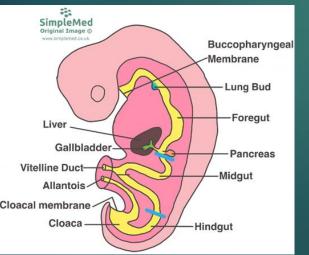
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## LECTURE 1 DIGESTIVE SYSTEMA (SYSTEMA DIGESTORIUM/ ALIMENTARIUM). DEVELOPMENT



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### Splanchnology is the science of viscera

cells

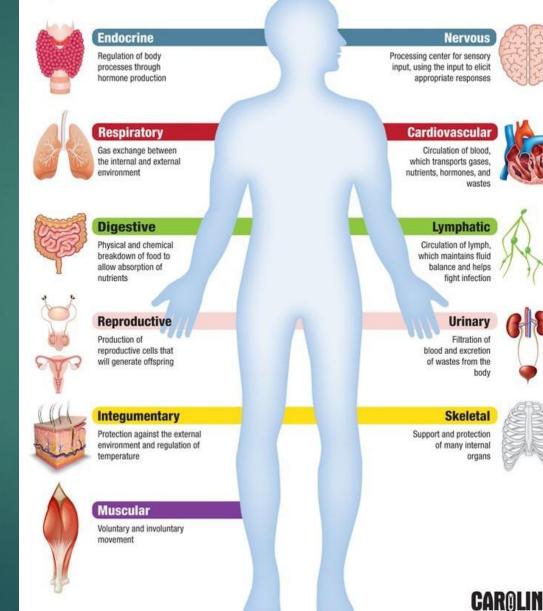
tissues

## organ systems

organs

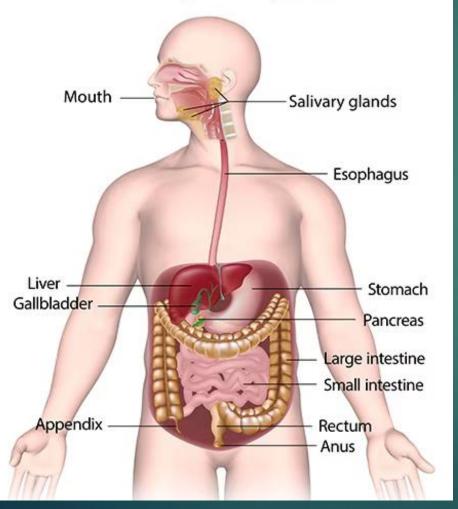
### **Human Body Systems**

There are 11 main systems that keep our bodies functioning. Learn the primary roles of each in the diagram below.



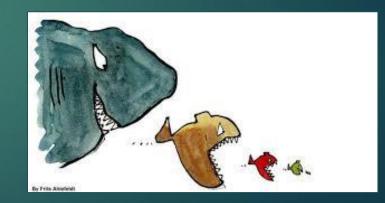
# Alimentary (Digestive) system

#### The Digestive System



### is a complex of organs with the function of

- mechanical and chemical treatment of food,
- absorption of the treated nutrients,
- and excretion of undigested remnants.



### **Overview of Digestive Anatomy**

#### ORAL CAVITY, TEETH, TONGUE

Mechanical processing, moistening, mixing with salivary secretions

#### LIVER

Secretion of bile (important for lipid digestion), storage of nutrients, many other vital functions

#### GALLBLADDER

Storage and concentration of bile

#### LARGE INTESTINE

Dehydration and compaction of undigestible materials in preparation for elimination

#### SALIVARY GLANDS

Secretion of lubricating fluid containing enzymes that break down carbohydrates

#### PHARYNX

Pharyngeal muscles propel materials into the esophagus

#### ESOPHAGUS

Transport of materials to the stomach

#### STOMACH

Chemical breakdown of materials via acid and enzymes; mechanical processing through muscular contractions

#### PANCREAS

Exocrine cells secrete buffers and digestive enzymes; endocrine cells secrete hormones

