

⇒ Connection of N.S to muscles & endocrine glands

In: Biological

⇒ Basis of behaviour

NI System

CNS
(Brain + spinal cord)
(in skull & spine)

- PNS

Somatic N.S (arm, leg)
(SNS) (eye, ear, touch)

Autonomic N.S

PNS - Consists of nerve fibres or axons which -

Sympathetic

Parasymp.

- 1) Carry Nerve impulses from sensory receptors of the body inward to CNS
- 2) Carry nerve impulses for the movement of muscles & the excitation of certain glands outwards from the CNS

SNS - motor fibres activate the striated muscles of the body - to move arm & leg while sensory fibres of this system come from the major receptor organs of the body - eye, ear, touch receptors et so on. - as salivary, gastric,

ANS - motor fibre activate the smooth muscles of such body organs as stomach cause secretion of salivary glands & regulate activity of some special type of muscle found in heart. It is thus - Smooth muscle, glandular & heart muscle Syst.

These muscular system ^{in human} are controlled through N.S. - except cardiac muscle - which are completely autonomous.

3 different types of muscles -

- 1) Smooth M (non striated) in internal organs - controlled by A.N.S. - & are involuntary. (~~or~~ ^{involuntarily} controlled)
2. Heart or cardiac muscles & influenced by A.N.S (Autonomic N.S.)
3. Skeletal muscles & involuntary ^{more} ~~involuntary~~ ^{nerve} ~~nerve~~
 Voluntary

The N.S. is ~~not~~ ^{only} linked to the glandular system of the body between hypothalamus (brain) & pituitary gland (endocrine gland (ductless))

There are endocrine system - endocrine glands (ductless glands)

- 1) - pituitary gland (master gland)
- 2) thyroid " & Parathyroid.
- 3) pancreas "
- 4) adrenal. "

Functions: 5) ovaries (in females) & Testes (in male)

- growth & development of body & emotional behaviour

- metabolism & reproduction

The N.S. allows various organs to communicate with each other by virtue of electric signals generated by neurotransmitter flowing across synapses & endocrine system permits communication

by means of chemical substances called hormones secreted by endocrine glands & carried through the body by the bloodstream to various organs of the body.

Communication via the N.S is relatively quick which com. . . . via the Endocrine S. is relatively slow.

Pituitary hormones → play role in facilitating learning & memory — & critically involved in the body's response to stressful situations.

exocrine glands have (duct) - 1) salivary glands
2) sweat "
3) gastric "
4) lacrimal "