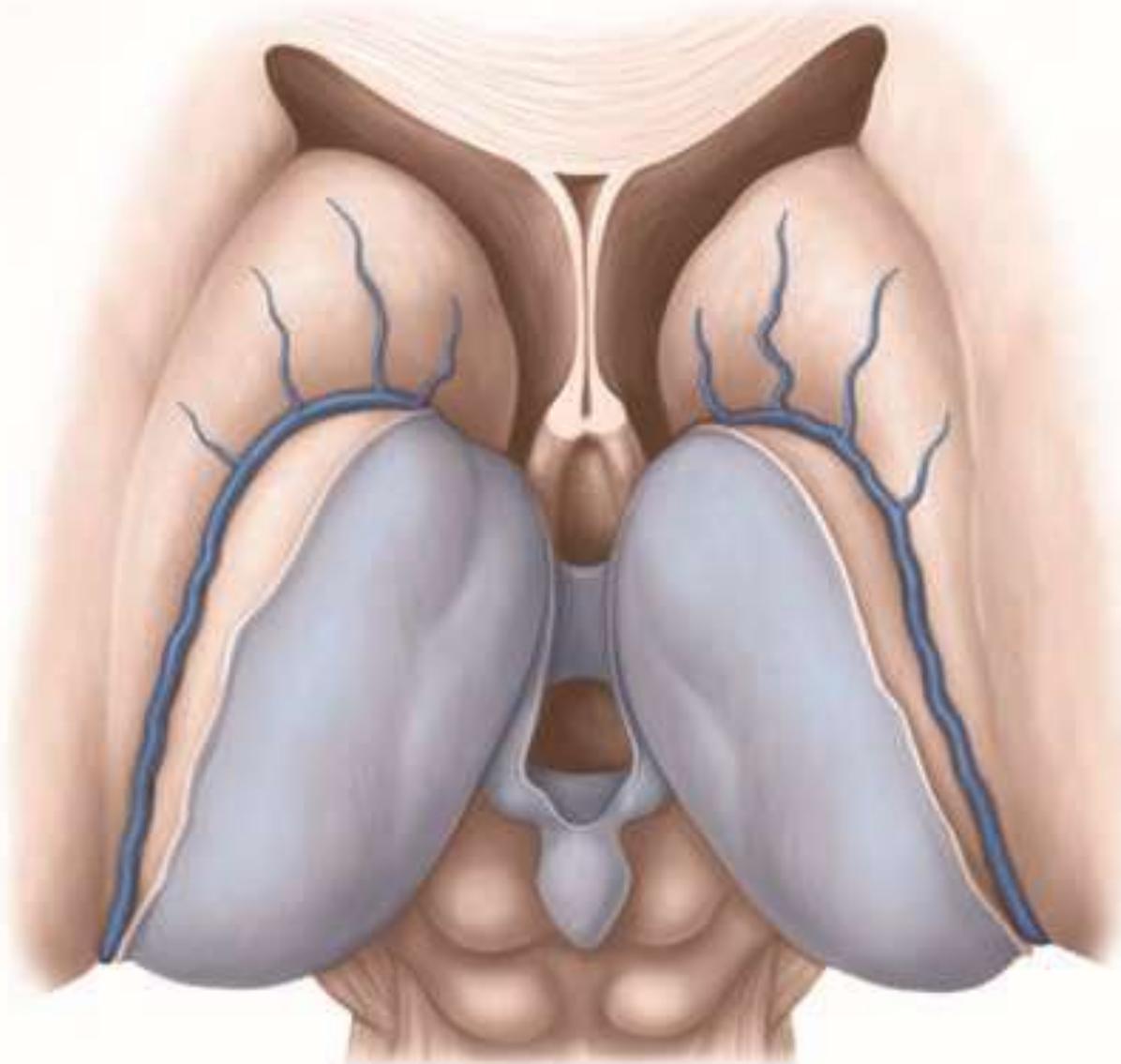
Diencephalon

- Thalamus
- Pulvinar thalami
- Glandula pinealis
- Brachium colliculi inferioris
- Corpus geniculatum laterale
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- Nervus opticus
- Infundibulum
- Corpus mammilare
- **Lamina quadrigeminalis**
- **Pedunculus cerebri**



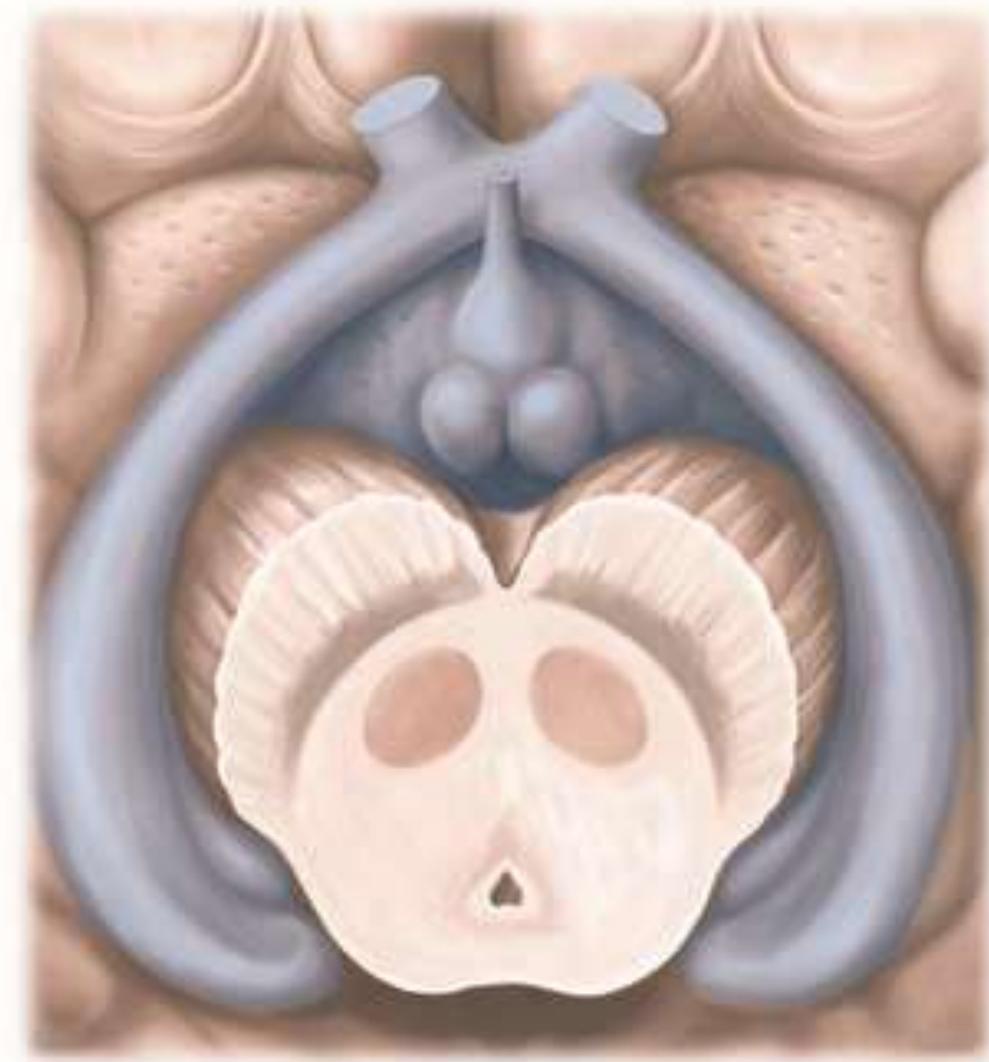
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- Adhaesio interthalamica
- Pulvinar thalami
- Taenia choroidea
- Lamina affixa
- Habenula
- Glandula pinealis
- Lamina quadrigeminalis
- Vena thalamostirata
- Fornix
- Nucleus caudatus
- Septum pellucidum
- Corpus callosum



Diencephalon

- Nervus opticus
- Chiasma opticum
- Tractus opticus
- Corpus geniculatum laterale
- Infundibulum
- Tuber cinereum
- Corpora mammilaria
- Pedunculus cerebri
- Substantia nigra
- Nucleus ruber
- Tectum (lamina quadrigeminalis)
- Aquaeductus mesencephali



Diencephalon

Epithalamus

- Glandula pinealis
- Habenulae

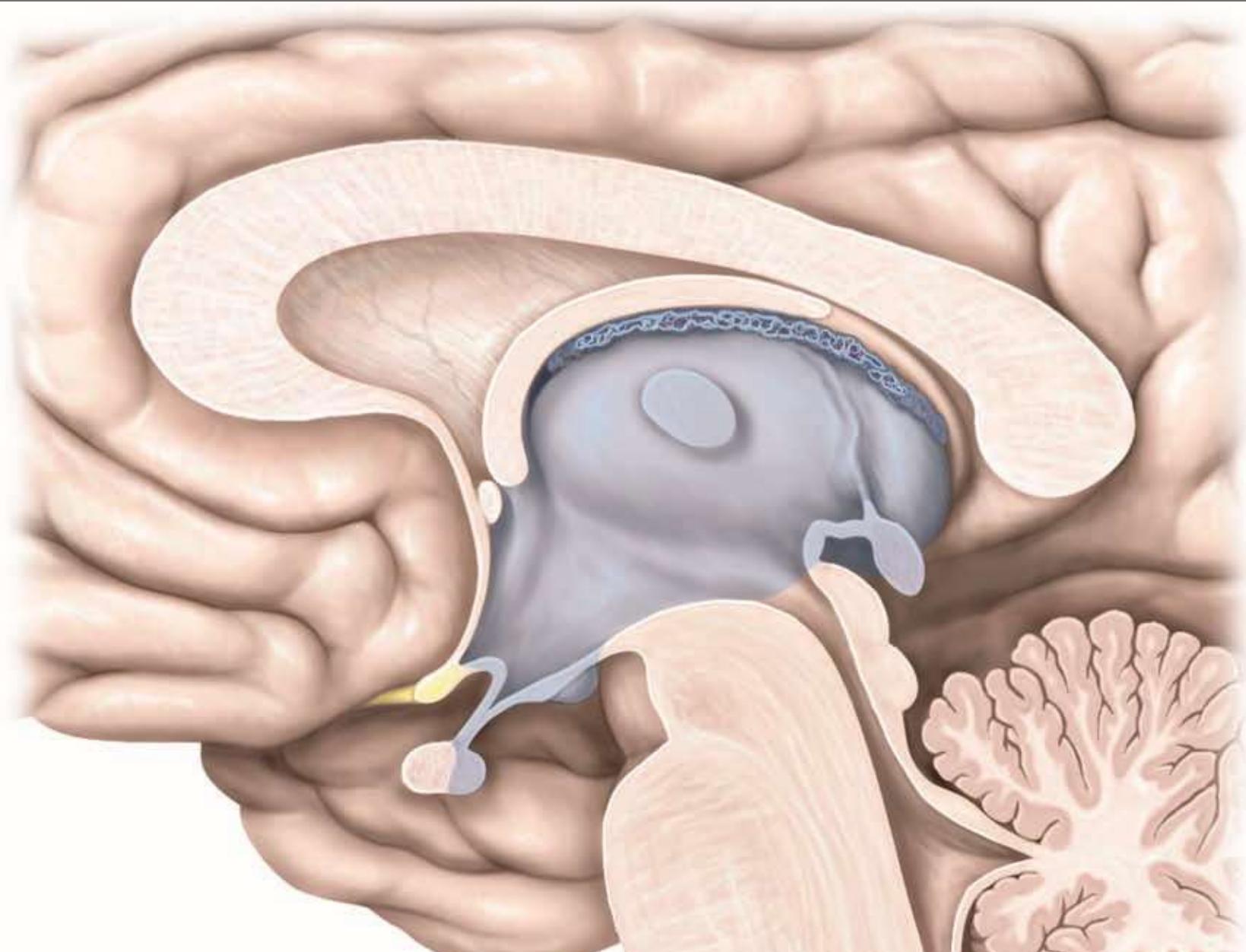
Thalamus

Subthalamus

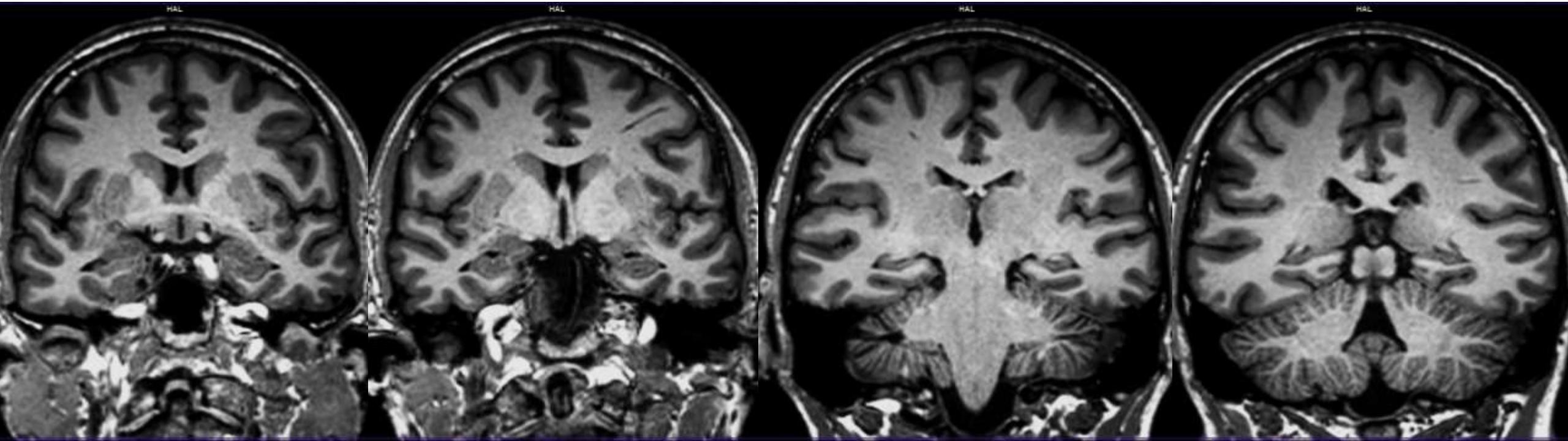
- Nucleus subthalamicus
- Zona incerta
- (globus pallidus)

Hypothalamus

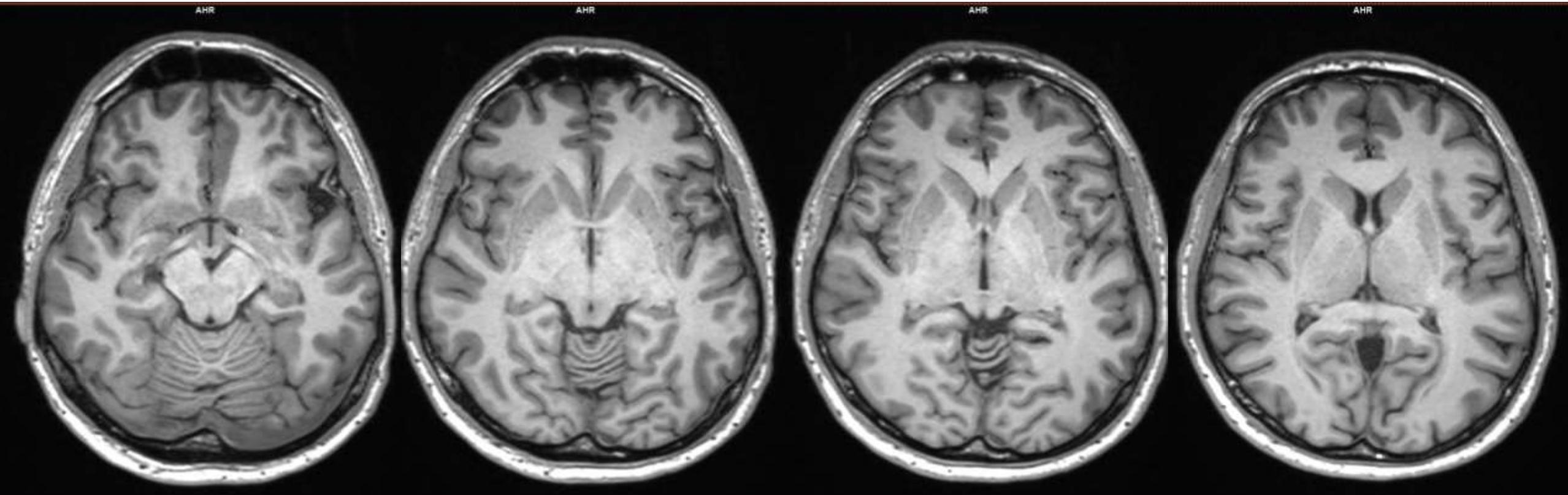
- Chiasma opticum, tractus opticus
- Tuber cinereum, neurohypofýza
- Corpora mammilaria



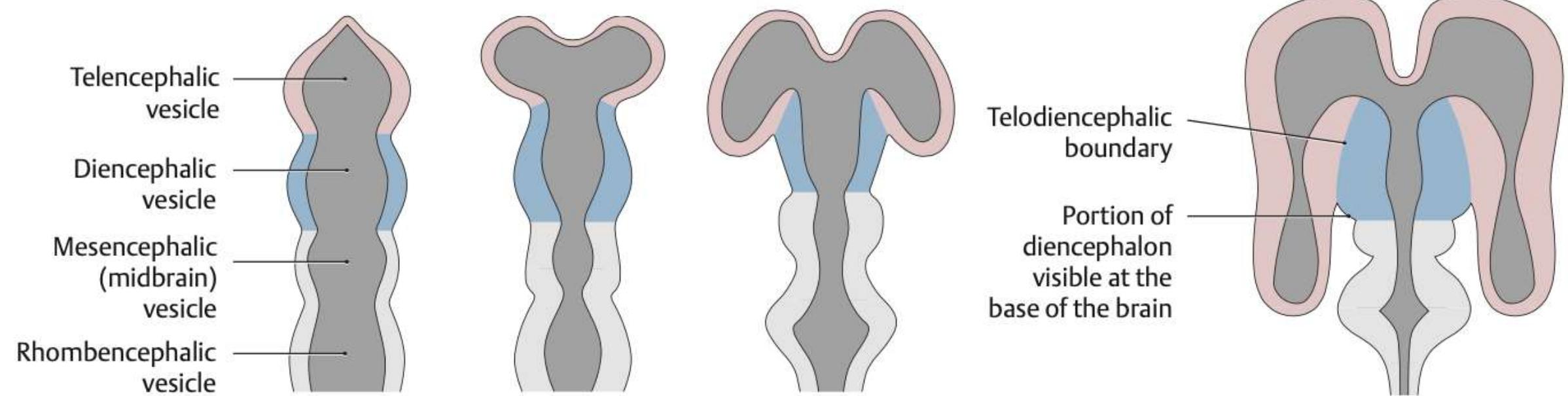
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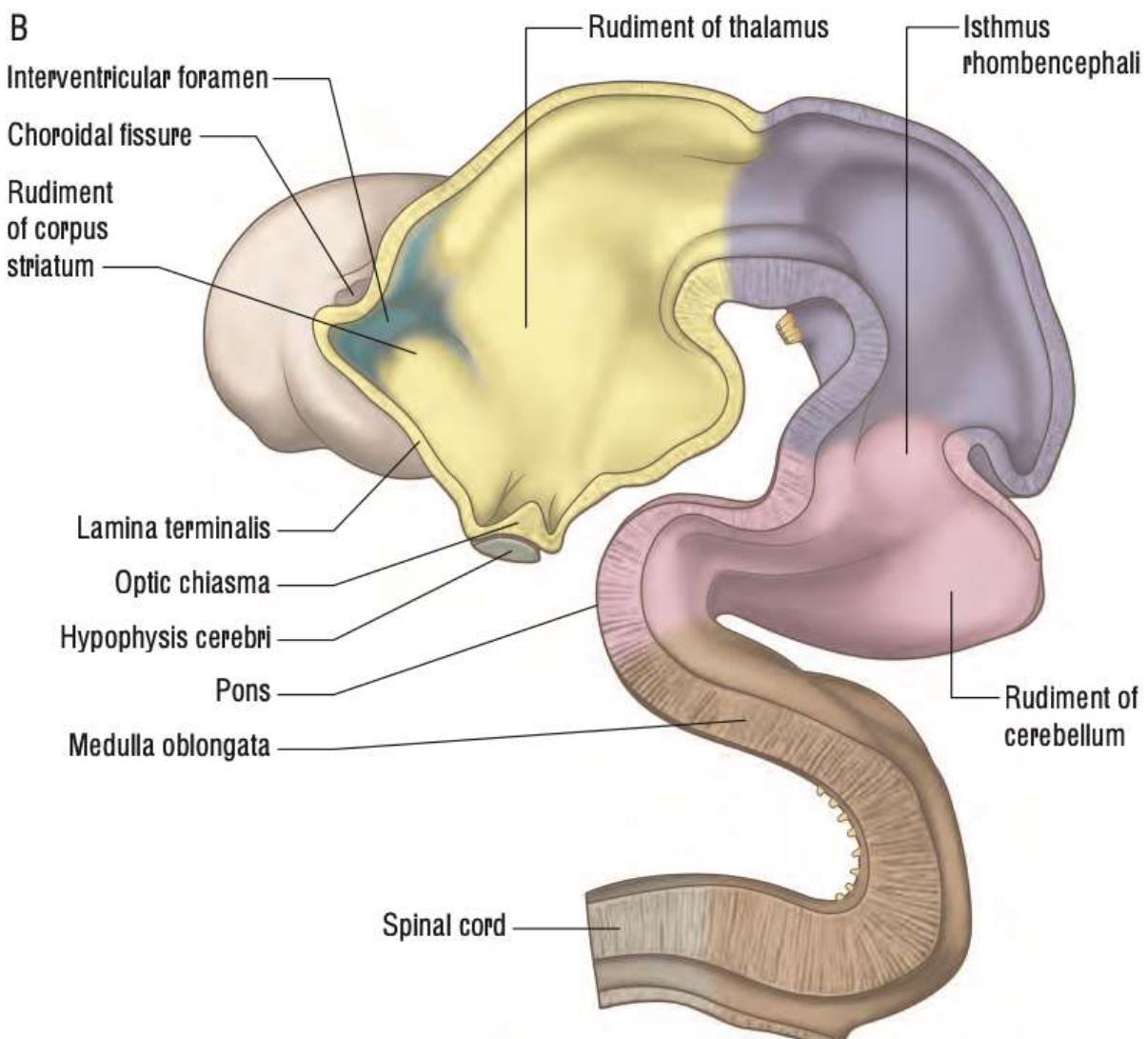