#### SMALL INTESTINE

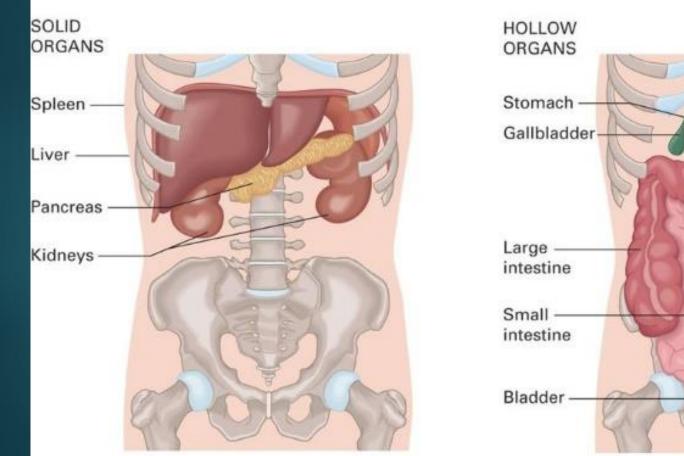
Enzymatic digestion and absorption of water, organic substrates, vitamins, and ions

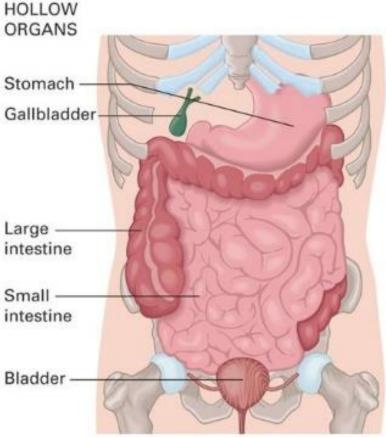
# Internal organs:

### Parenchymal (solid) organs

### Hollow (tubular) organs

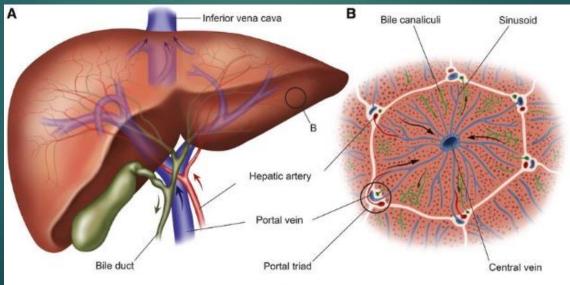
Solid and hollow organs.





# Parenchymal (solid) organs

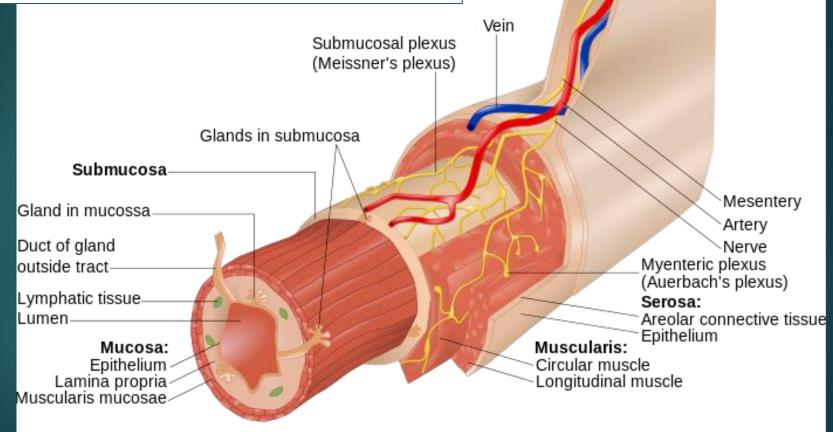
- Parenchyma specialized tissue that carries out the specific functions of the organ
- Parenchymal organs have stromal capsule, that gives off trabecules into the parenchyma
- <u>The segment is</u> a macroscopically visible part of the organ, having the relatively autonomic innervation, blood and lymph circulation and bounded by the connective-tissue septa.

