



INTRODUCTION PHARMACOLOGY

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DEFINITIONS

1-Pharmacology: science dealing with \rightarrow interactions between chemicals (drugs) and living systems.

2.Drug: chemical substances, when introduced into the body, alters the body's function, producing \rightarrow biological effects. Can be:

- Stimulatory. * Inhibitory.
- 3.Prodrug: chemical, is readily absorbed and distributed and then converted to → active drug by → biologic process inside the body.

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4-Toxicology: deals with the → undesirable effects of chemicals in biological system

5.Pharmacogenomics (pharmacogenetics): study the \rightarrow genetic variations that cause individual differences in drug response. Aren't found in general population (allergies), but due to \rightarrow an inherited trait that produces a diminished or enhanced response to a drug.

GENERAL CONCEPT OF PHARMACOLOGY

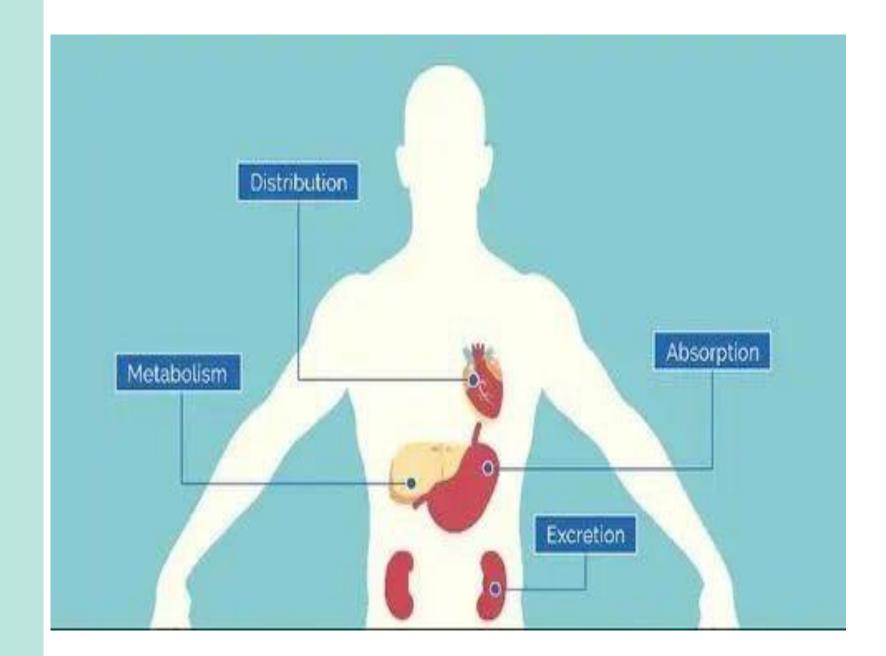
1. Pharmaceutical Phase: when medications \rightarrow enters the body in one form and changes into another form.

2.Pharmacokinetics: what the body does to the drug.

Absorption. Distribution. Metabolism. Elimination.

3-Pharmacodynamics: what the drug does to the body.

Interaction of drugs with \rightarrow cellular proteins(receptors/enzymes), to \rightarrow control changes in physiological function of particular organs:



SOURCES OF DRUGS.

- 1. Animals: Insulin, thyroid extract, heparin.
- 2. Plants: Morphine, digoxin, atropine, castor oil.
- 3. Minerals: magnesium sulfate.
- 4. Synthetic source: Aspirin.
- 5. Micro-organisms: Penicillin and many other antibiotics.
- 6. Genetic engineering: Human insulin, human growth hormone etc.

ROUTES OF ADMINISTRATION

its determined by:

Properties of the drug (water/lipid soluble).

Therapeutic objective (desirability of a rapid onset of action).

1. Enteral (GI route) \rightarrow systemic:

Oral: by the \rightarrow mouth (most common).

Sublingual: drugs subject to \rightarrow high degree of first-pass metabolism.

Rectal (high vascular): excellent site of \rightarrow absorption (it's also

used to → administer antiemetic agents)

2. PARENTERAL (INJECTIONS) ROUTE → LOCAL: THEY'RE THREE:

Intravascular (I.V.).

Intramuscular (I.M.).

Subcutaneous (S.C.).

3. OTHERS:

Inhalation.

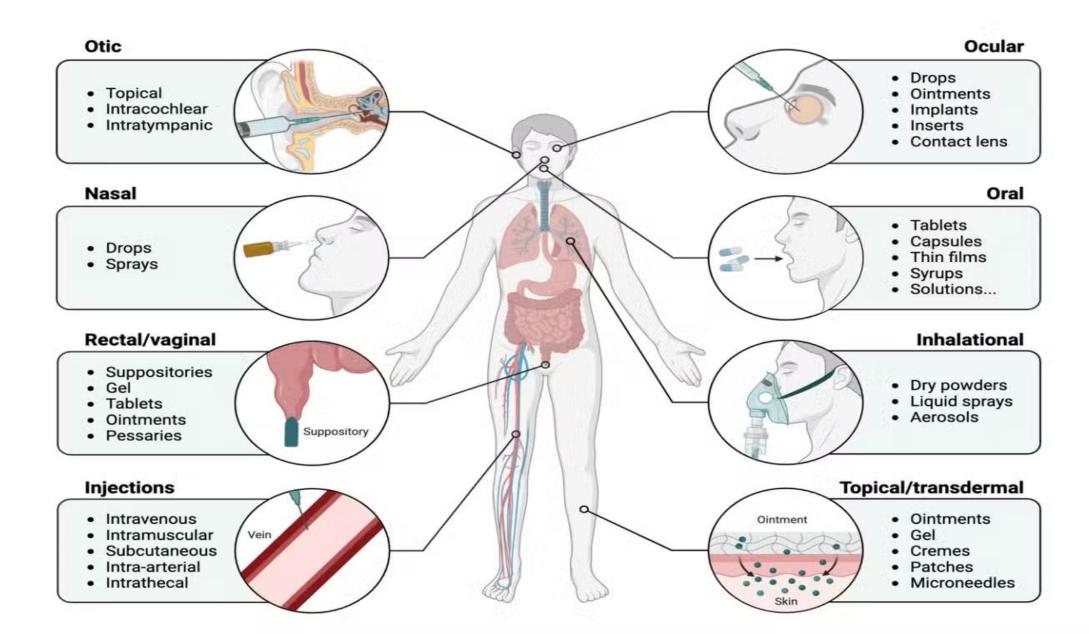
Intrathecal

Intraventricular.

Topical (skin and mucous membrane). Trans-dermal.

Intranasal.

Drug Administration Routes



Thank you for listening



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