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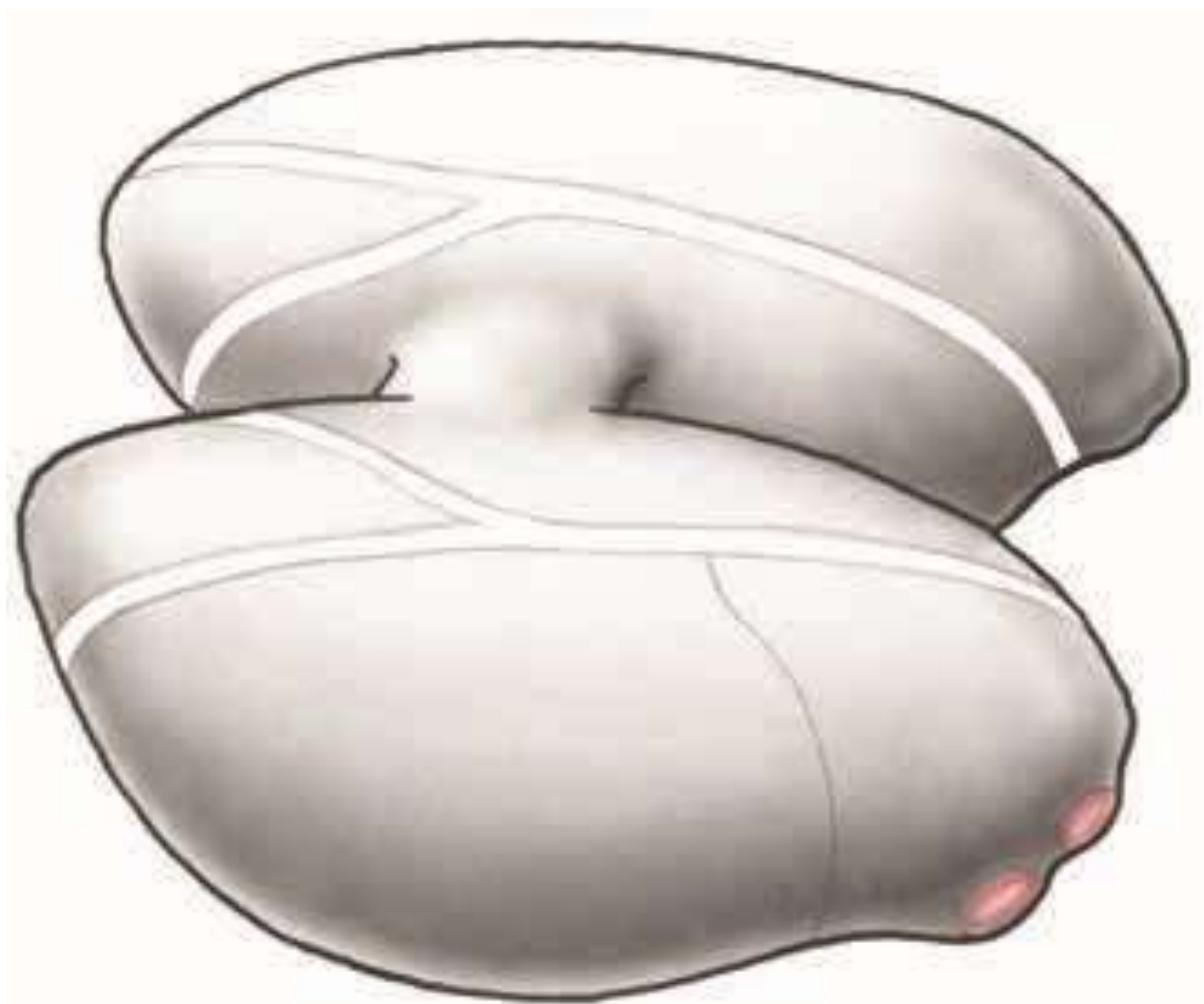
- ❖ Developing from prosencephalon
- ❖ Originally tube-form
- ❖ Structures around III. ventricle
- ❖ Ventrally development of hypothalamus
- ❖ Dorsally development of thalamus
- ❖ Laterally eye forming sacs
- ❖ Neurons
 - ❖ Periventricular development
 - ❖ Peripheral migration to nuclei



Thalamus

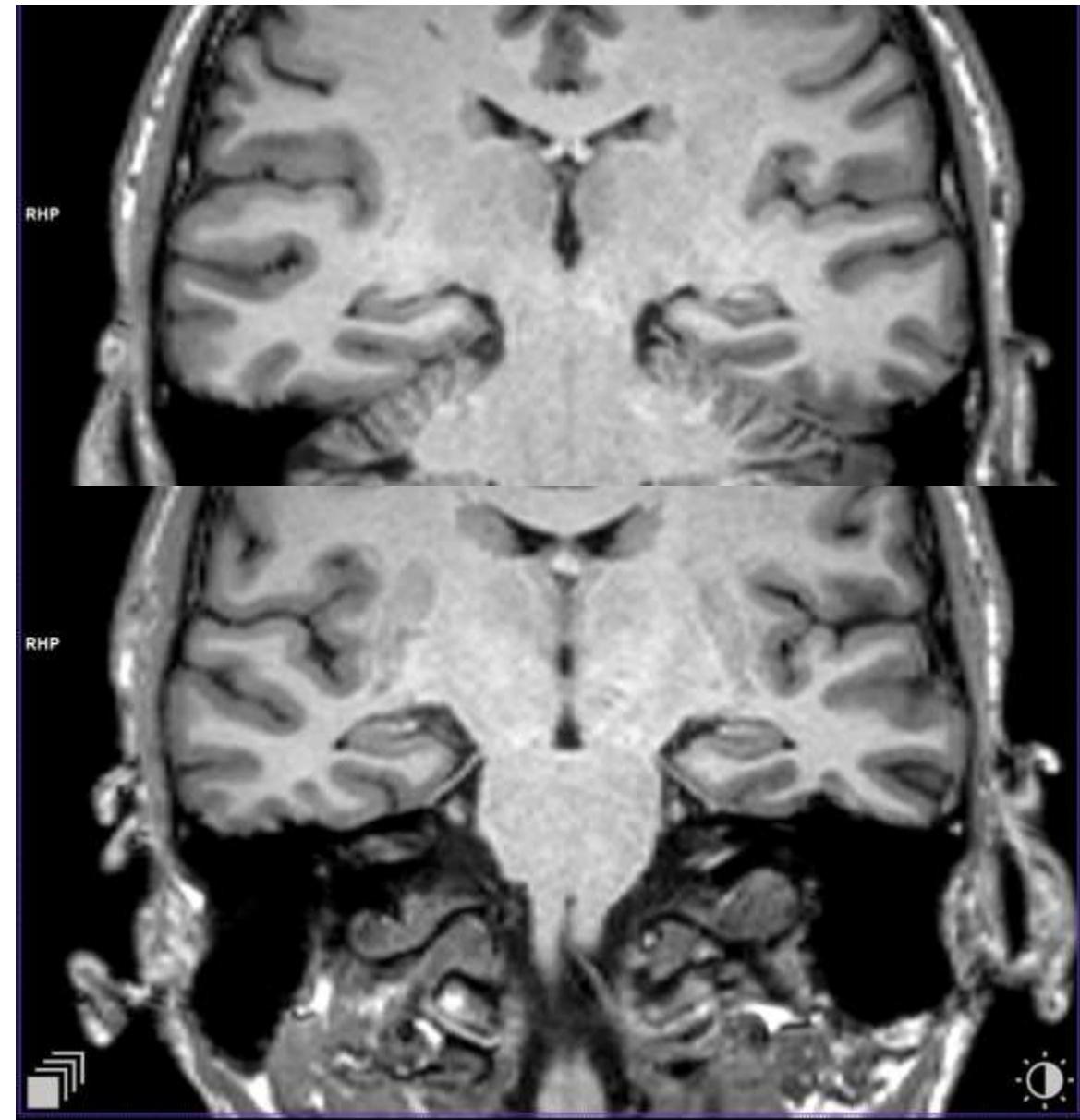
- **Tuberculum anterius thalami**
- **Lamina medullaris interna**
 - Y-like white matter bundle splitting the gray matter
- **Corpus geniculatum laterale**
- **Corpus geniculatum mediale**
- **Pulvinar thalami**
- **Adhesio interthalamica**

- ***function***
- ***heterogenous***
 - *formerly „gate to mining“*
 - *Function based on the afferentation and projection*
- ***Sensoric functions***
- ***Motorics control***
- ***Limbic system***



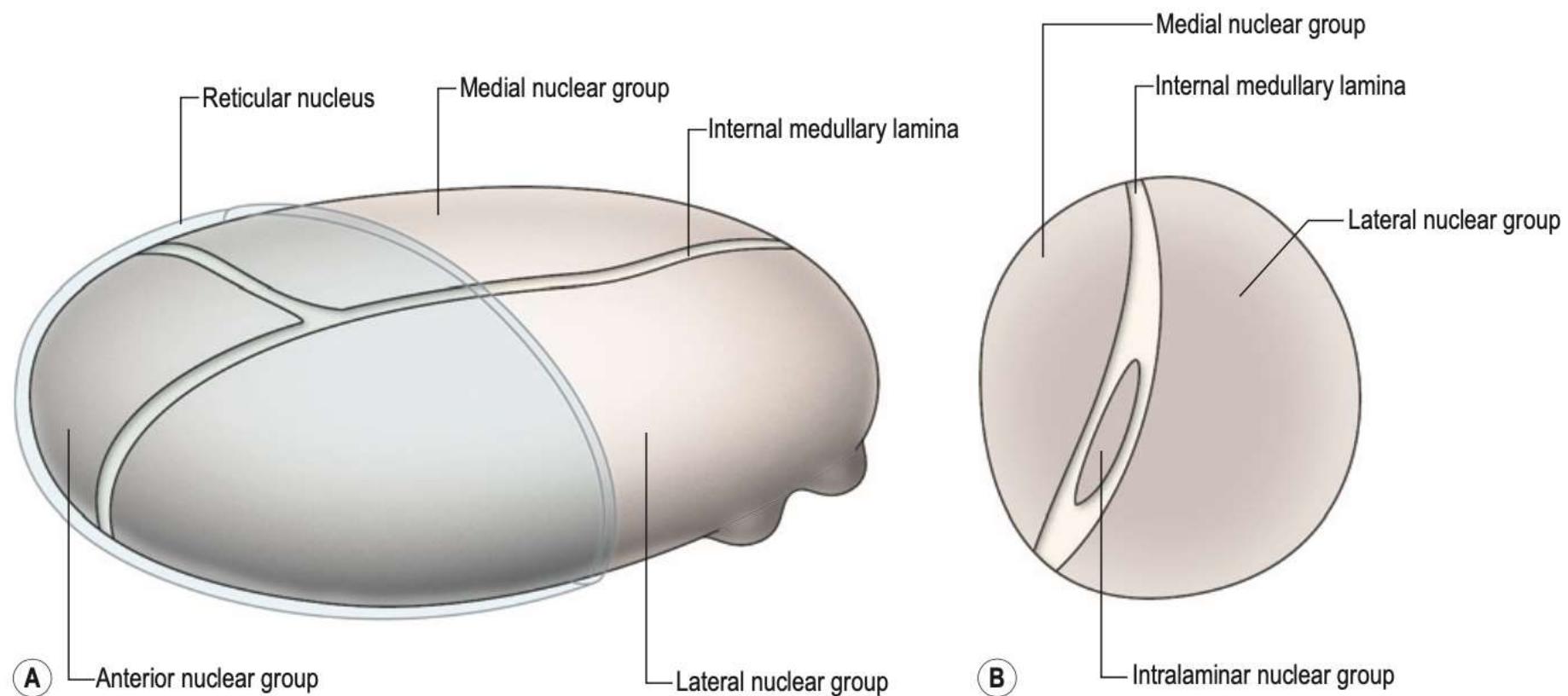
Thalamus

- ❖ Space relations
 - ❖ Mdial surface
 - ❖ III. ventricle
 - ❖ Interthalamic adhesion – gray matter bridge
 - ❖ Dorsolateral - nc. caudatus
 - ❖ between thalamus and nc. caudatus
 - ❖ stria terminalis
 - ❖ Dorsally on the surface of thalamus
 - ❖ Epithalamus
 - ❖ Trigona habenularum
 - ❖ ncc. habenulares ending of stria terminalis
 - ❖ Trigona connected by commisura habenularium
 - ❖ on commissura habenularium hanged corpus pineale
 - ❖ Below commissura posterior epithalmica



Lamina medullaris interna

- White mater plate
- Inside nc. intralaminares
- Anteriorly, lamina medullaris interna is dividing and surrounding anterior thalamic nuclei



Thalamus

► SPECIFIC NUCLEI

- ◆ *Projection to cortex*

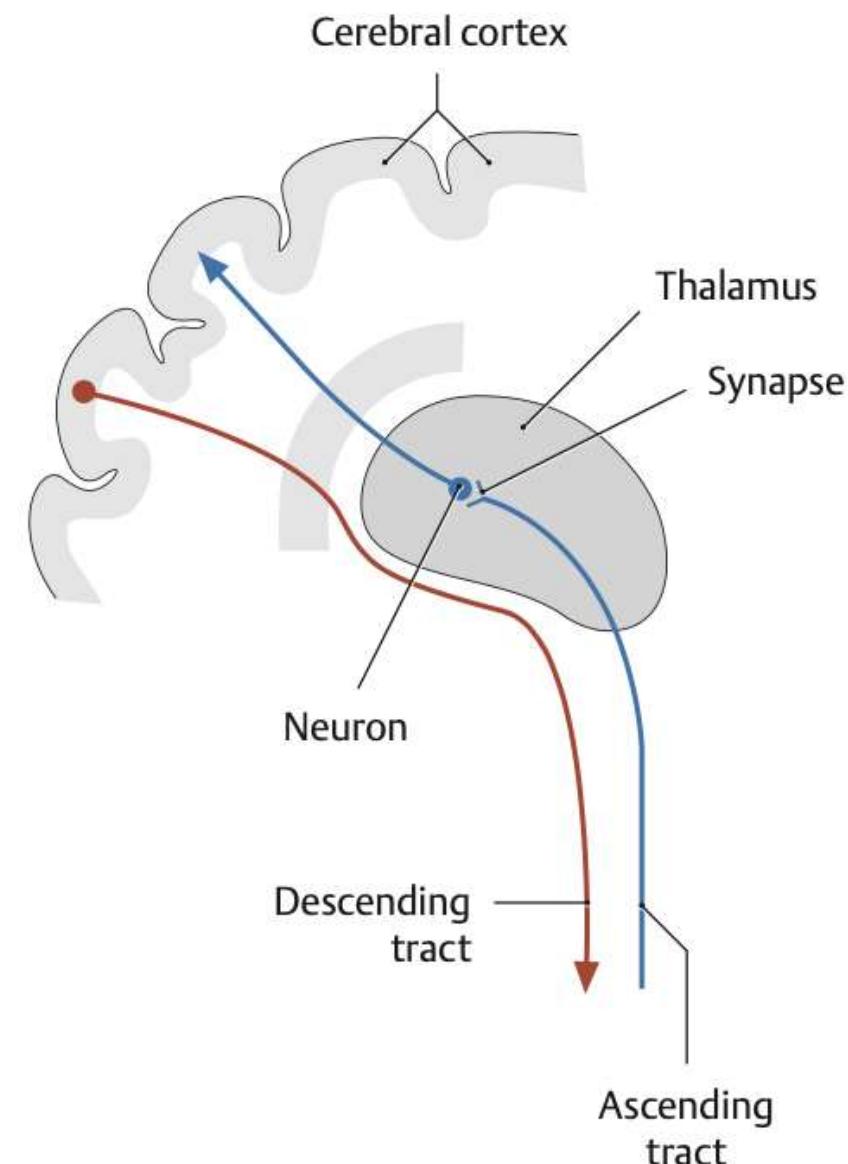
► Nospecific nuclei

- ◆ *Projection to diencephalon, brain stem*

► Integrating nuclei

► Intralaminar nuclei

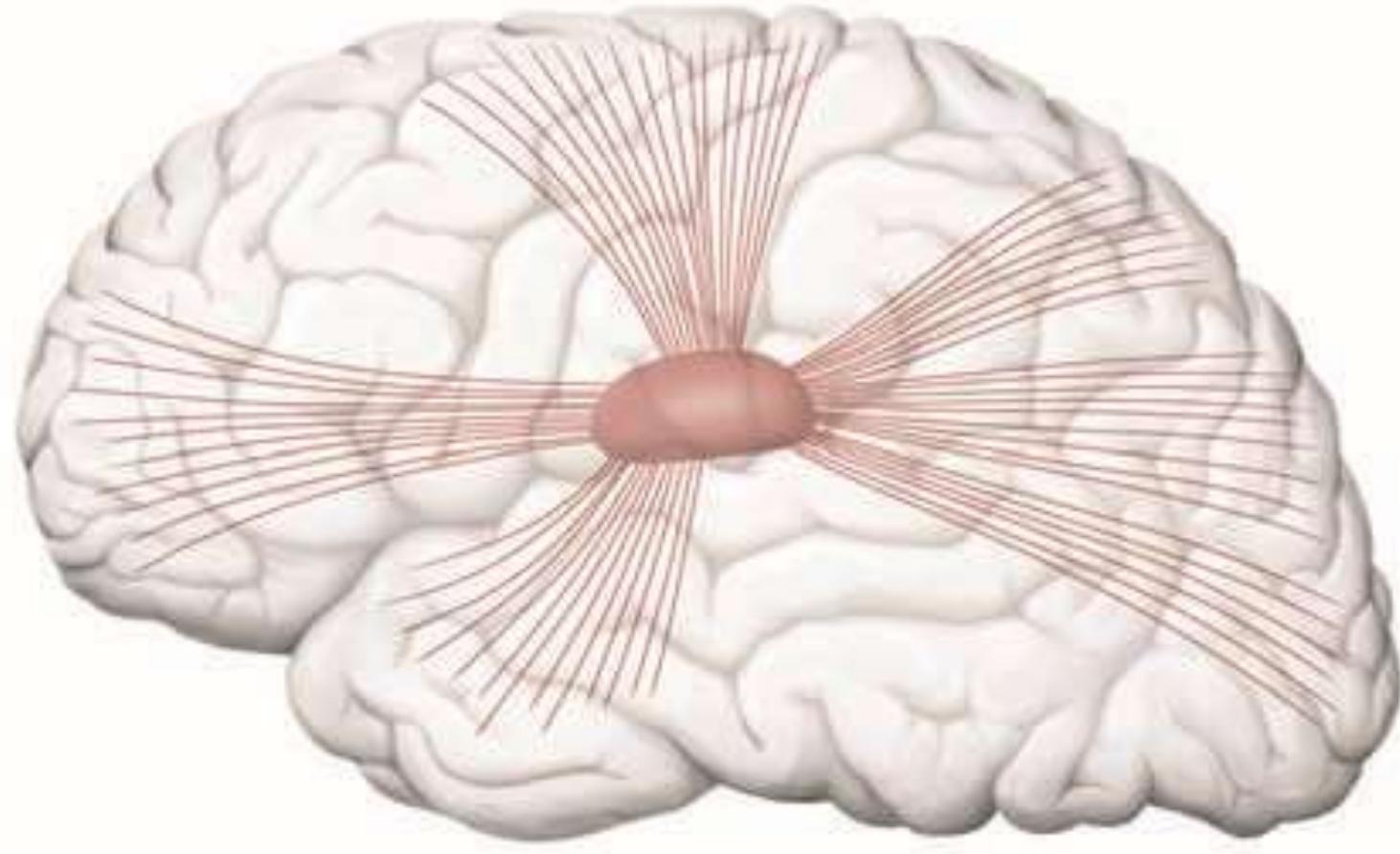
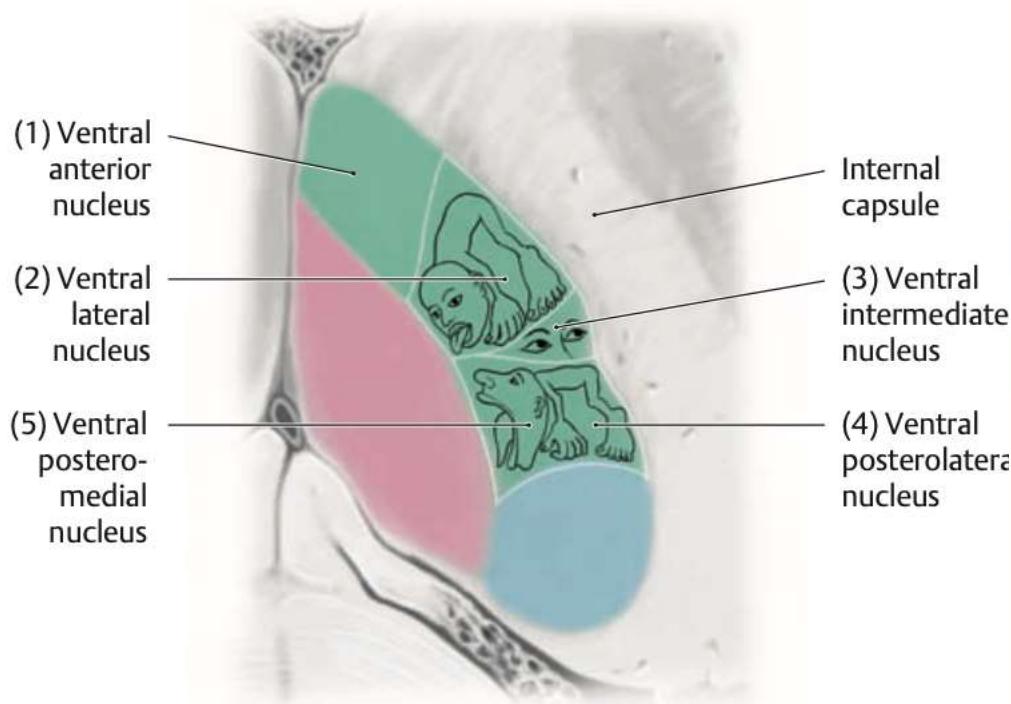
- ◆ *lamina medullaris interna*