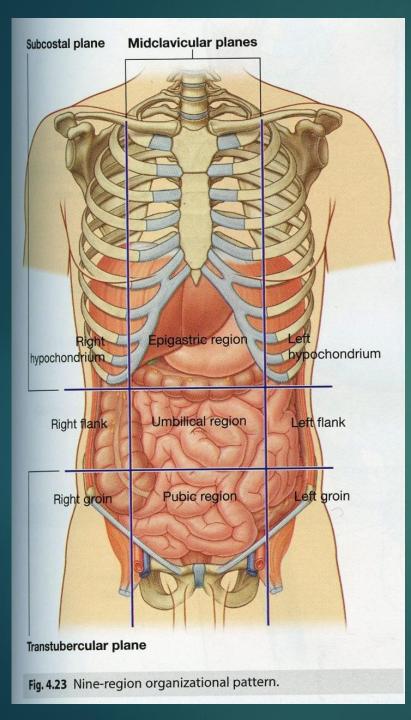


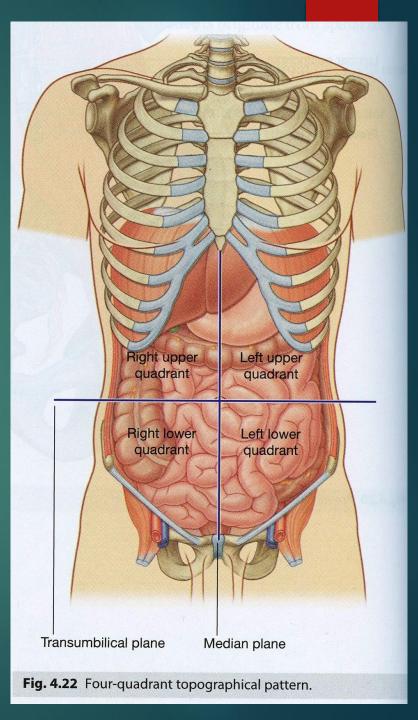
# Tubular (hollow) organs

### Layers of the wall:

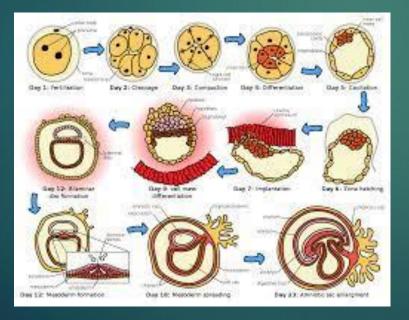
- 1) Tunica mucosa
- 2) Tunica submucosa
- 3) Tunica musculosa (longitudinal and circular)
- 4) Tunica serosa/adventitia

