

كلية العلوم قسم الانظمة الطبية الذكية

Lecture: (3)

**Subject: Planes system organization** 

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#### Organization of the Human Body

- Chemicals combine to form...
- Cells, similar cells combine to form...
- Tissues, two or more tissues combine to form an...
- Organ, two or more work together as an...
- Organ system, all organ systems work together to support the...
- Organism

#### Chemicals

- Simplest chemical is an <u>element</u>, 20 are found in the human body.
- Each element is composed of unique atoms.
- Atoms combine to form molecules and compounds:
  - Inorganic –
  - Organic –

#### Chemicals

- Molecules & compounds combine to form macromolecules.
- Organic macromolecules in living organisms:

#### Cells

- Smallest <u>living</u> structural and functional units.
- Composed of organic macromolecules.

#### Tissues

- Groups of cells with similar structure and function.
- 4 basic groups:
  - Epithelial tissue –
  - Connective tissue -
  - Muscle tissue -
  - Nerve tissue –

### Organs

- 2 or more tissues that combine to form a structure that performs a particular function. Examples -
  - Heart
  - Lungs
  - ????

- Integumentary system: skin; protects us from chemicals, sun, and pathogens.
- Skeletal system: bones and ligaments; protects internal organs, provides framework for muscles, supports the body.
- Muscular system: muscles and tendons; moves the skeleton, produces heat, moves blood and food.

- Nervous system: brain, spinal cord, peripheral nerves, sensory organs; collects and interprets sensory information, regulates body functions.
- Endocrine system: glands, produce hormones that regulate body functions.

- Circulatory system: heart, blood vessels and blood; transports oxygen and nutrients to tissues.
- Lymphatic system: lymph glands and vessels; destroys pathogens and returns tissue fluid to circulatory system.

- Respiratory system: lungs, trachea, etc.; exchanges O<sub>2</sub> and CO<sub>2</sub> between the body and the atmosphere.
- Digestive system: stomach, intestines, liver, etc.; breaks down food into nutrients and absorbs them into the blood stream.

- Urinary System: kidneys, urinary bladder, urethra; removes waste products from the blood.
- Reproductive system: ovaries, testes, uterus, prostate gland; produces eggs or sperm, female provides site for developing offspring.

#### Metabolism

Sum of all chemical reactions and processes in the body.

Anabolism -

Catabolism -

Causes changes internally and externally. Ex. Digestion can cause an increase in blood glucose, etc.

#### Homeostasis

- A state of relative stability within the body despite changes in the external and internal environment.
- Maintenance Mechanisms:
  - Negative feedback blood sugar and temperature regulation.
  - Positive feedback fever, blood clotting and labor.

## Body Cavities and Membranes

- 2 body cavities cont'd
  - Ventral (anterior) Cavity Membranes
    - Thoracic cavity:
      - Parietal pleura lines the chest wall, visceral pleura covers the lungs
      - Visceral pericardium covers the heart and the parietal pericardium lines the sac around the heart.

### Body Cavities and Membranes

- 2 body cavities cont'd
  - Ventral (anterior) Cavity Membranes
    - Abdominal cavity:
      - The <u>peritoneum</u> is a membrane the lines the abdominal wall and continues into the ...
      - The <u>mesentery</u> covers the outer surfaces of the abdominal organs.