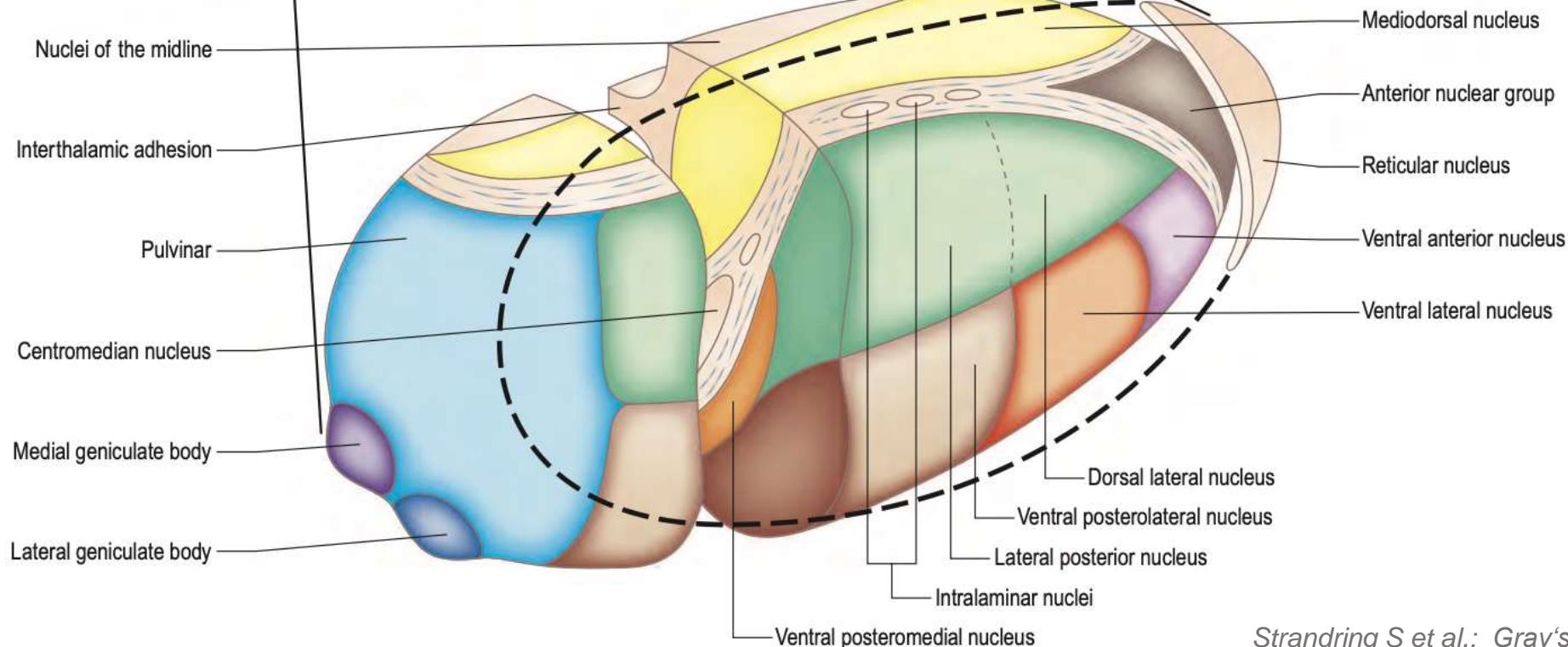
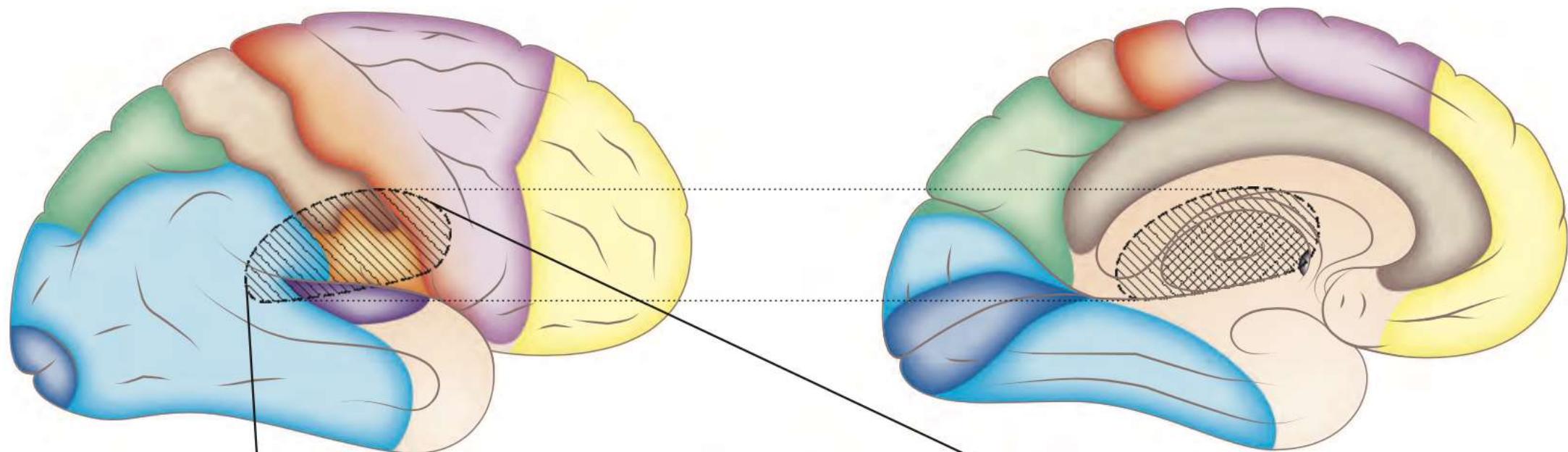


Thalamus

Specifická thalamická jádra

Projekce do cortexu telencefala (palia)





Thalamus

► **specific**

► **Sensoric relay**

► **Ventrolaterální jádra**

► **Nc. ventralis posterolateralis VPL**

► **Lemniscus medialis**

► **Tractus gracilis + cuneatus**

 ► **Tactile and discrimination**

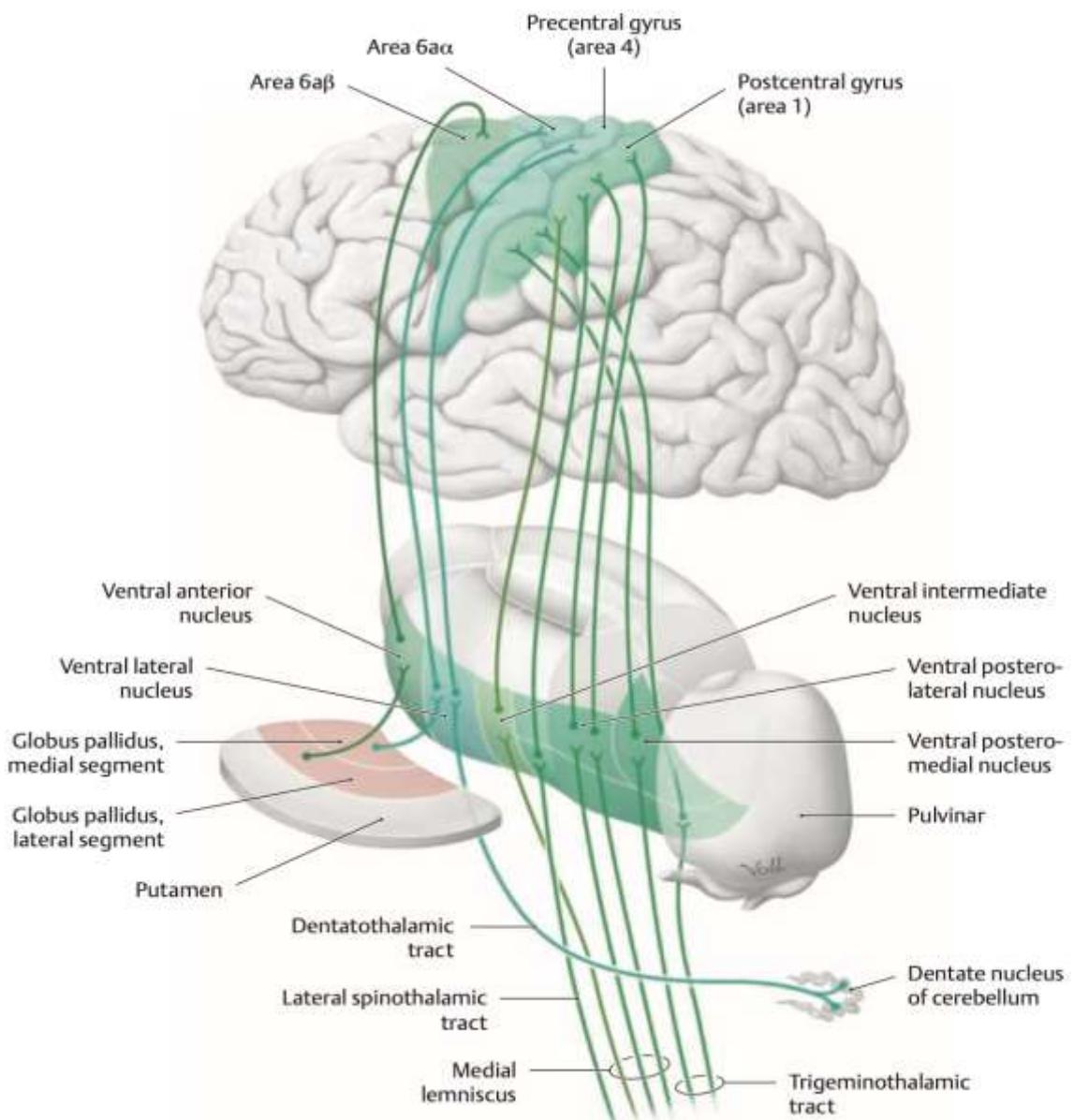
► **Tractus spinothalamicus**

 ► **Nociception and heat**

► **Nc. ventralis posteromedialis**

► **Tractus trigeminothalamicus**

 ► **Head pain and heat**



Thalamus

- specific

- Limbic

- Nc. anterior

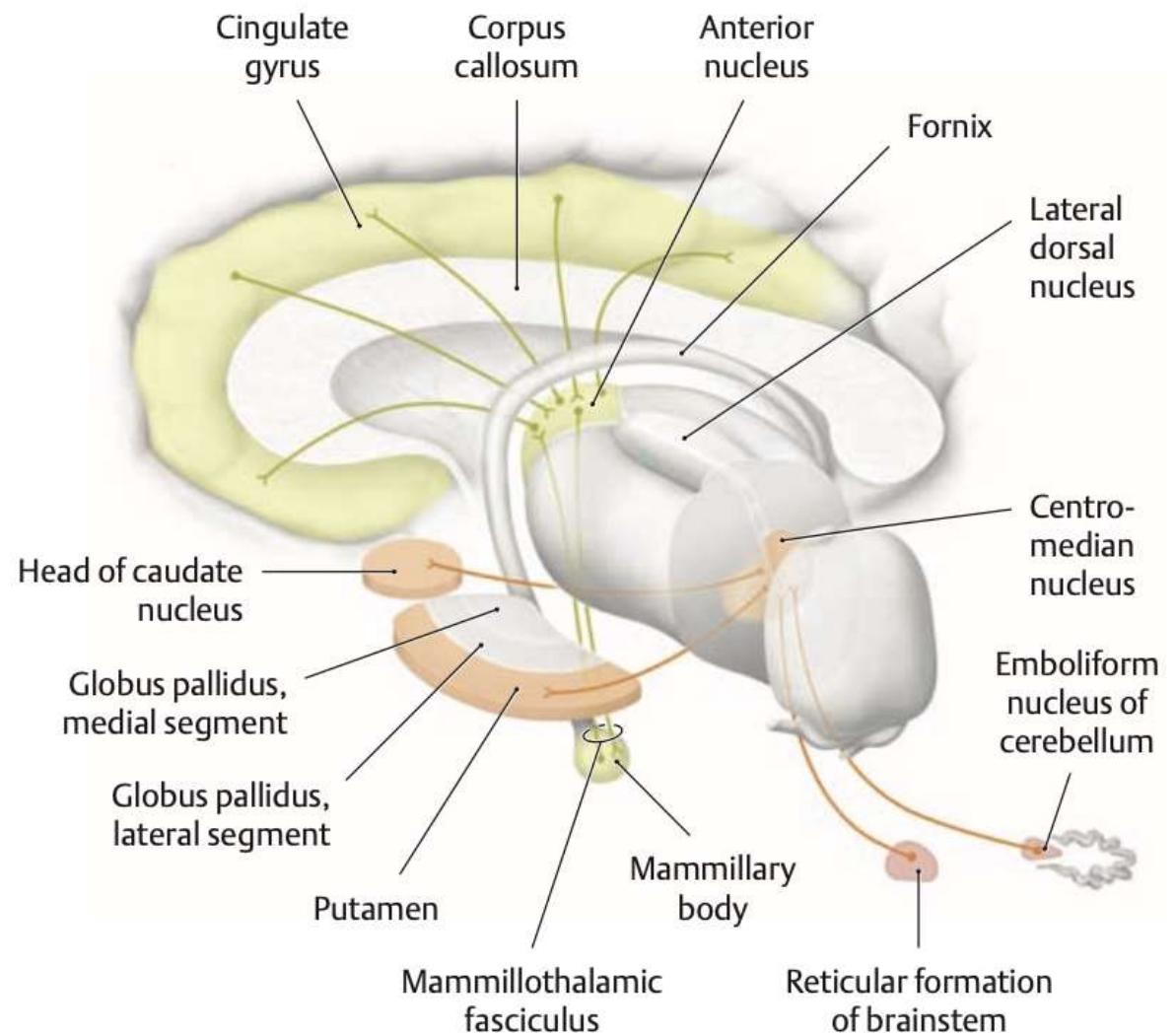
- *Gyrus cinguli*

- nonspecific

- *Nc. centromedianus*

- *Ascending reticular activation system*

- (ARAS)



Thalamus

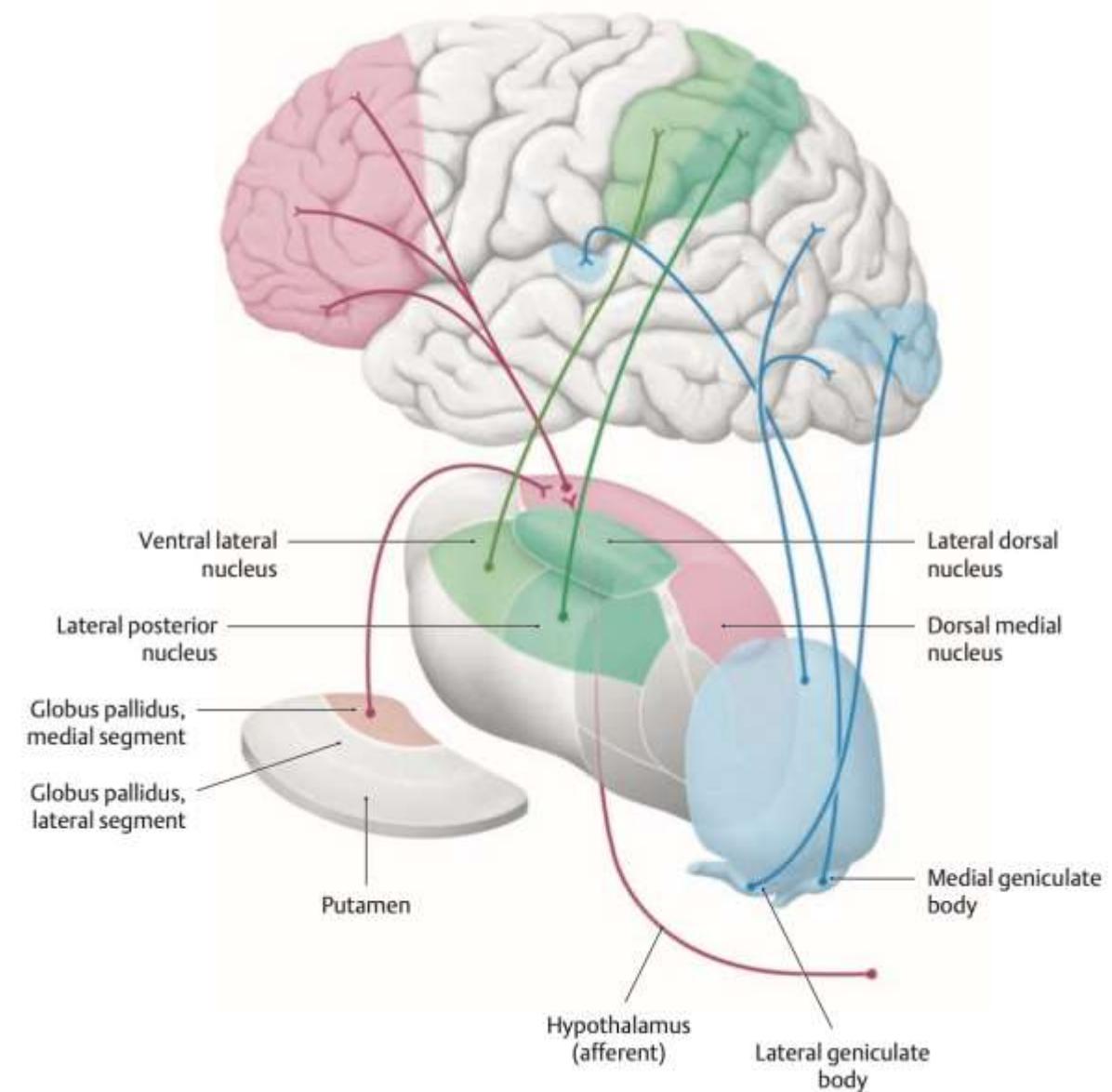
- **Medial nuclei**

- **Lateral nuclei**

- *Integrační funkce*

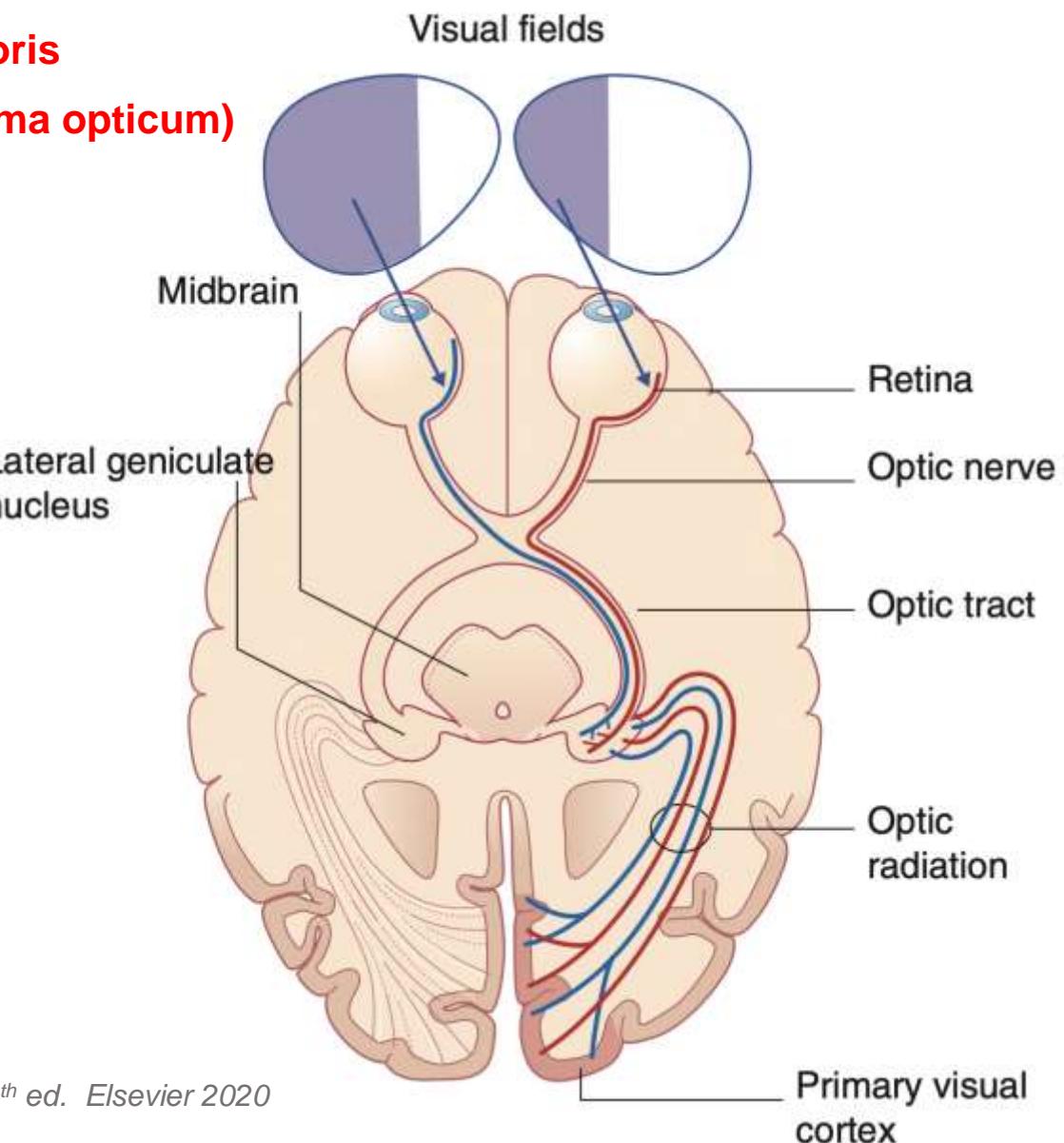
- **Dorsal nuclei**

- *Pulvinar*
 - *Corpora geniculata*
 - *Hearing – mediale*
 - *Vision - laterale*



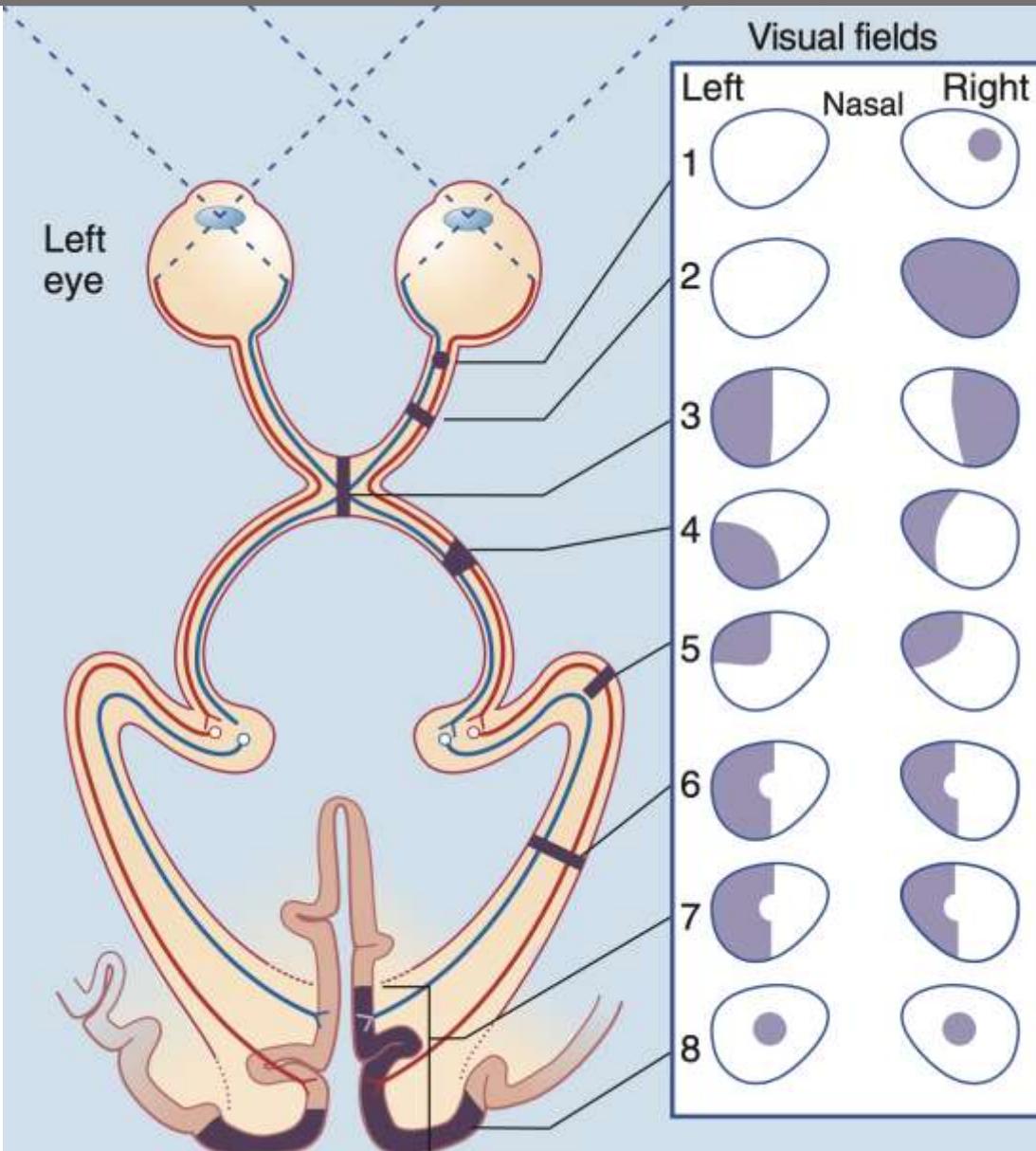
Nucleus of lateral geniculate body

- ❖ Connection with colliculus superior – brachium colliculi superioris
- ❖ Connection with tractus opticus (retina - nervus opticus - chiasma opticum)
- ❖ LEFT visual field
 - ❖ temporal half of retina from left eyeball
 - ❖ nasal half of retina from right eyeball
- ❖ RIGHT visual field
 - ❖ temporal half of retina from right eyeball
 - ❖ nasal half of retina from left eyeball
- ❖ Six layers
 - ❖ Lamina 1 and 2 – magnocellular
 - ❖ Lamina 4 to 6 - parvocellular
- ❖ Spatial organisation of hte endings
 - ❖ Upper quadrants medially
 - ❖ Lowerquadrants laterally
 - ❖ Layers 1, 4, 6 from contralateral eyeball
 - ❖ Vrstvy 2, 3, 5 from ipsilateral eyeball
- ❖ Afferent connection
 - ❖ radiatio optica (fasc. Grattioleti)
 - ❖ area 17 – occipitla lobe
 - ❖ Cortical image of the outer world