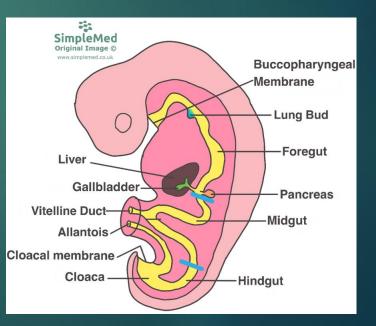






# Development of digestive system



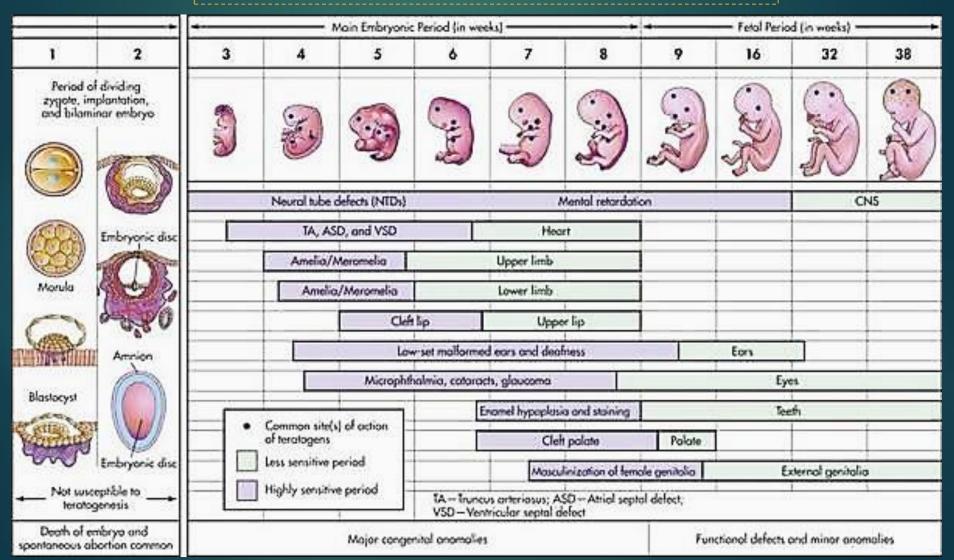




### 3-8 weeks are crucial

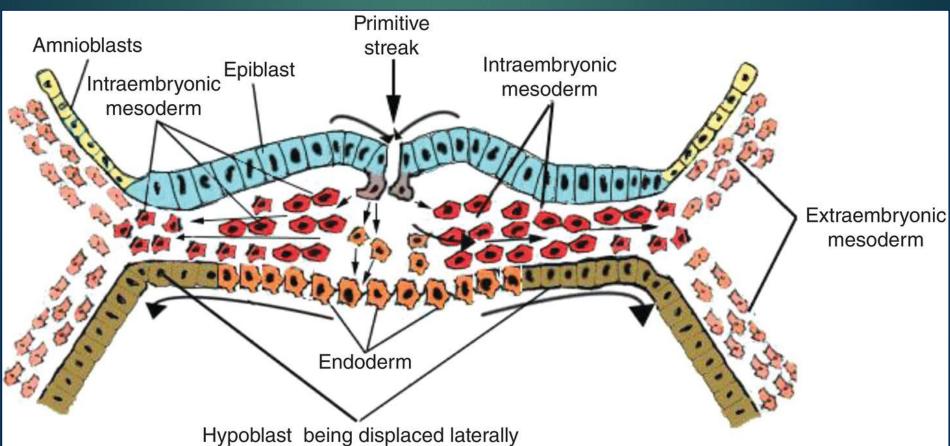
- initiation of organs and systems development

- influence of exogenous or endogenous factors – major congenital anomalies – high risk of death



### Gastrulation – formation of germ layers (4<sup>th</sup> week):

- > Ectoderm
- Mesoderm
- Endoderm



Ectoderm

Mesoderm

Endoderm

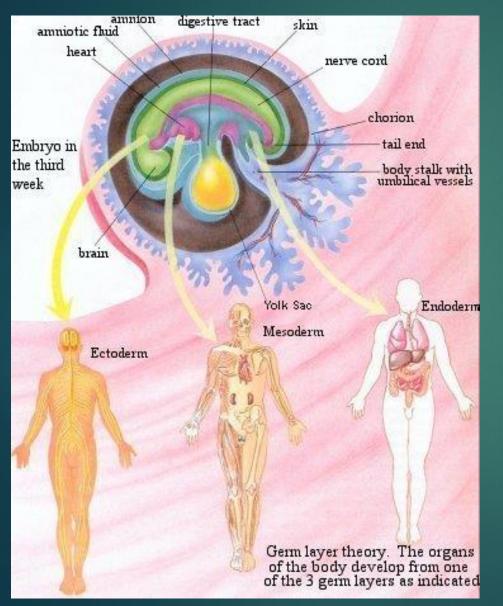
(forms the inner

lining of organs)

(forms the exoskeleton)

(develops into organs)

# In humans, the germ tissues are the basis of all tissues and organs



#### **Endoderm**:

organs of the gastrointestinal and respiratory systems, as well as the thymus, parathyroid, bladder, and urethra.

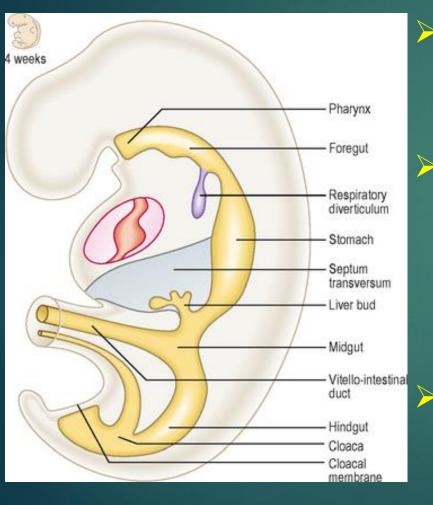
### Ectoderm:

skin and skin appendages, the nervous system, and portions of sensory organs.

