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Motivation Introduction to Psychology

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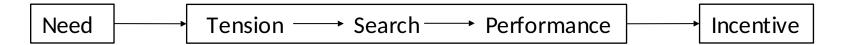


- ♦ Why are you in this class?
- ❖ Why do you dress well while going to party?
- ♦ Why does a terrorist blow his life?
- Why does some models eats (almost) nothing to maintain perfect figure?
- Why does someone leave well paid salary to work for society?

The motivation process







Goal directed behavior (motive / drive)

The motivation process



❖ Need

- Needs are created whenever there is a physiological or psychological imbalance
- > Cells of body deprived of water, glucose

Drives/Motives

- Action / behavior that is directed to words achievement of incentives
- > Primary motives
 - Unlearned
 - Physiologically based
- > Secondary motives
 - Learned and acquired

❖ Incentive

> An object or reward that has the ability to alleviate the need and reduce the drive

Intrinsic versus Extrinsic Motives



Maslow's Hierarchy of Needs



Self-Actualization Needs

Esteem Needs

Love / Belongingness Need

Safety Needs

Physiological Needs

Herzberg's Two-Factor Theory of Motivation



Content and Process theories