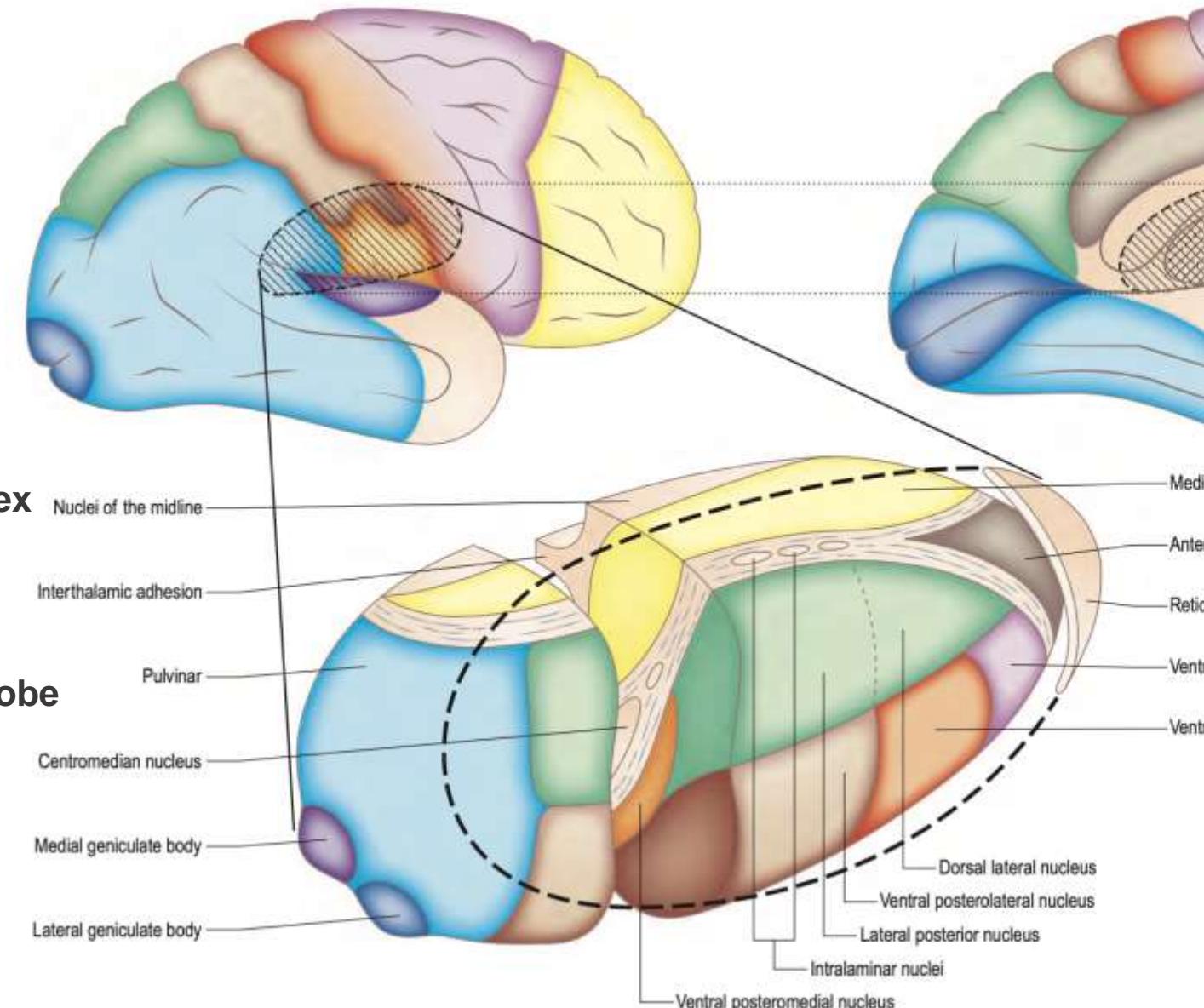
Hemianopsia

- hemianopsia
 - Partial loss of visual field vision
- Injury of nervus opticus – amaurosis
 - Loss of one eyeball vision
- Injury of chiasma – bitemporal hemianopsia
 - Loss of crossed visual information
- Injury of tractus opticus – homonymous hemianopsia
 - Loss of a half part of the visual field



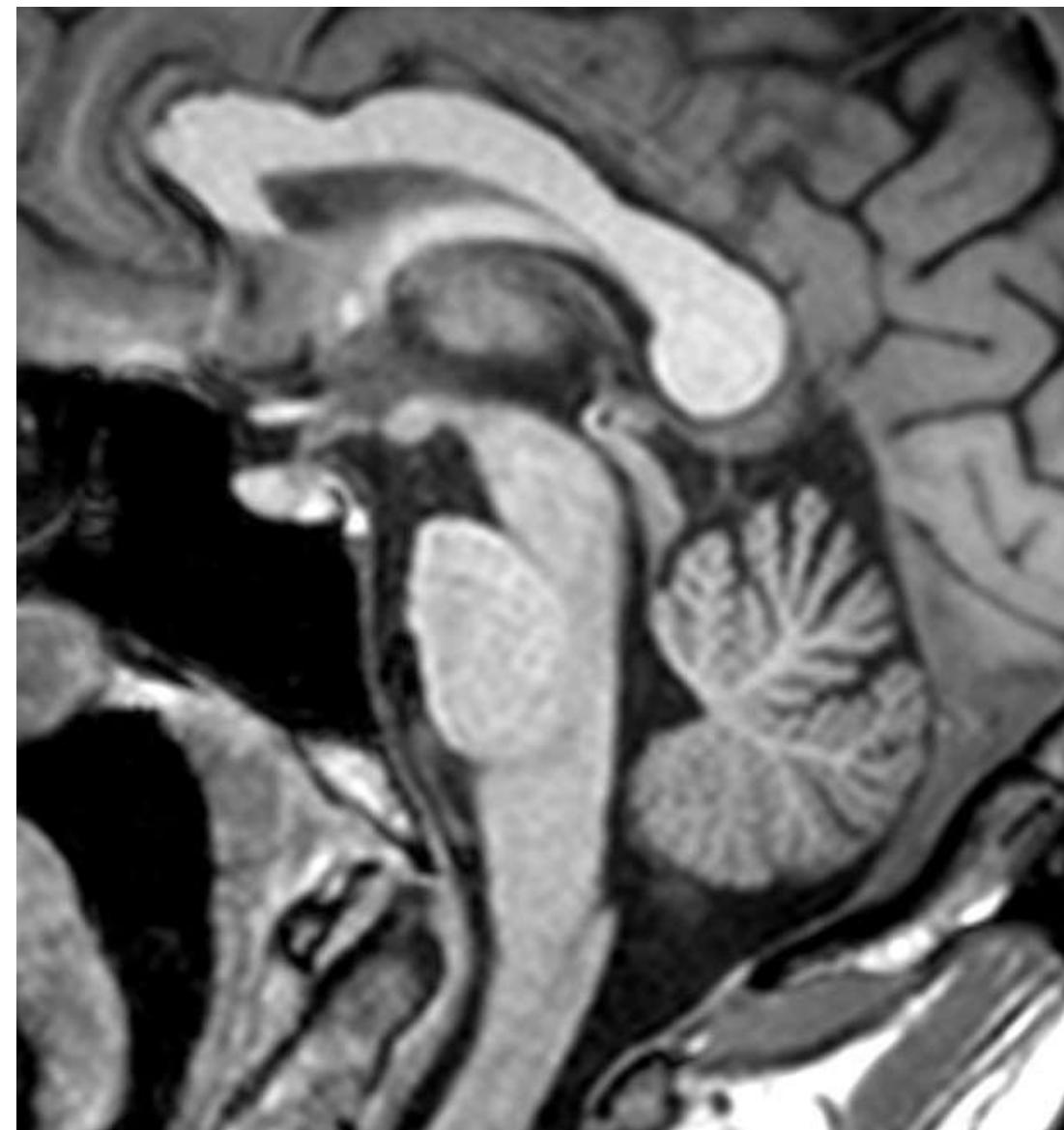
Nucleus of medial geniculate body

- ❖ Afferent connection
 - ❖ Brachium colliculi medialis
 - ❖ Nucleus ventralis
 - ❖ Tonotopic organisation
 - ❖ To primary auditory cortex
 - ❖ Nucleus dorsalis
 - ❖ Nucleus medialis
 - ❖ Both projections to association auditory cortex
- ❖ Efferent connection
- ❖ Radiatio acustica
 - ❖ Posterior part of capsula interna to temporal lobe



Epithalamus

- ❖ Brainstem circle fo the limbic system
 - ❖ Trigonum habenulare
 - ❖ Nuclei habenulae medialis et lateralis
- ❖ Afferent connections
 - ❖ imput – stria medullaris thalami
 - ❖ septum verum
 - ❖ Olfactory areas of paleocortex, piriform area
 - ❖ archicortex (hippocampus)
 - ❖ hypothalamus
 - ❖ pallidum internum
- ❖ Commissura habenularia – vice-versa connection
- ❖ Efferent connections
 - ❖ Nc. interpeduncularis
 - ❖ Formatio reticularis
- ❖ Corpus pineale
- ❖ Commisura posterior



Corpus pineale –pineal gland

- Hanged on commisura habenularium
- Related to III. ventricle roof
- Epitheloid cells – pinealocytes – modified neurons
- Fibrillary astrocytes
- photoreceptors of primitive vertebrates up to – new-zealand hateria („the third eye“)
- Pineal gland
 - obtaining information from multineuronal system from retina
 - with interposition of hypothalamus and reticular formation
- Pinealocyty – serotonin – metabolizace na melatonin – biorytmy a sexuální chování
- Cirkadian rhythms – regulated from anterior lobe of pituitary gland
- Melatonine production increases during darkness, drops down during light
- Calcifications – acervulus cerebri – cerebral sand
- Inhibitory influence to pituitary and other endocrine glands

Subthalamus

► injury

- Hemiballismus
 - Contralateral extremity
- Chorea and athetosis

► A part of indirect pathway of basal ganglia

- Ventral to thalamus
- Lateral to hypothalamus

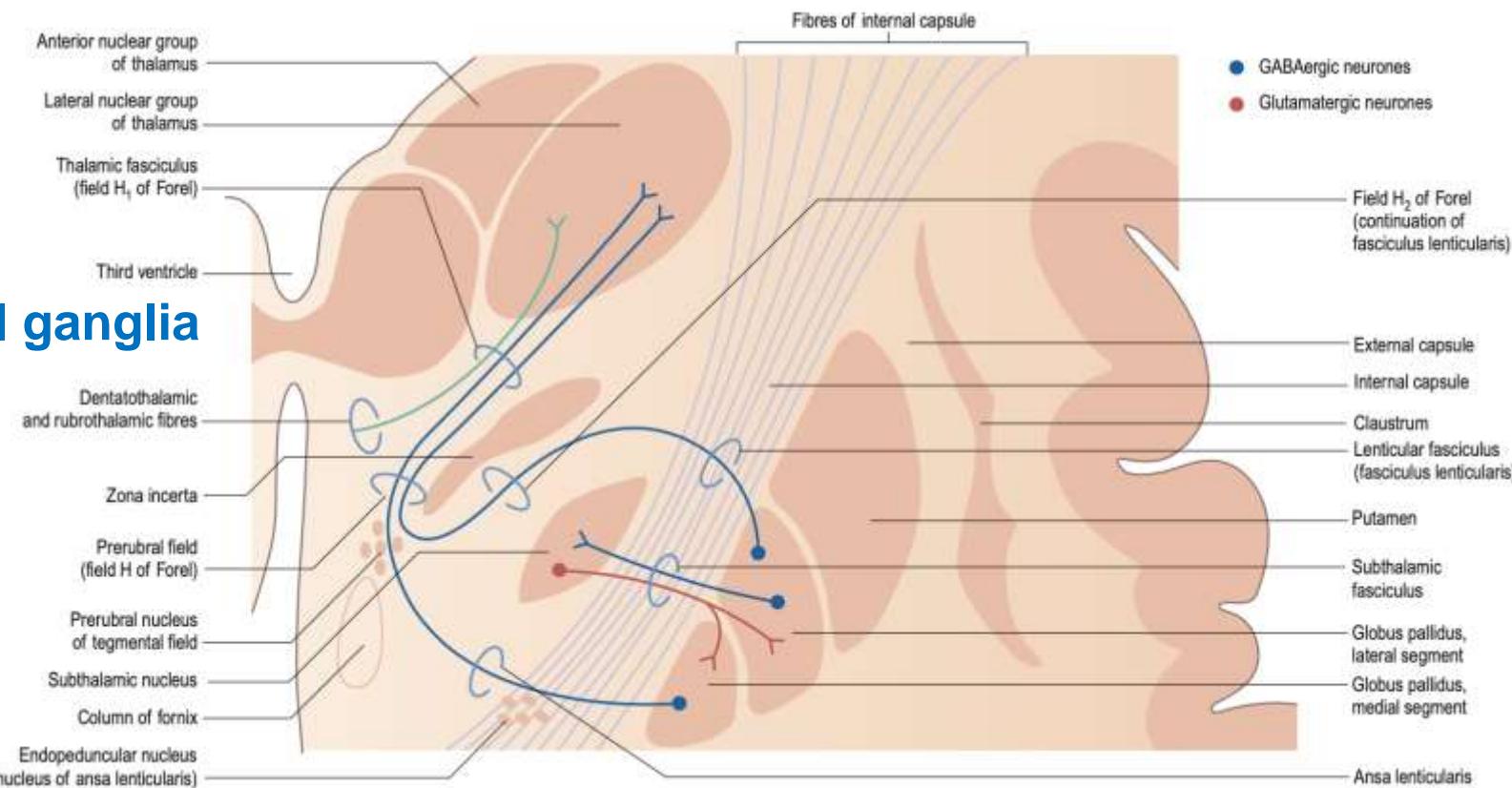
► Nucleus subthalamicus (Luysi)

- splitted (fasciculus lenticularis)
- From dorsal zona incerta

► Projection neurones

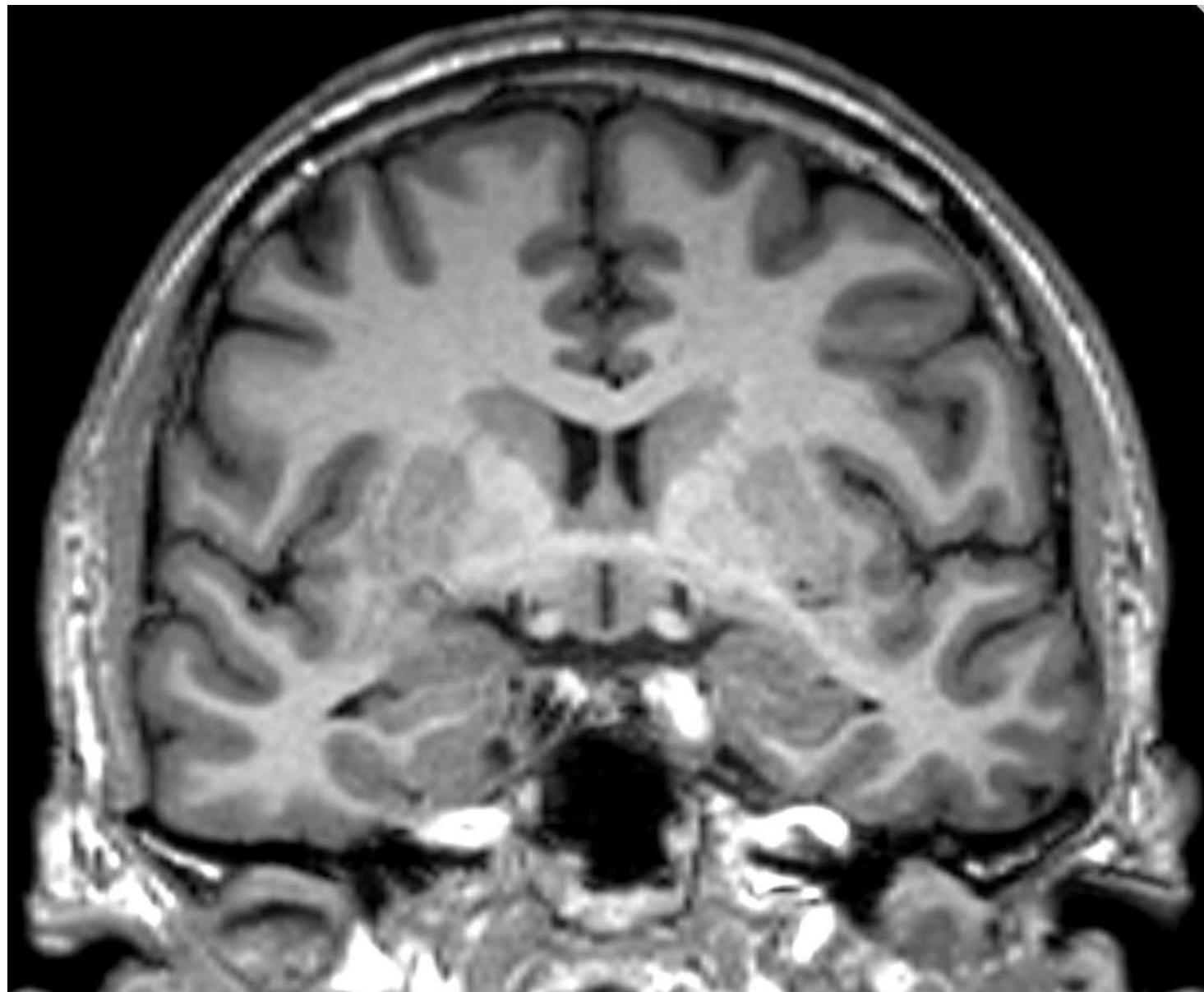
► Afferent connection

- Pallidum externum – fasciculus subthalamicus – GABA
- Motor, premotor, motor supplementary area – glutamate
- Intralaminar thalamic ncc. - noradrenalin
- Substantia nigra – pars compacta – dopamine
- Raphela ncc. RF – serotonin
- Nc. pedunculopontinus - acetylcholine



Hypothalamus

- ❖ nuclei
- ❖ White matter fibers
- ❖ Fornix
- ❖ Fasciculus mammillothalamicus
- ❖ Medial and lateral hypothalamus



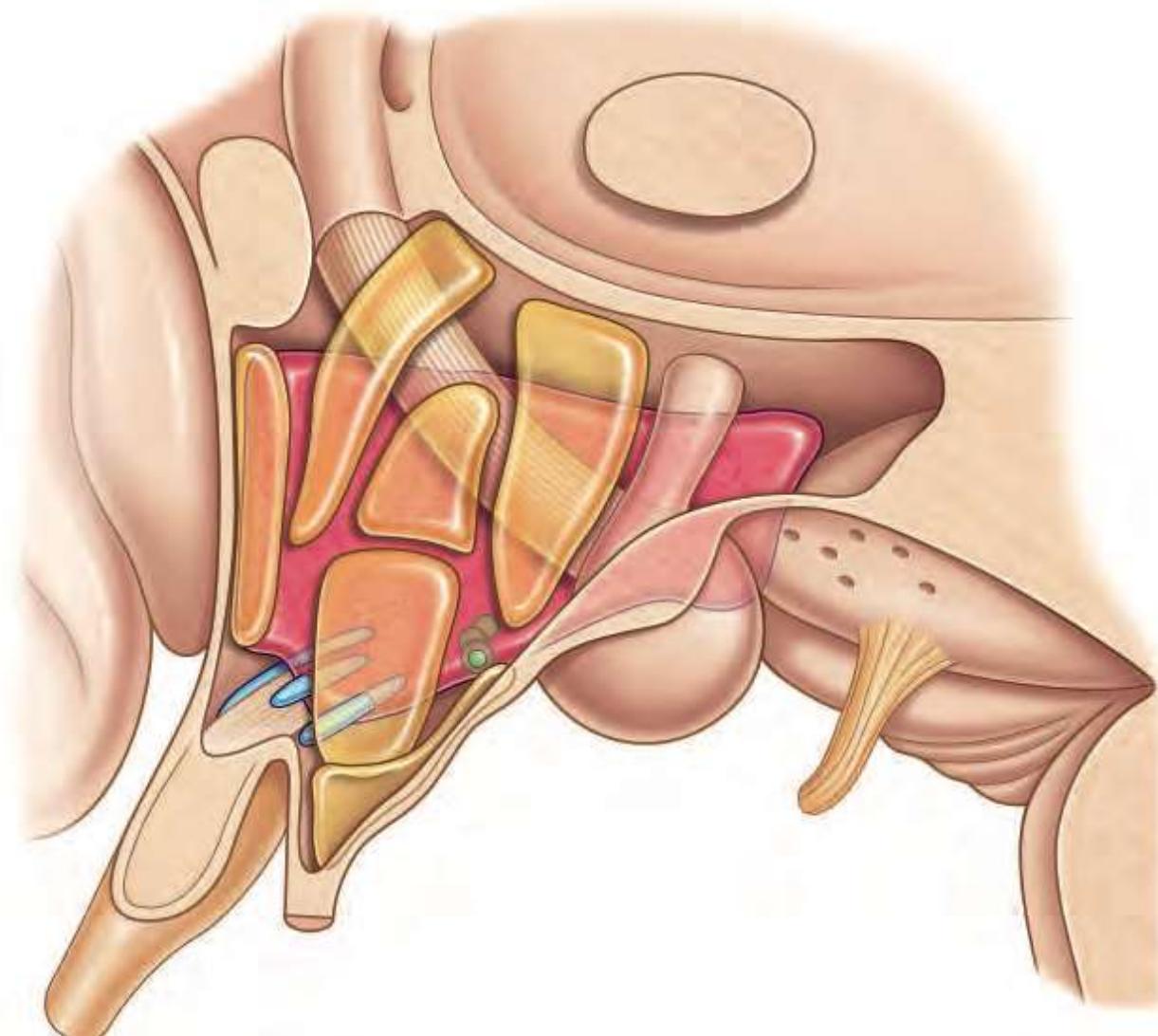
Hypothalamus

► Medial hypothalamus

- anterior hypothalamus
- Area preoptica medialis
- Nucleus paraventricularis
- Nucleus supraopticus
- *Production of oxytocine, vasopresin*
 - Tractus hypothalamohypophysealis