### > Mesoderm:

circulatory system and blood, lymphatic system, bone, cartilage, muscles, and many internal organs. For example, the kidney, spleen, ureters, and adrenal cortex are all derived from mesoderm

# The most digestive organs have a single origin – from primitive gut



Endoderm:

- epithelial lining,
- glands;

### Mesoderm:

- lamina propria,
- muscularis mucosae,
- submucosa,
- muscularis externa
- serosa;

### Ectoderm:

- enteric nervous system,
- posterior luminal digestive structures

### **Tubular organ layers'development**

Epithelial lining and glands - Derived from endoderm Lamina propria Muscularis mucosae

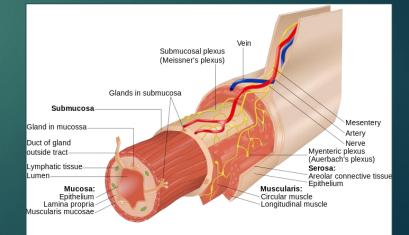
- Submucosa

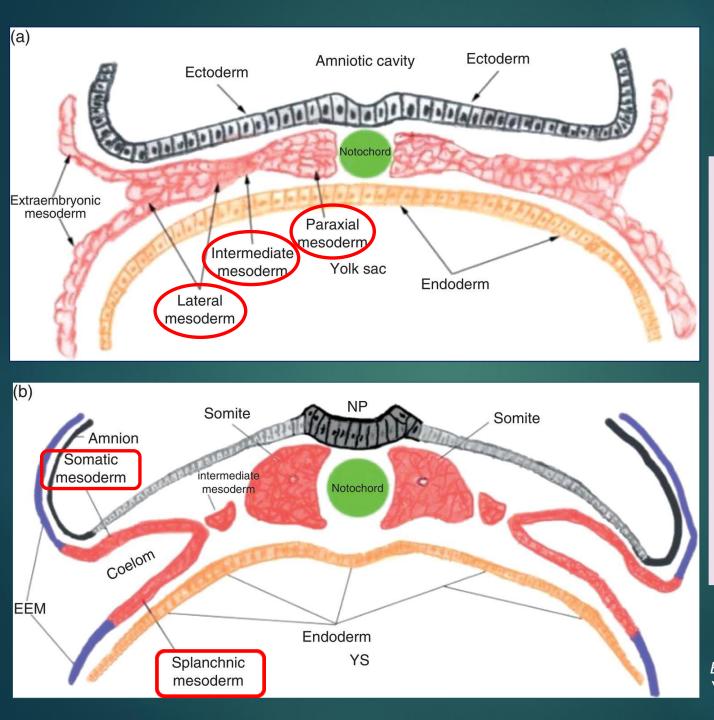
- Mucosa

- Muscularis externa

- Adventitia/Serosa

# Derived from visceral mesoderm





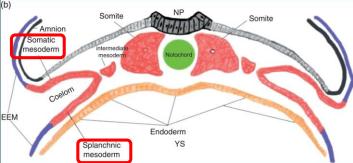
Intraembryonic mesoderm plates: • Paraxial (dorsal) mesoderm