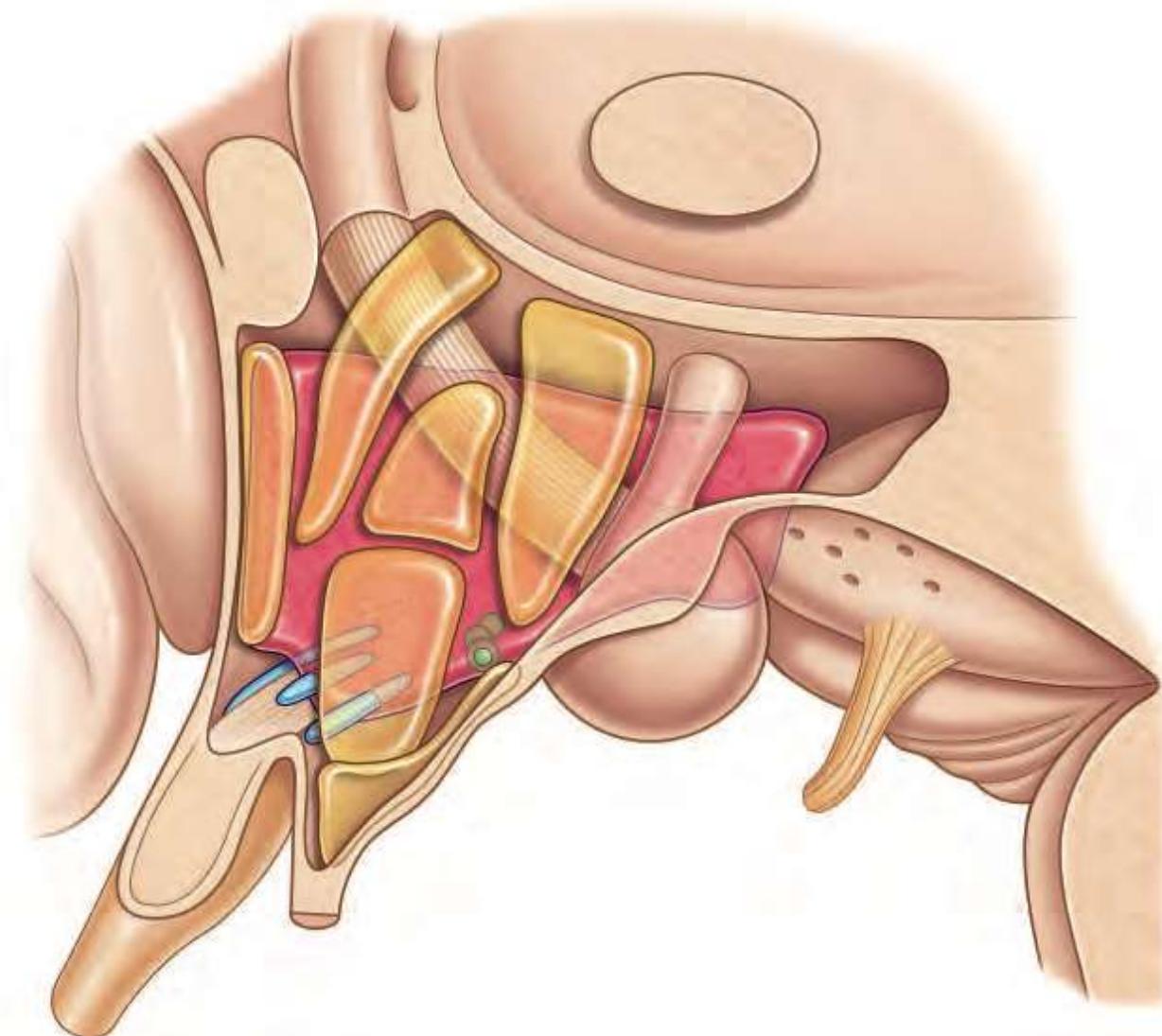
► middle hypothalamus

- Nucleus suprachiasmaticus
- Nc. hypothalamicus ventromedialis
- Nc. hypothalamicus dorsomedialis
 - Circadian pacemaker
 - Input of visual fibers – tractus retinohypothalamicus
 - Controls
 - hormonal secretion
 - Heartbeat
 - Body temperature
 - Melatonin production
 - Motion activity



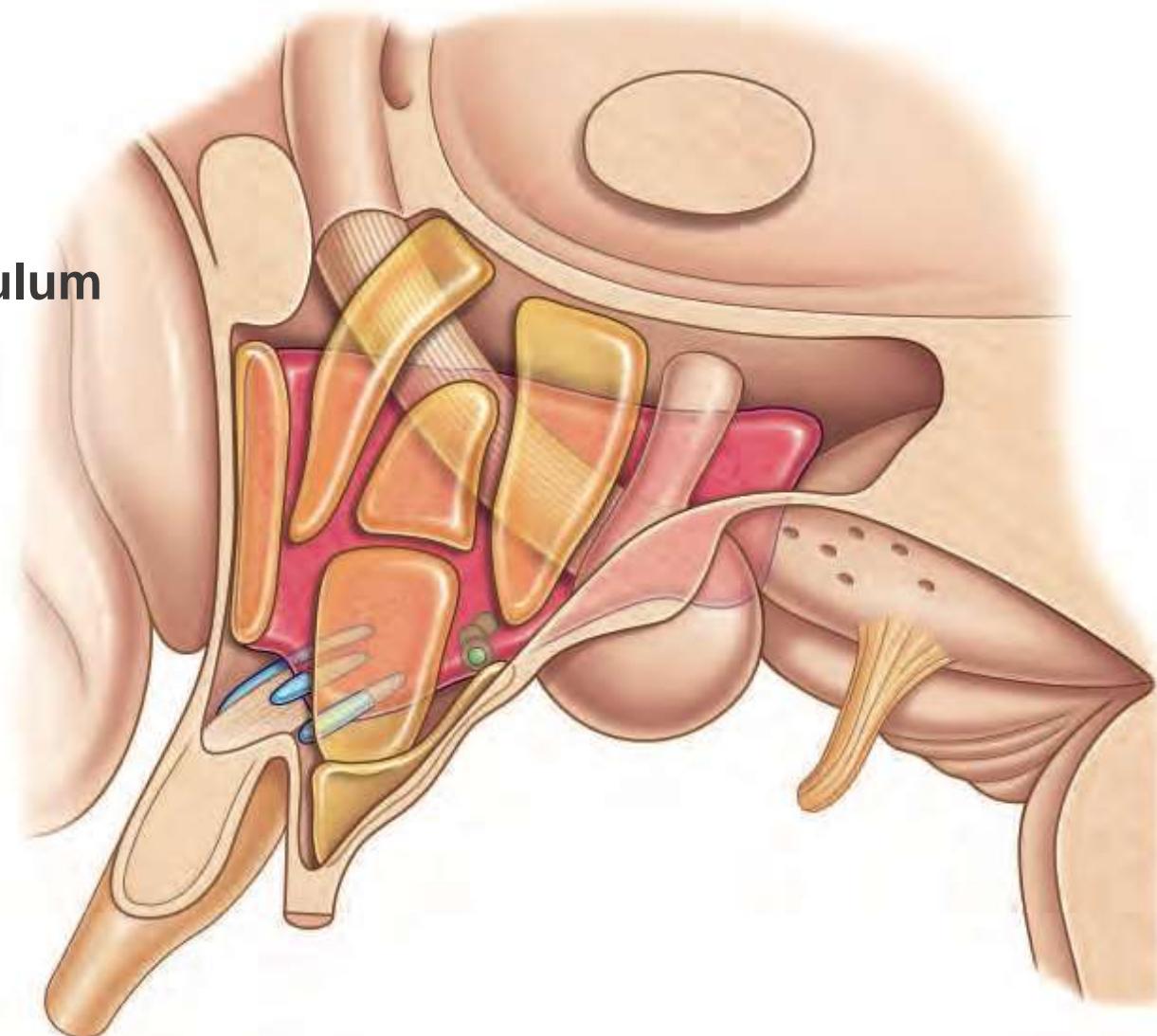
Hypothalamus

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 - ❖ **Nucleus suprachiasmaticus**
 - ❖ *Nc. hypothalamicus ventromedialis*
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 - ❖ **Tuber cinereum**
 - ❖ **Ncc. tuberales**
 - ❖ **Nc. infundibularis**
- ❖ Controlling of
- ❖ Metabolical processes and sexual behaviour



Hypothalamus

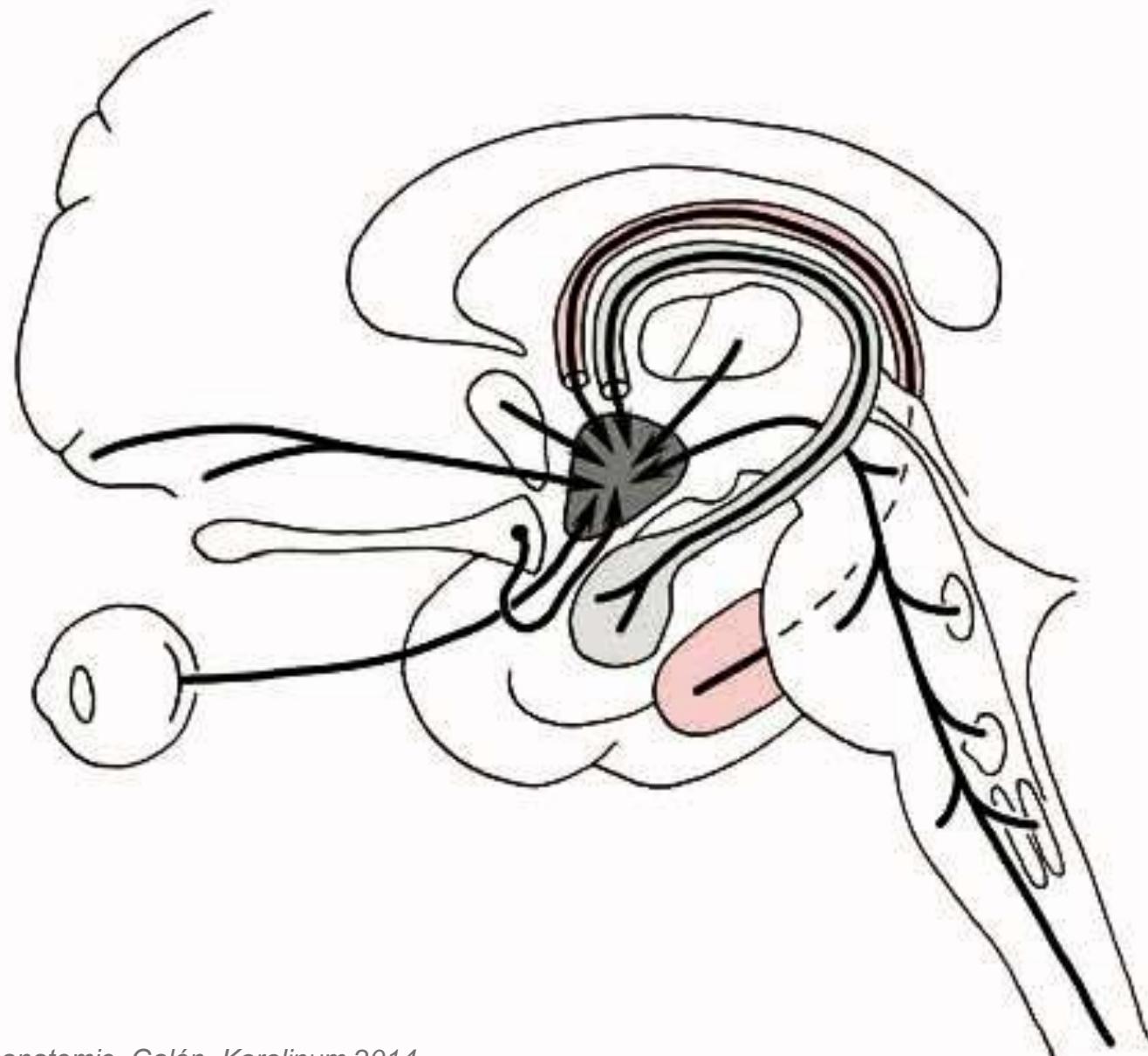
- ❖ **dorsal hypothalamus**
- ❖ **Corpora mammillaria**
 - ❖ *Nc. mamillaria medialis et lateralis*
 - ❖ *Nc. hypothalamicus posterior*
- ❖ **Connection to hippocampus formation – subiculum**
- ❖ **Corpora mamillaria**
 - ❖ limbic system



Hypothalamus

❖ Afferent connections

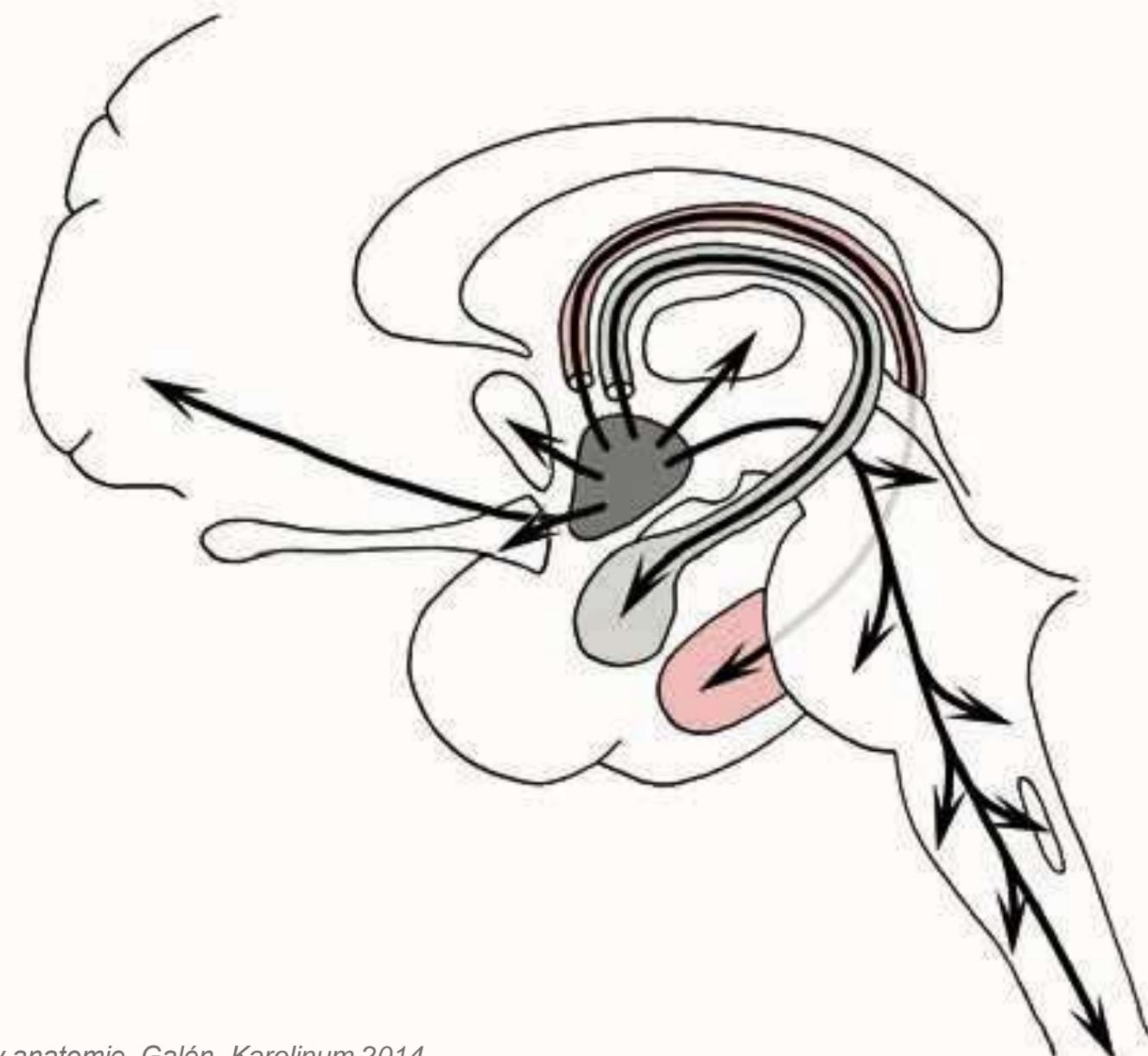
- ❖ Truncus cortico-thalamicus
- ❖ Tractus septo-hypothalamicus
- ❖ Tactus amygdalo-hypothalamicus
- ❖ Tractus retinohypothalamicus
- ❖ Tractus reticulohypothalamicus
- ❖ All kinds of informations
- ❖ all reception modalities



Hypothalamus

► Efferent connections

- Tractus hypothalamocorticalis
- Tractus hypothalamoseptalis
- Tractus mammillothalamicus
- Tractus hypothalamothalamicus
- Tractus hypothalamoreticularis
- Tractus hypothalamospinalis
- Tractus hypothalamohypophysealis



Hypothalamo-hypophyseal system

► Hypothalamus

- Nuclei and their responses
- Emotional and exteroceptive stimuli

► Sekretion of releasing factors/hormones

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- GnRH – gonadotropine releasing hormone – FSH, LH

► Inhibitory factors - somatostatine

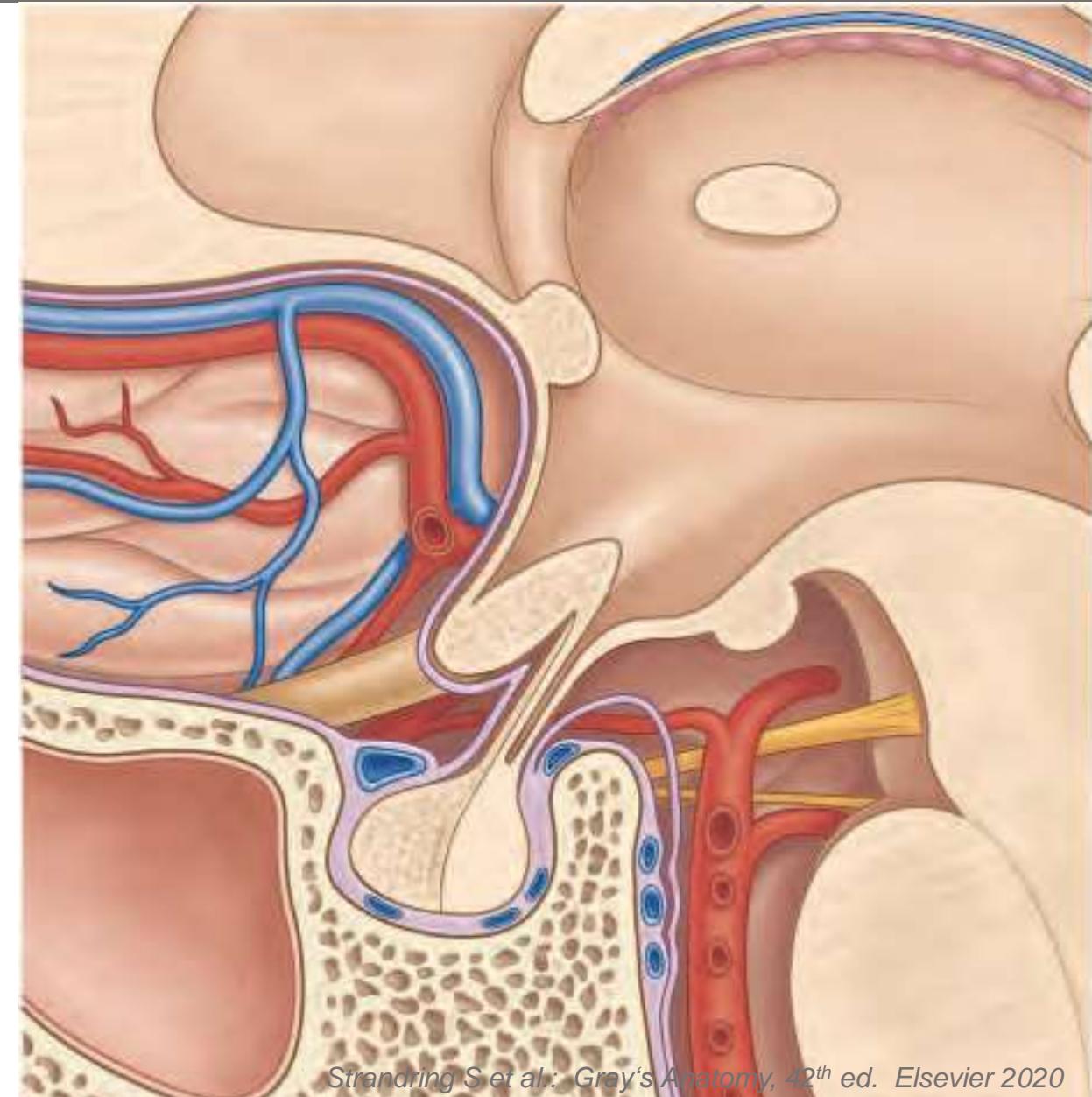
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- Rathke pouch – stomodeum – accesori. nasopharynx
- Pars principalis, intermedia, tuberalis

► Lobus posterior – neurohypophysis

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- Modified glial cells - pituicytes
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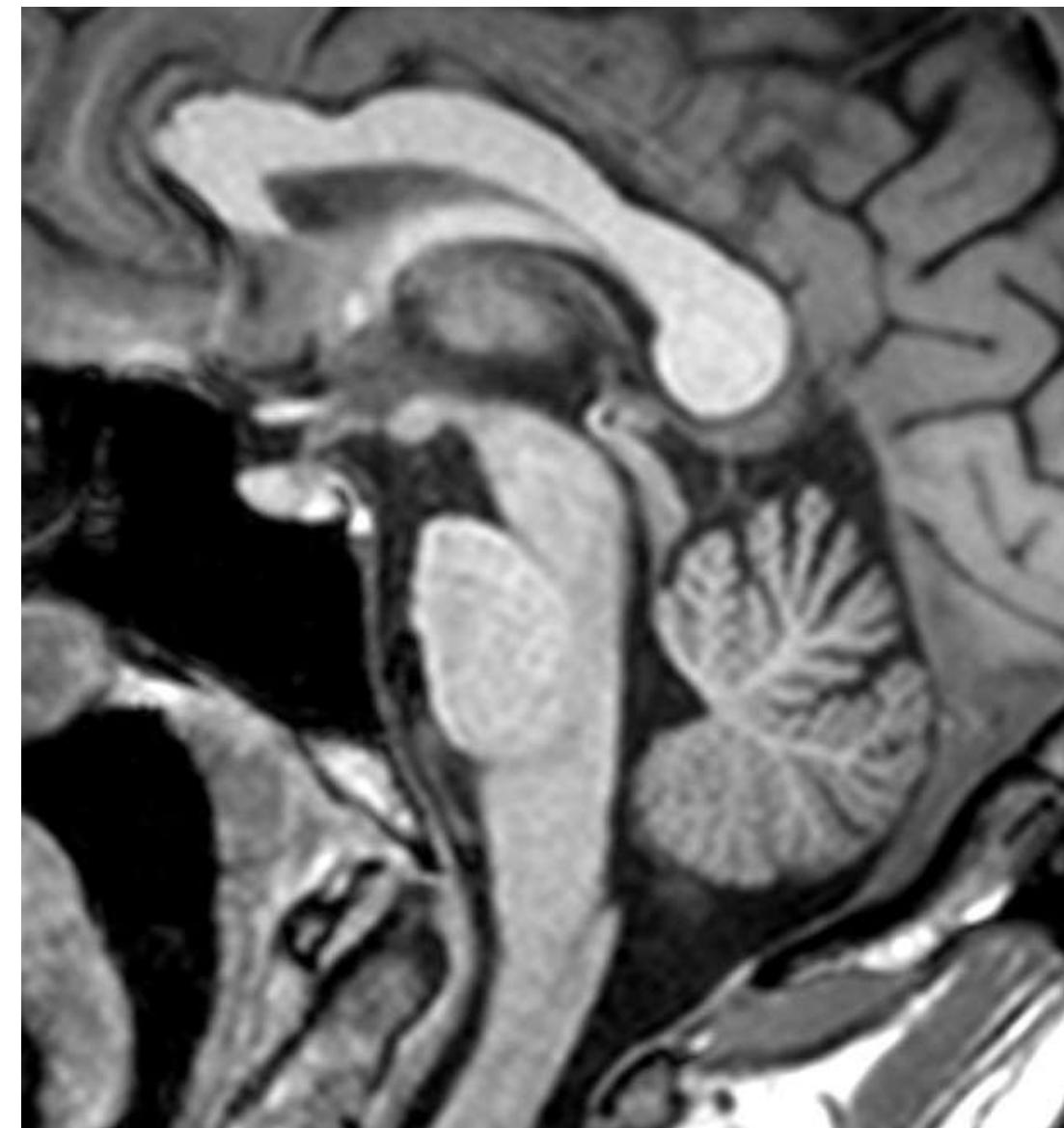
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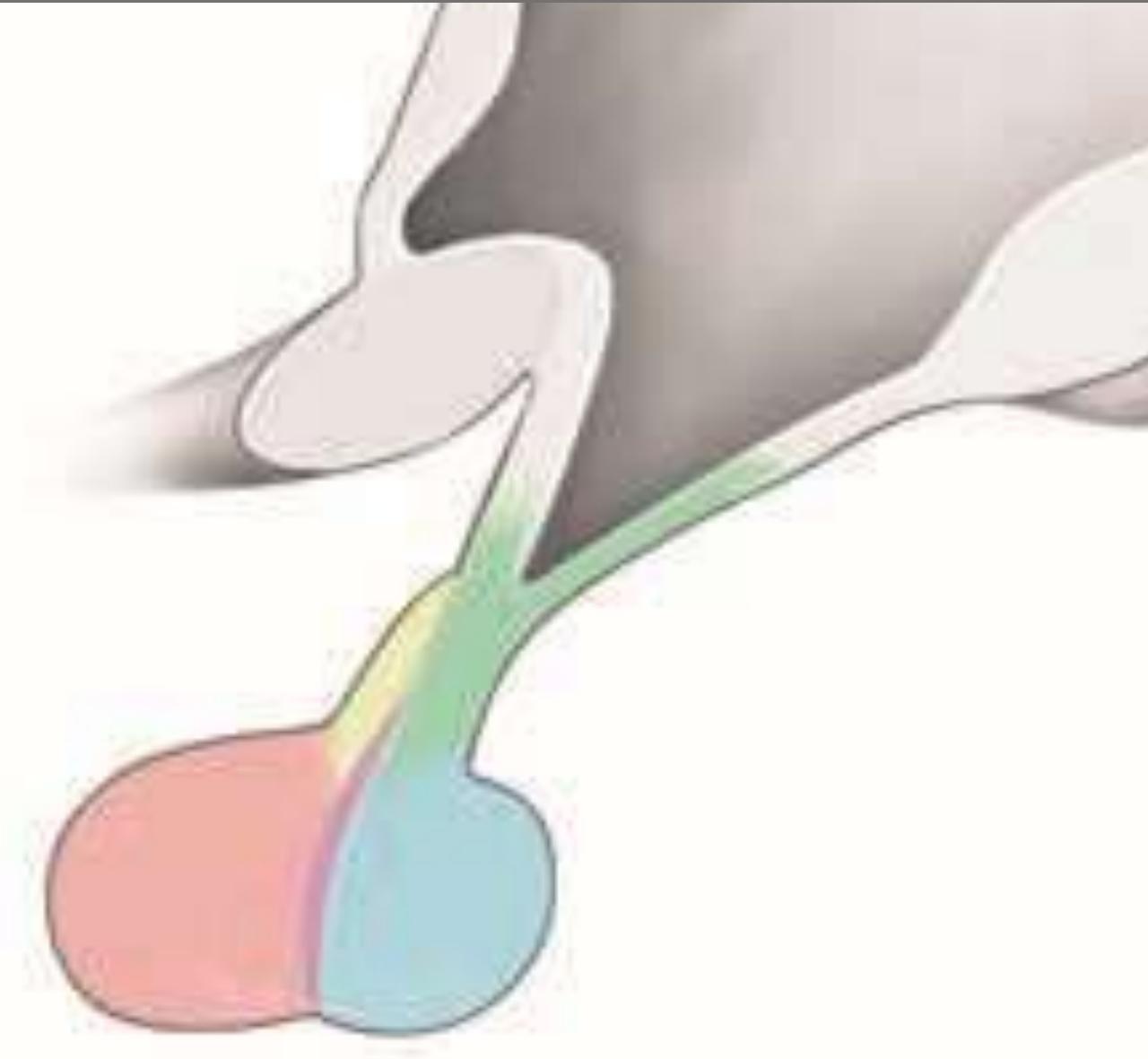
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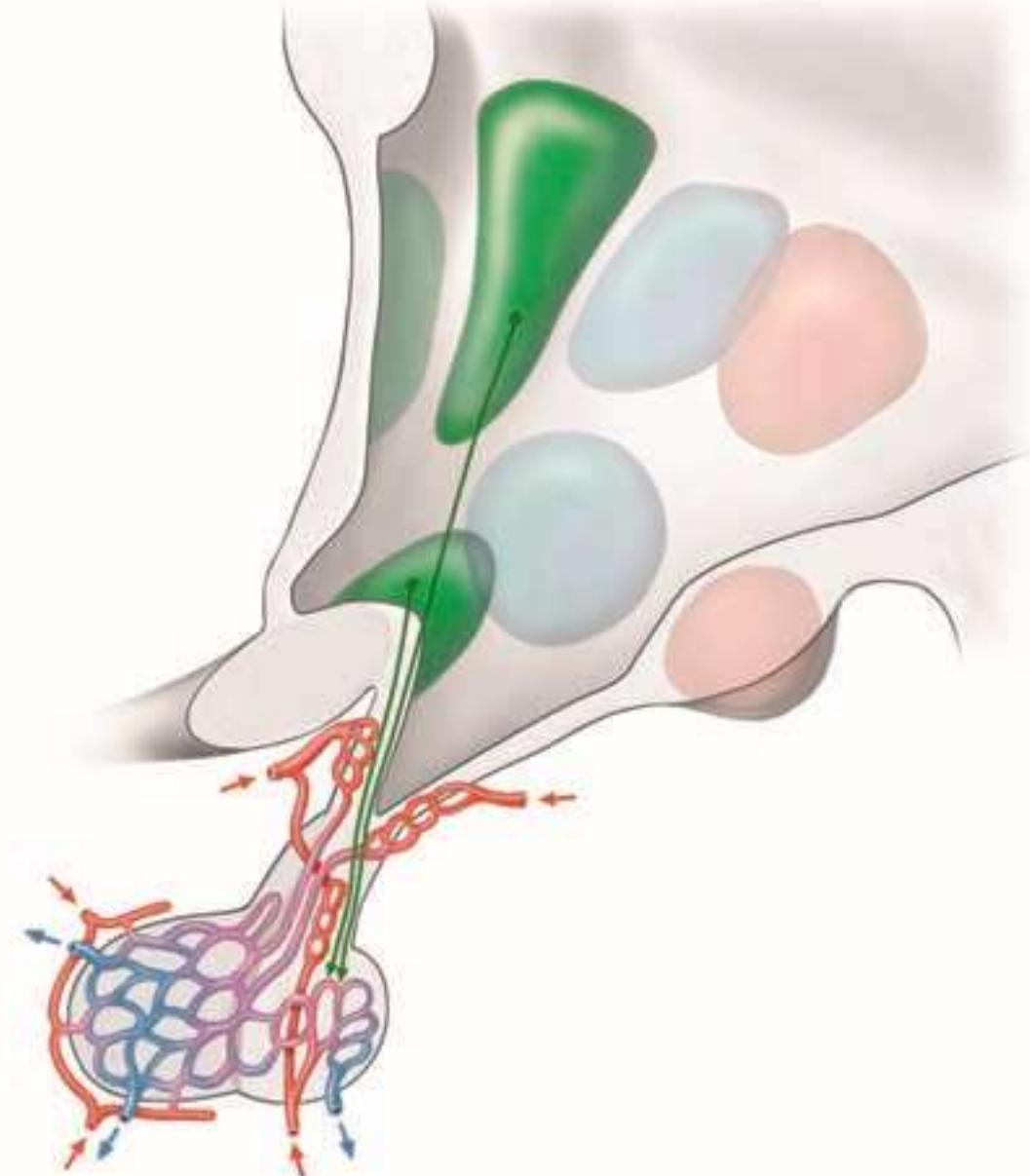
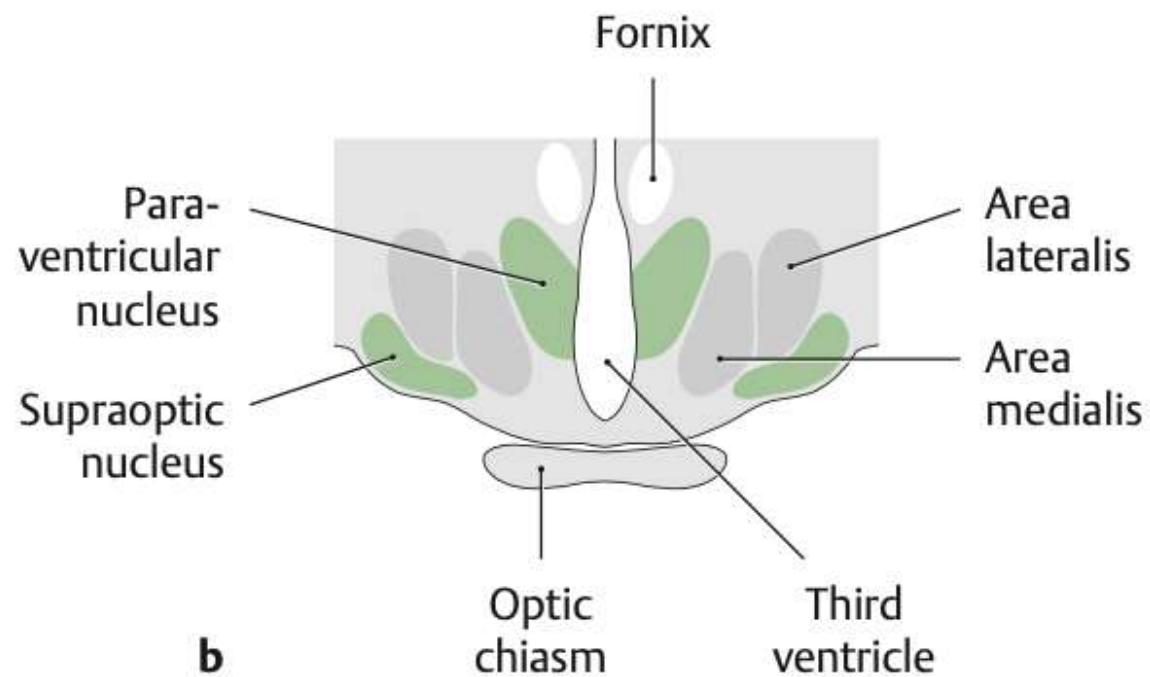
Hypophysis

- **Infundibulum**
- **Neurohypophysis – lobus posterior**
- **Adenohypophysis – lobus anterior**
- **Pars tuberalis**
- **Pars intermedia**
- **Pars distalis**

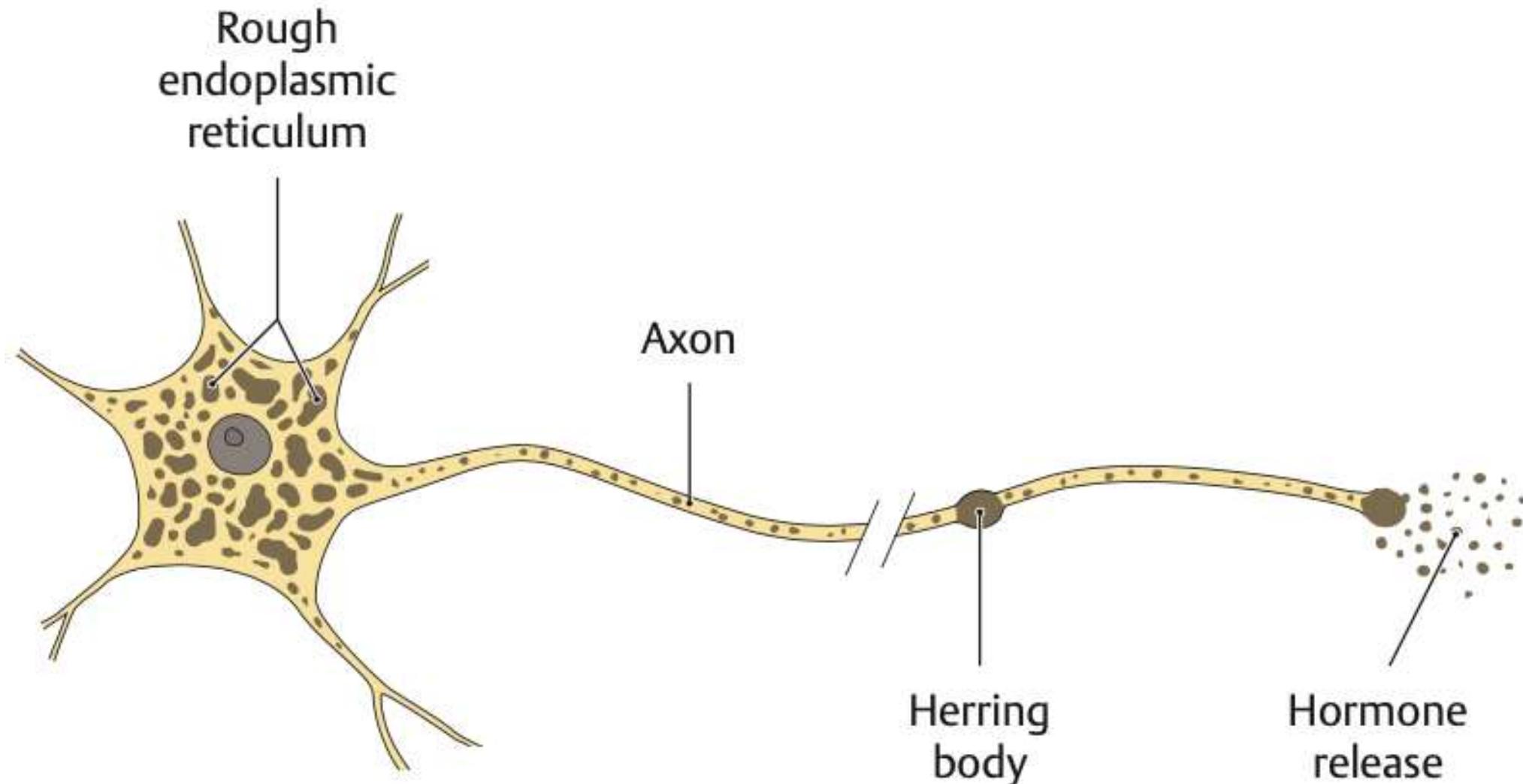


Hypophysis

- *Nucleus paraventricularis*
- *Nc. supraopticus*
- *Antidiuretický hormon*
- *Oxytocin*



Hypophysis

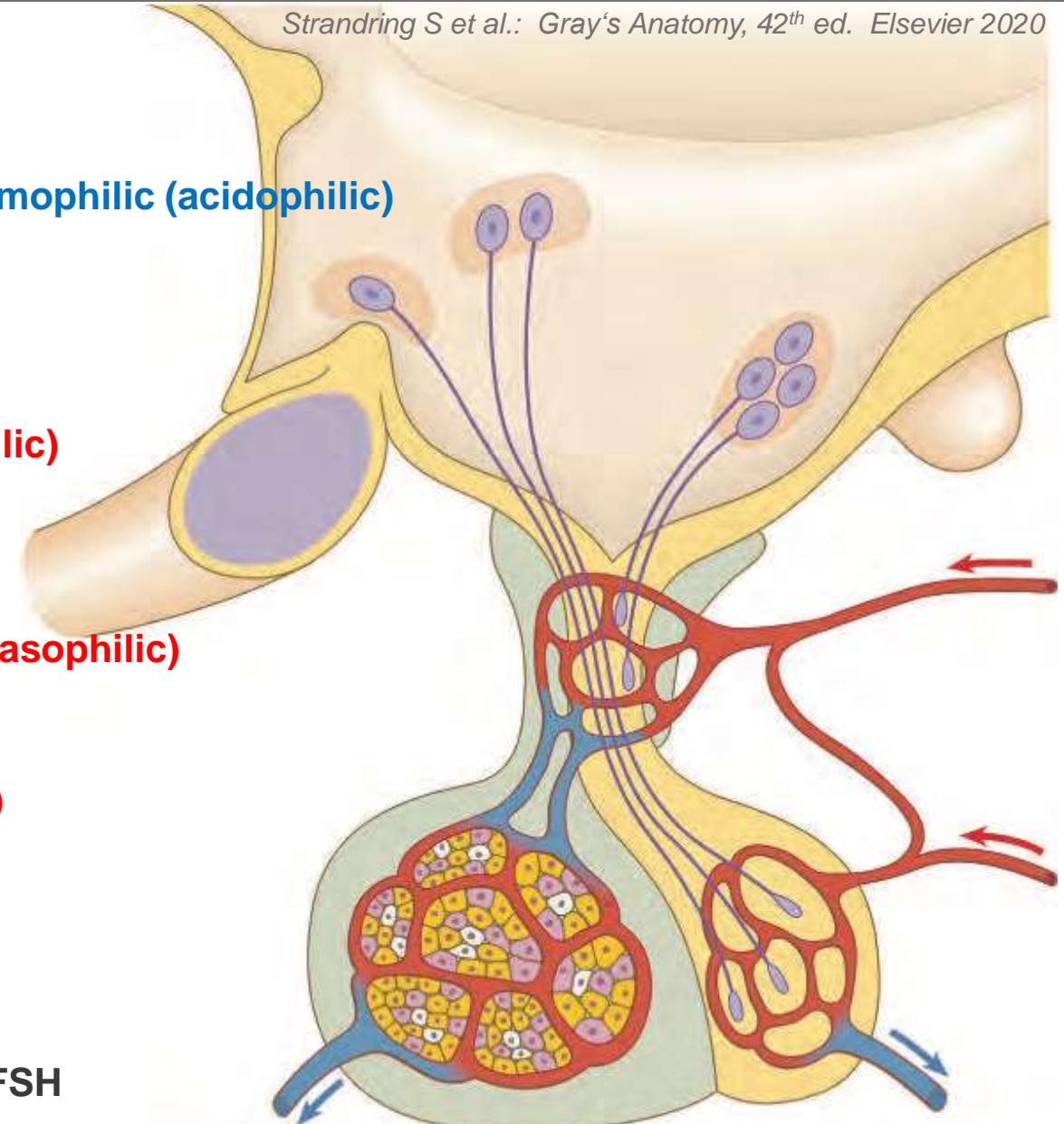


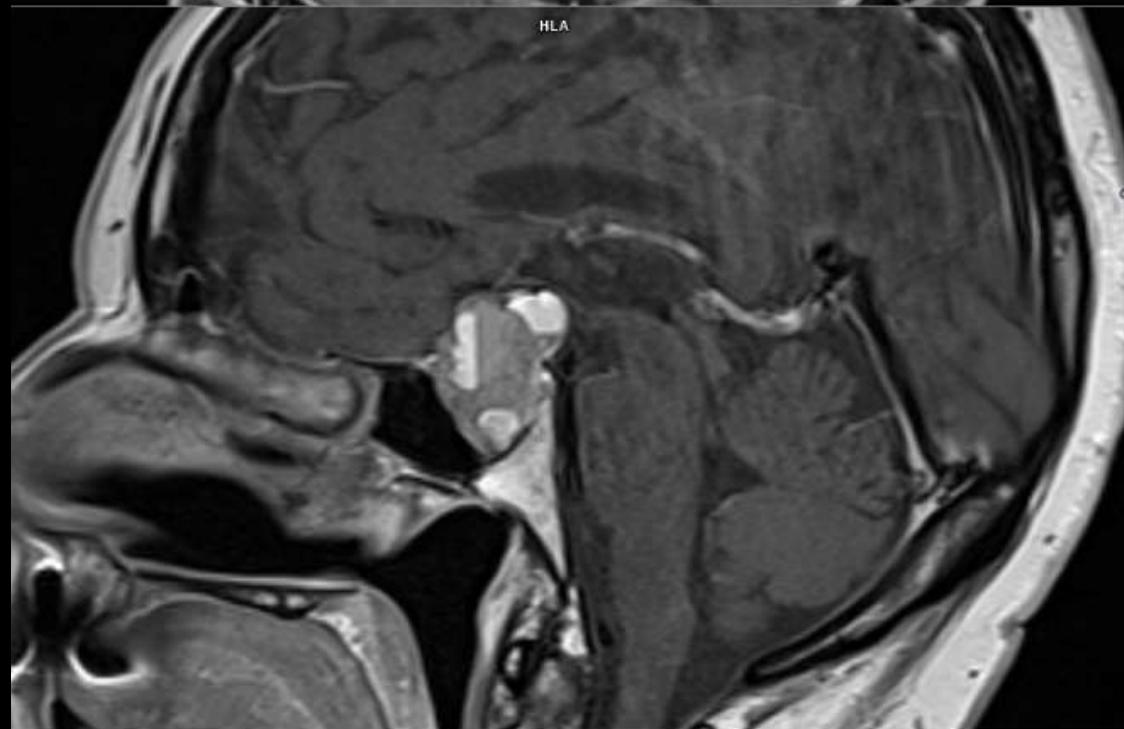
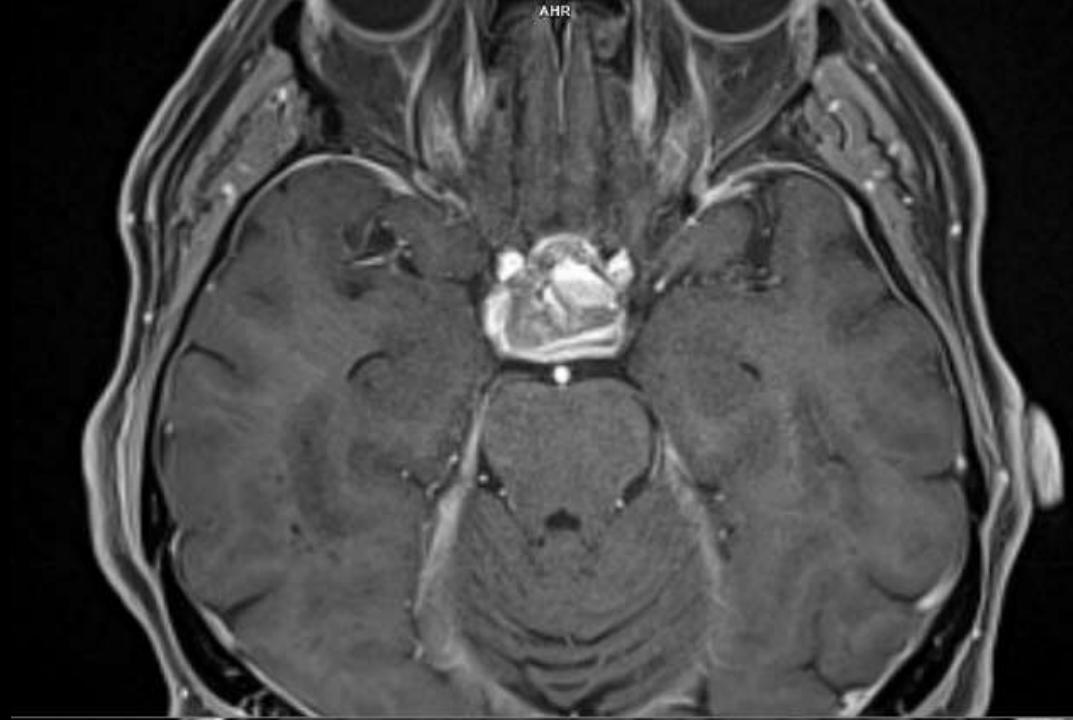
Adenohypophysis – anterior lobe

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Adenohypophysis

- Neuropeptides
- Somatotropine (STH) = growing hormone (GH) – chromophilic (acidophilic)
 - Tissue and organs growing
- Prolaktine (PRL) – chromophilic (acidophilic)
 - Milk secretion
- Glycoproteins
- Adrenocortikotropine (ACTH) – chromophili (acidophilic)
 - Adrenal cortex
- Thyreotropine (TSH) - chromophili (basophilic)
 - Thyroid gland
- Folikulostimmulating hormone (FSH) - chromophili (basophilic)
 - Ovarial folicles – stimulated production of hormones
 - Sertoli bb - spermatogenesis
- Luteinizing hormone (LH) - chromophili (basophilic)
 - Secrerion of progesterone from corpus luteum
 - Leydig cells – secretion of testosterone
- Pars intermedia, chromophobic cells – lost granula
- Pars tuberalis – clusters and funicles – basophilic LH a FSH

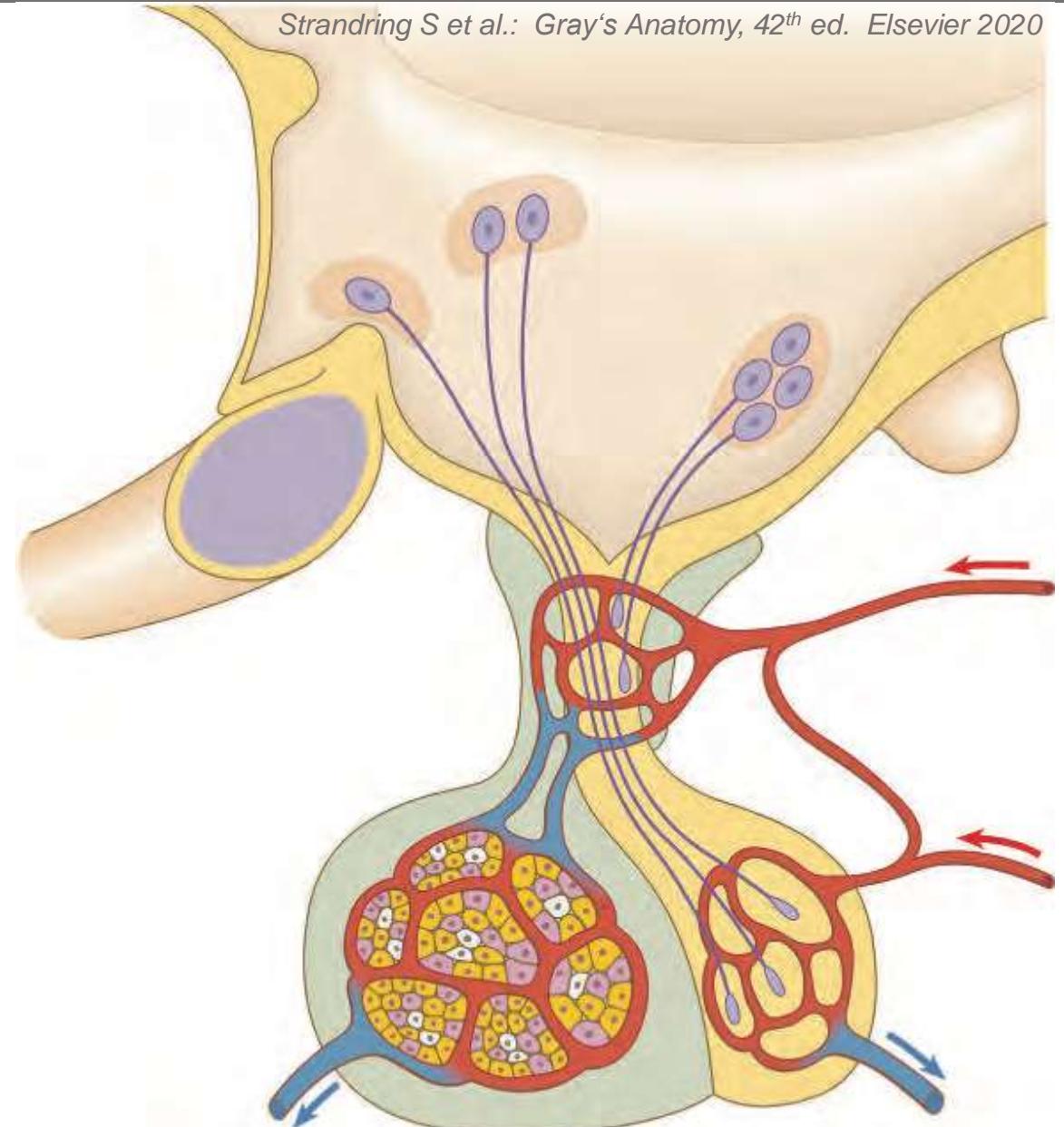




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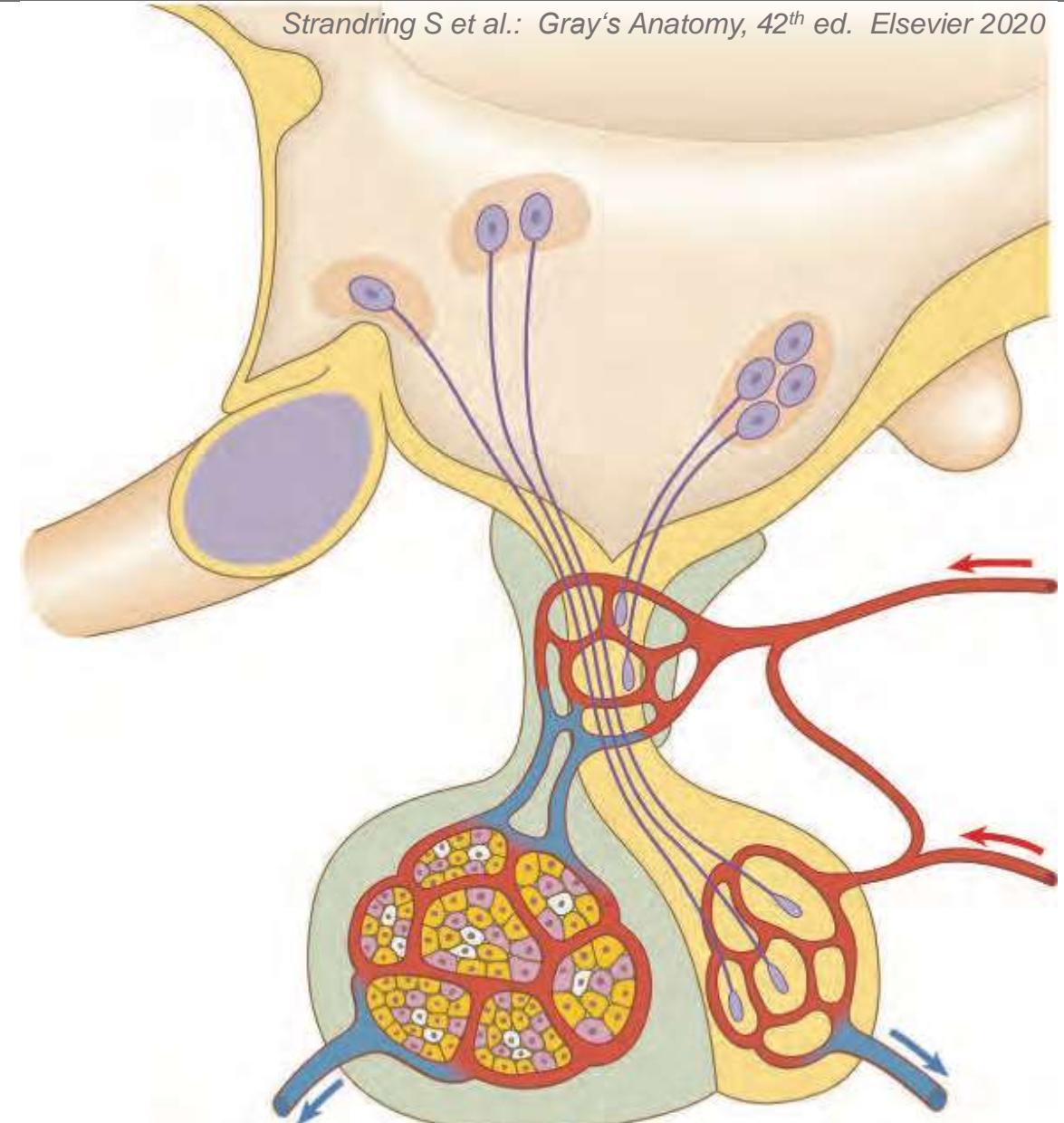
- ❖ Processus of hypothalamus
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 - ❖ Neural fibers
 - ❖ Transportation of peptidic hormones
 - ❖ Nc. supraopticus
 - ❖ Nc. paraventricularis
 - ❖ Vasopresine = antidiuretic hormone (ADH)
 - ❖ Water resorption in distal renal tubule
 - ❖ Oxytocine
 - ❖ Uteral contractions during deliverance
 - ❖ Milk ejection during breastfeeding



Vascular supply of the pituitary gland

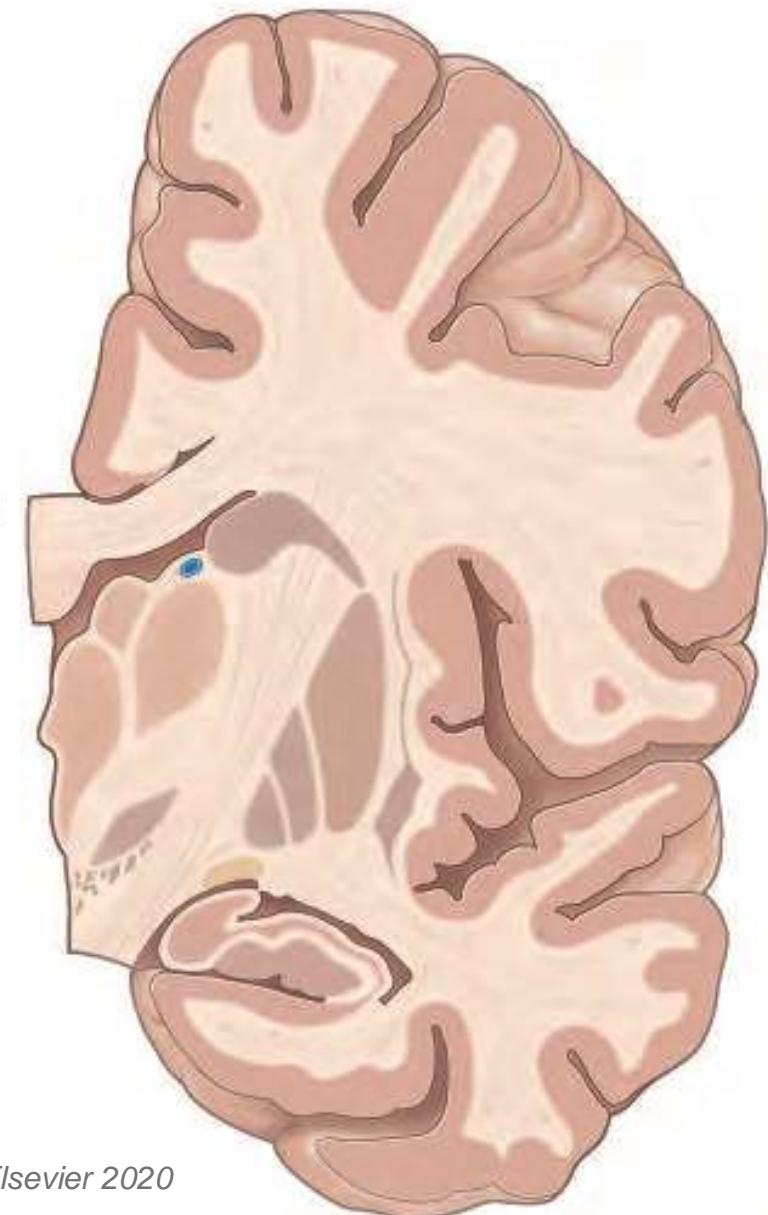
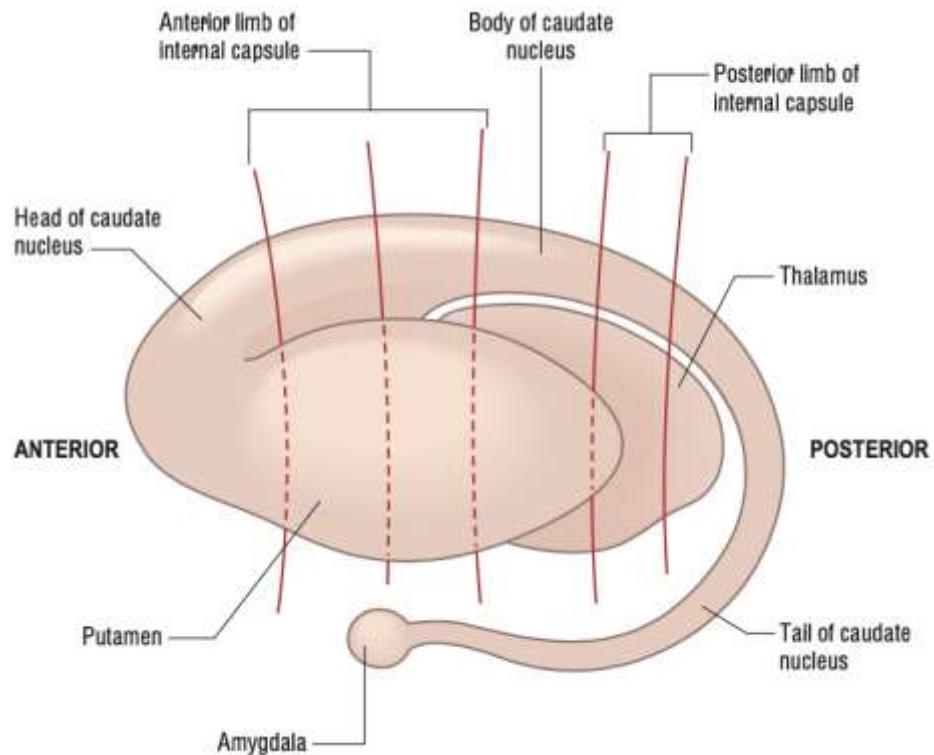
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- ◆ *A. carotis interna*
- ◆ **A. hypophysealis superior**
 - ◆ trabecula
- ◆ **A. hypophysealis inferior**
- ◆ **Plexus hypophysealis superior**
- ◆ **Porta hypophysealis**
- ◆ **Plexus hypophysealis inferior**
- ◆ **Plexus hypophysealis lobi posterioris**
- ◆ **Hypophysela veins**
- ◆ **Dural sinuses**



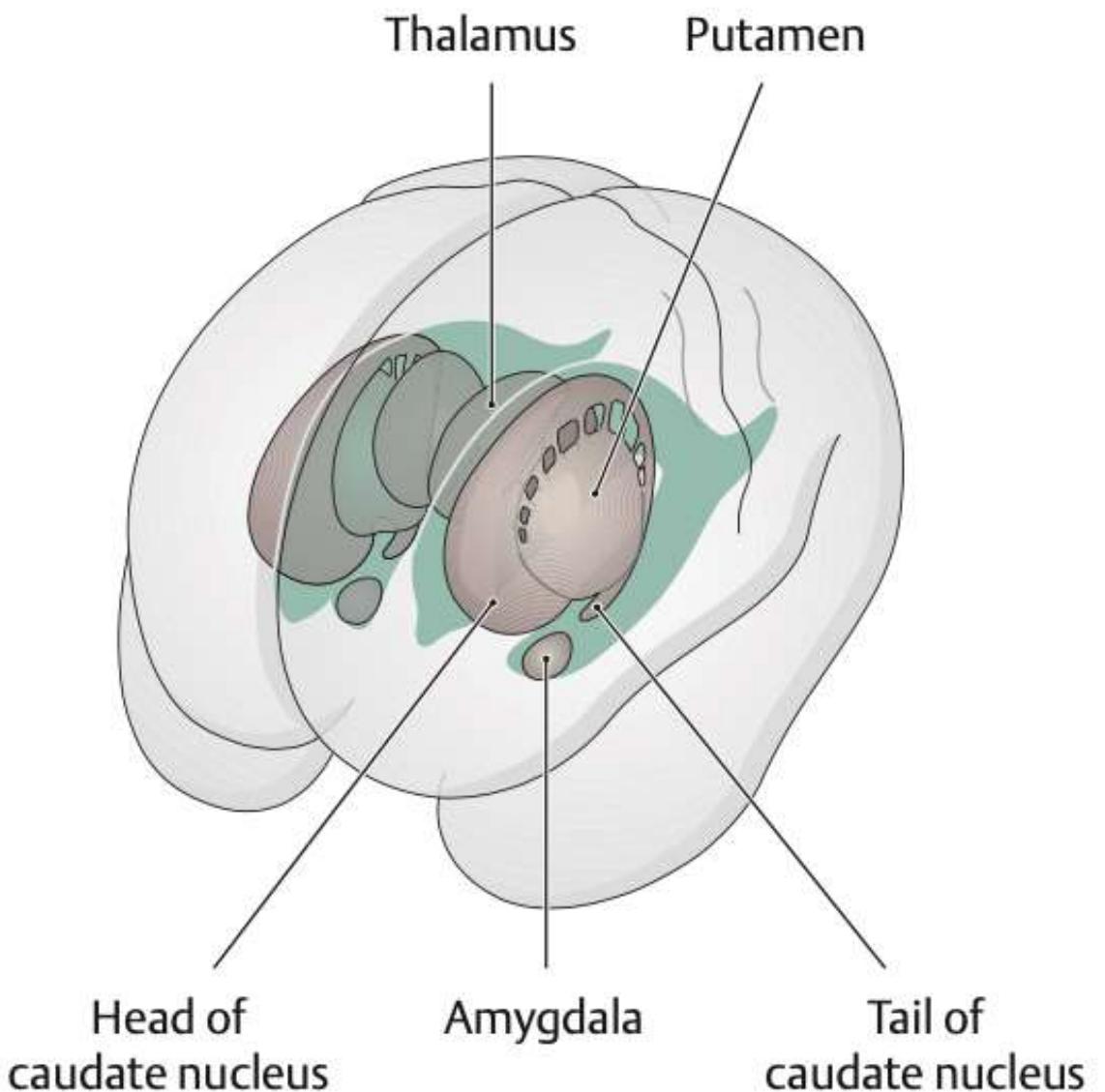
Basal ganglia

- Subcortical nuclei
 - Corpus striatum
 - Nucleus caudatus
 - Putamen
 - Globus pallidus
 - Claustrum
 - Amygdaloid complex
 - Associated centres
 - Diencephalon
 - Mezencephalon
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- **Associated to**
 - Diencefalon
 - Mezencefalon
- **Neostriatum = striatum = nucleus caudatus + puta**
- **Paleostriatum = globus pallidus**

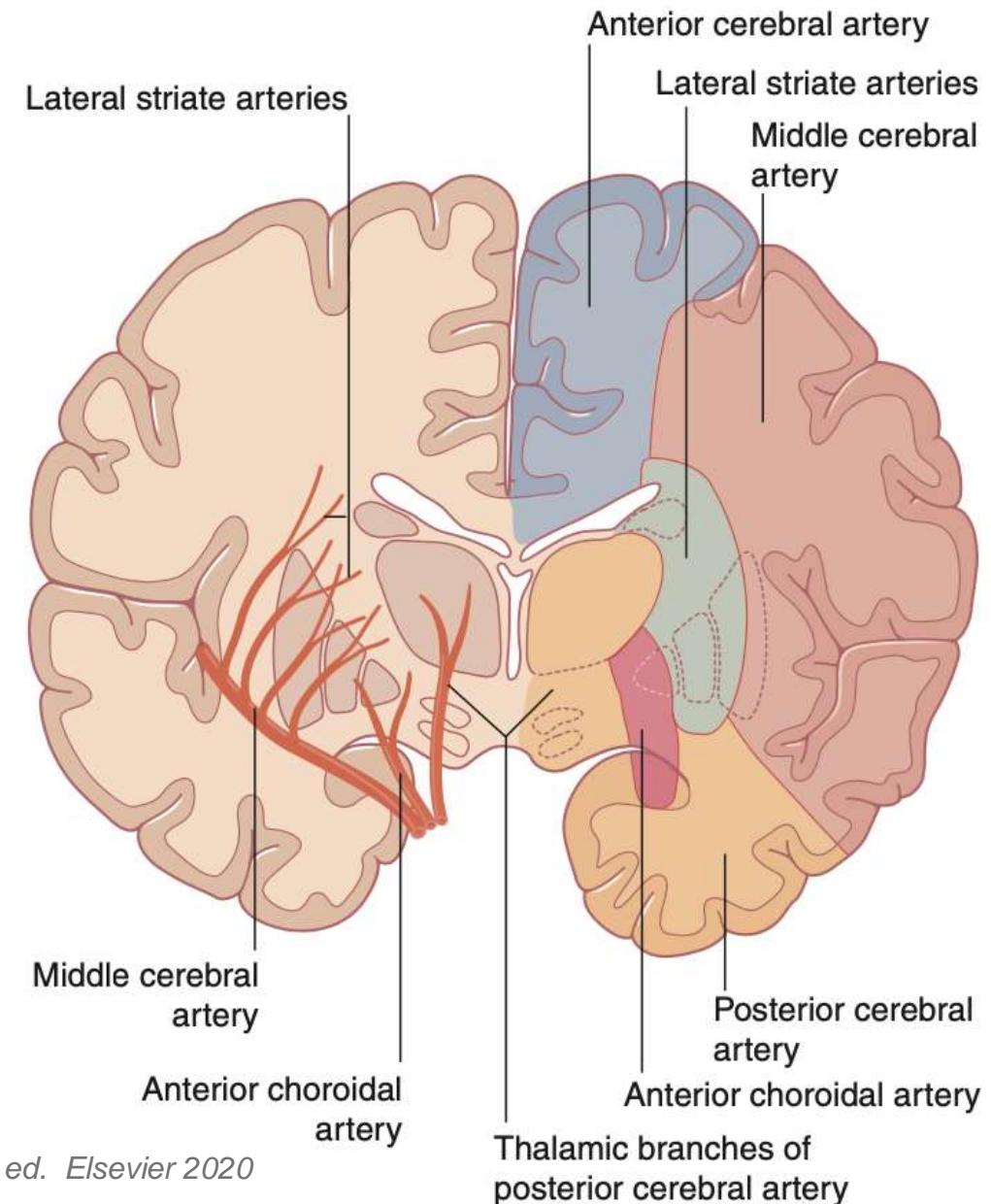






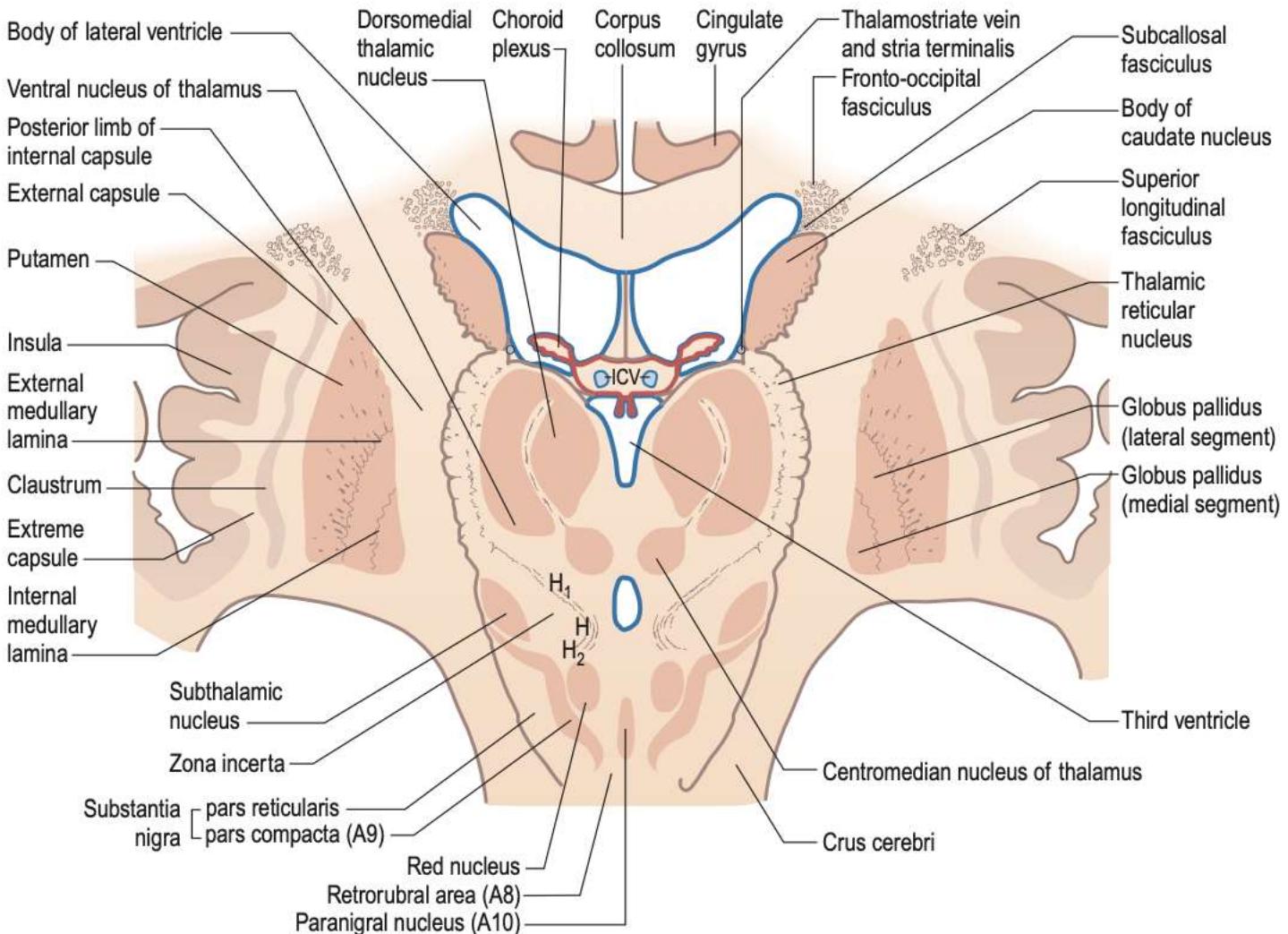
Basal ganglia and thalamus - arterial supply

- A. cerebri media
- Aa. centrales anteriores
- A. chorioidea anterior
- A. cerebri posterior
- Aa. centrales posteriores



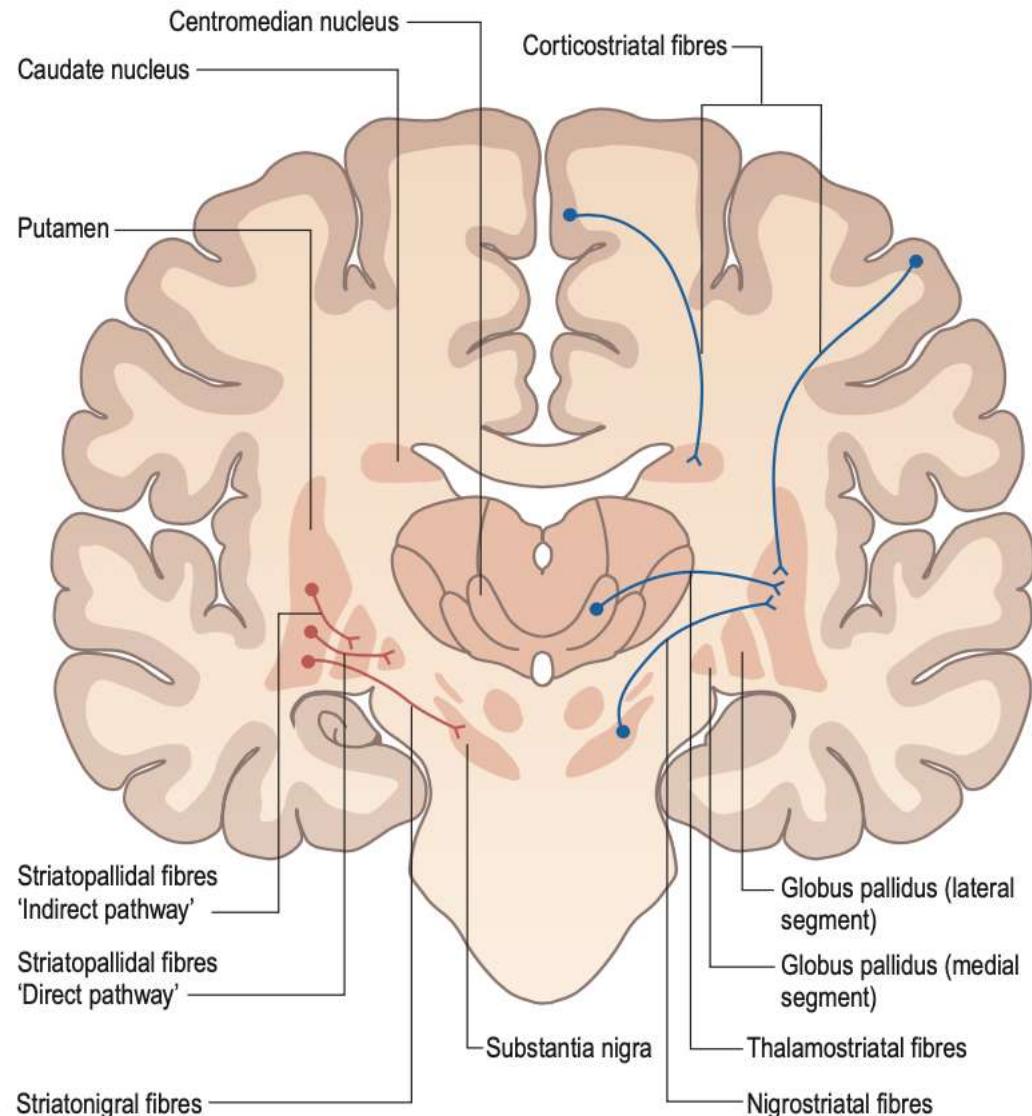
Basal ganglia

- ❖ principal input function
- ❖ Whole neocortex
- ❖ STRIATUM
- ❖ Efferent connections
 - ❖ globus pallidus
 - ❖ Substantia nigra
- ❖ principal output function
- ❖ GLOBUS PALLIDUM
- ❖ SUBSTANTIA NIGRA pars reticulata
- ❖ Efferent connection
 - ❖ Thalamus
- ❖ Basal ganglia disorders
- ❖ Abnormal motions
- ❖ Hypertonia (Parkinson disease)
- ❖ Abnormal involuntary motions (chorea, Huntington disease)



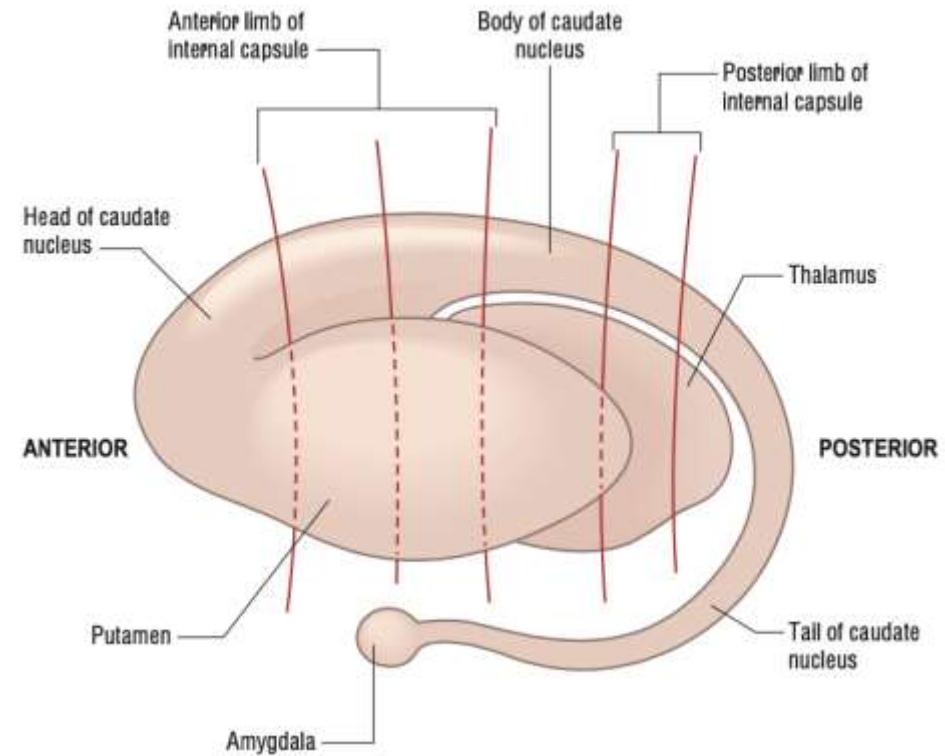
Striatum

- ❖ High cellular density
- ❖ High vascular density
- ❖ GABA
- ❖ Enkefalines
 - ❖ D2 receptors of dopamine
- ❖ Substance P (dynorphin)
 - ❖ D1 receptors of dopamine
- ❖ Somatostatine
- ❖ Acetylcholine
- ❖ Afferent connections
 - ❖ Cortex
 - ❖ Thalamus
 - ❖ Substantia nigra
- ❖ Efferent connections
 - ❖ Globus pallidus – medial – „direct pathway“
 - ❖ Globus pallidus – lateral - “indirect pathway“
 - ❖ Nc. subthalamicus



Striatum

- ❖ Corticostriatal connection
- ❖ Ipsilateral neocortex
- ❖ Orbitofrontal – caput nc. caudati pars inferior
- ❖ Dorsolateral frontal – caput nc. caudati
- ❖ Parietal – corpus nc. caudati
- ❖ Temporal and occipital – cauda nc. caudati
- ❖ Somatosenzoric and motoric – putamen
 - ❖ Lower part – lateral
 - ❖ Upper part – medial
- ❖ Contralateral projection – cauda nc. caudati + inferior putamen



Striatum

❖ Anibergic connections

❖ Dopamine

- ❖ Substantia nigra pars compacta
- ❖ Rubrostriatal connection

❖ Serotonine

- ❖ Reticular formation, nuclei of raphe

❖ Noradrenaline-norepinephrine

- ❖ Locus coeruleus

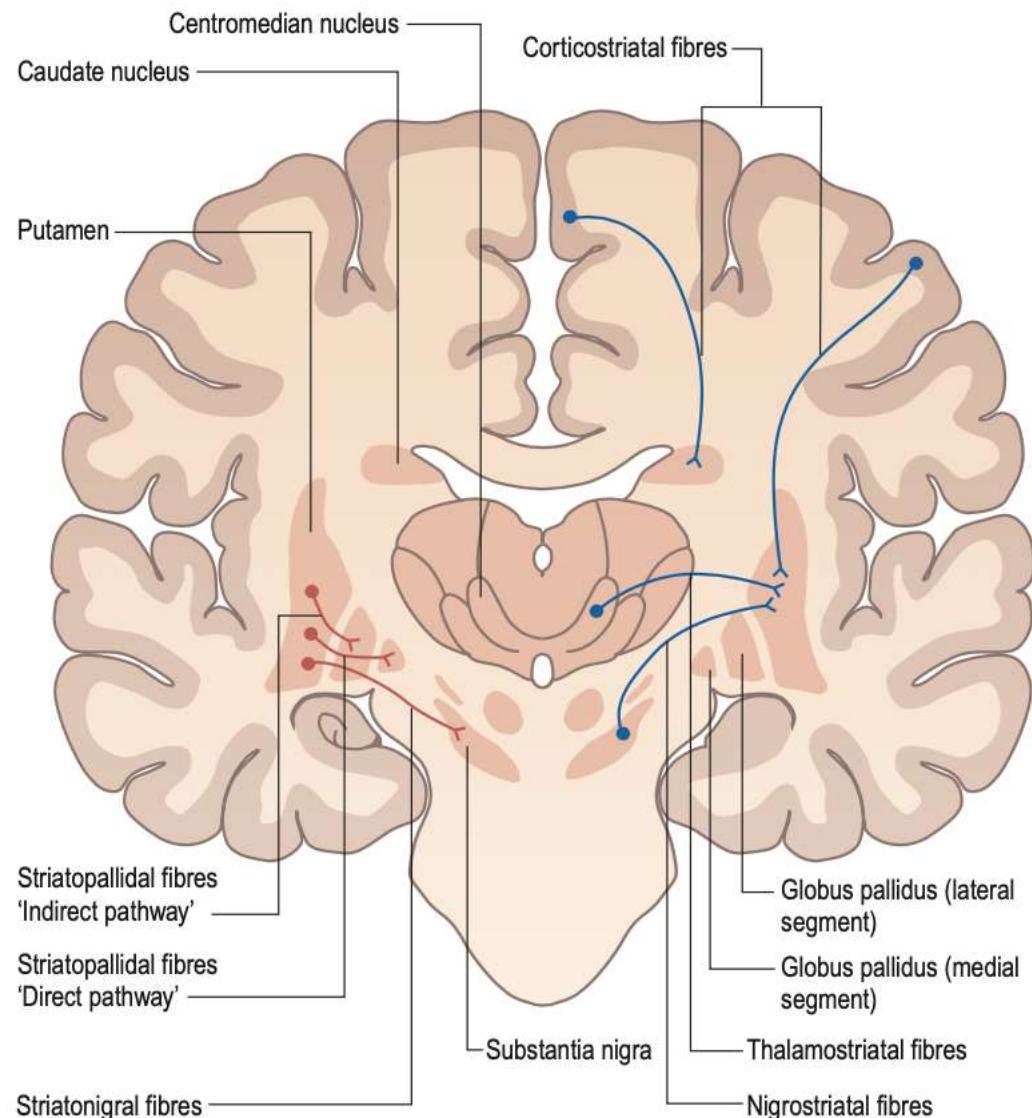
❖ Connections of striatum

❖ Ventral striatum

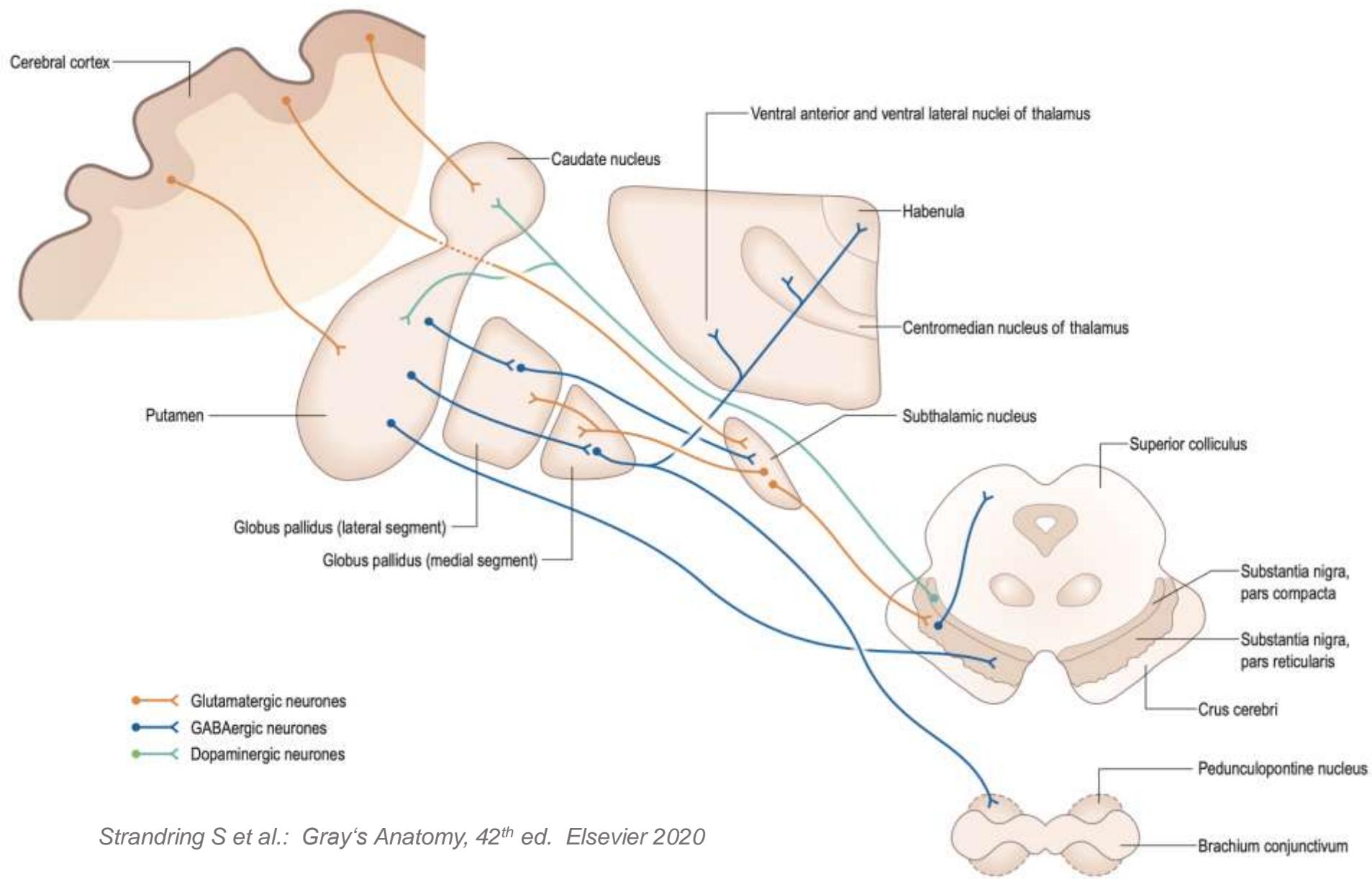
- ❖ Limbic cortex including allocortex
- ❖ Nc. accumbens + tuber olfactorium
- ❖ In the front of commisura anterior – addiction to cocaine, amphetamine
- ❖ Decreases re-uptake of dopamine

❖ dorsal striatum

- ❖ Motor cortex, prefrontal cortex kortex, gyrus cinguli
- ❖ Intralaminar thalamic nuclei

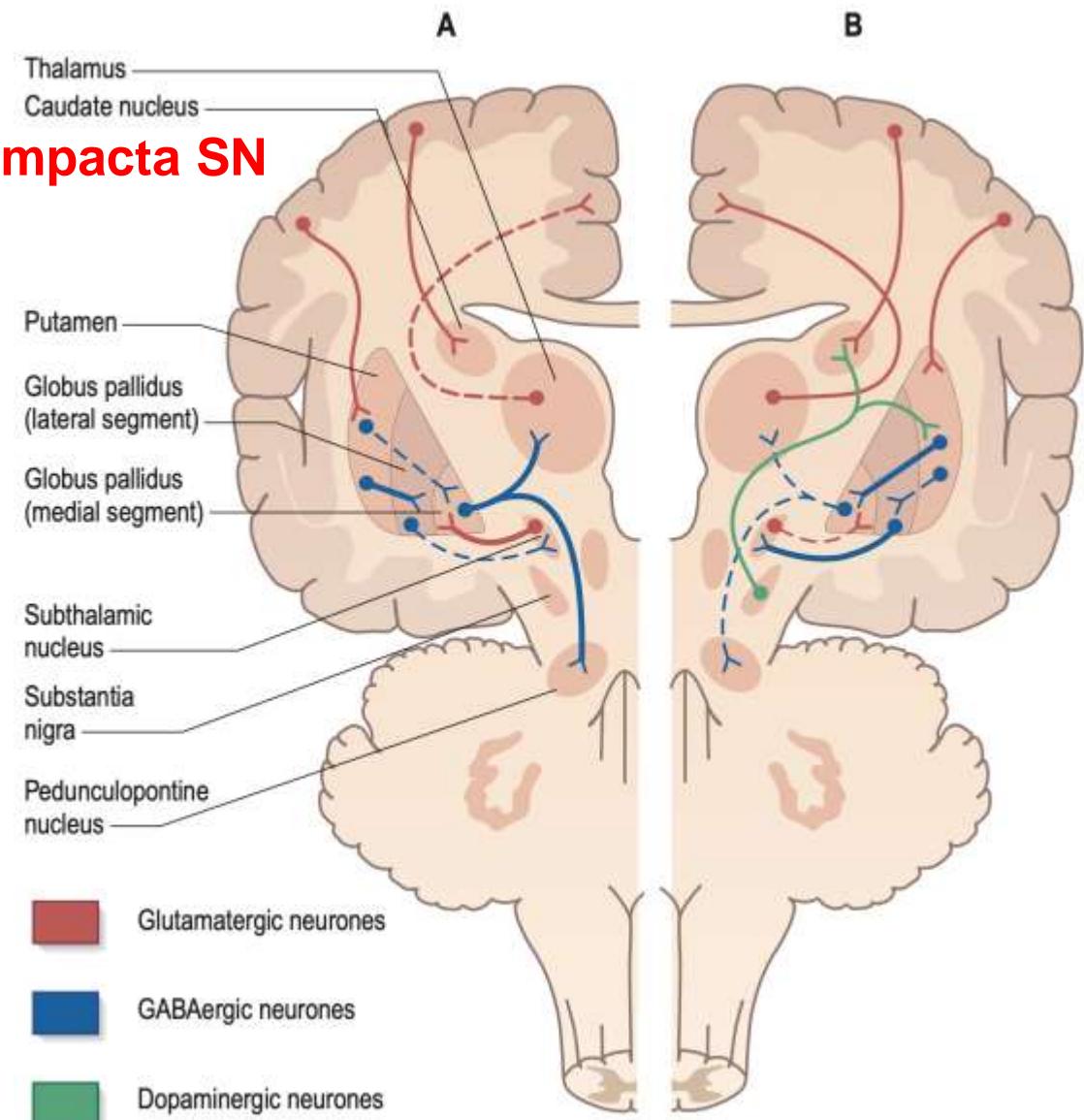


Connections of striatum



Bazal ganglia

- ❖ Parkinson disease
- ❖ Degeneration of dopaminergic neurons in pars compacta SN
- ❖ Decreased concentration of dopamine in striatum
- ❖ Receptors preserved
- ❖ Decreased density of receptors
 - ❖ striatonigral degeneration
- ❖ Increased activity of the indirect pathway
- ❖ Decreased activity of the direct pathway
- ❖ Decreased inhibition of nc. subthalamicus
- ❖ Increased activity of thalamic motor nuclei
- ❖ Increased cortical activity
- ❖ Hypertonus
- ❖ Dyskinesia



Neuroanatomy – diencephalon and basal ganglia