Intermediate mesoderm

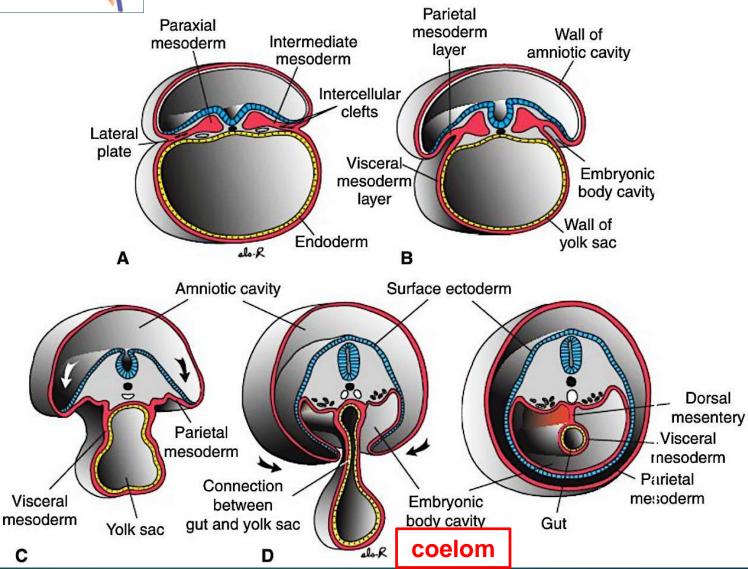
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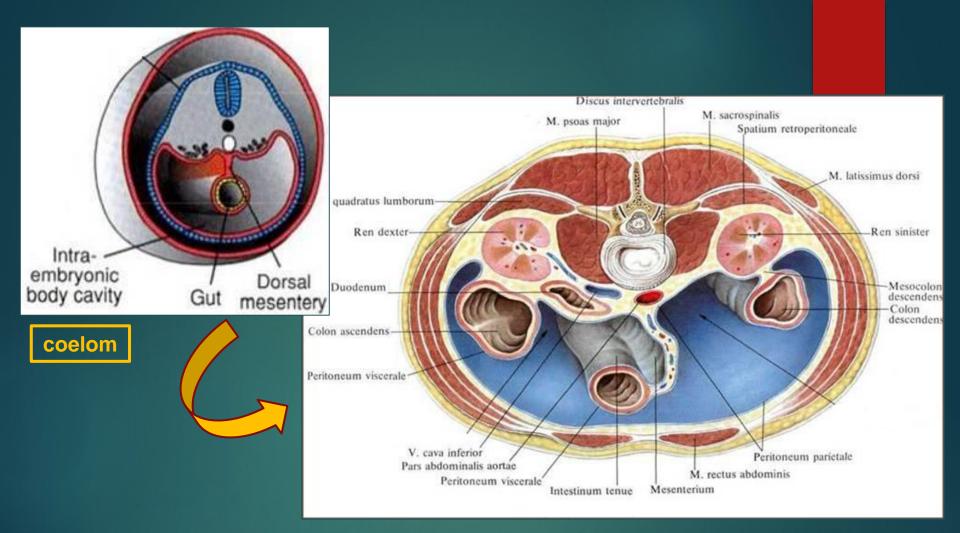
Lateral mesoderm (somatic and splanchnic)

EEM, extraembryonic mesoderm; YS, Yolk sac; NP, neural plate.



- Lateral folding of the embryo completes the gut tube.
- Mesodermal layer of the gut tube is called splanchnic (visceral) mesoderm.
- Somatic mesoderm lines body cavity.



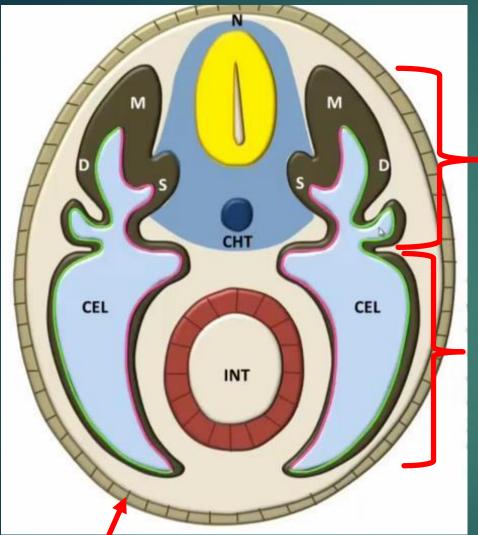


Intraembryonic body cavity(coelom) > Peritoneal cavity

Primitive gut tube  $\implies$  Tubular organs (gut)

Dorsal mesentery  $\implies$  Mesentery

### Mesoderm structure



Transverse section of human embryo – axial organs stage (21-25 days)

<u>Segmented part:</u> **S** – sclerotome **M** – myotome **D** – dermatome

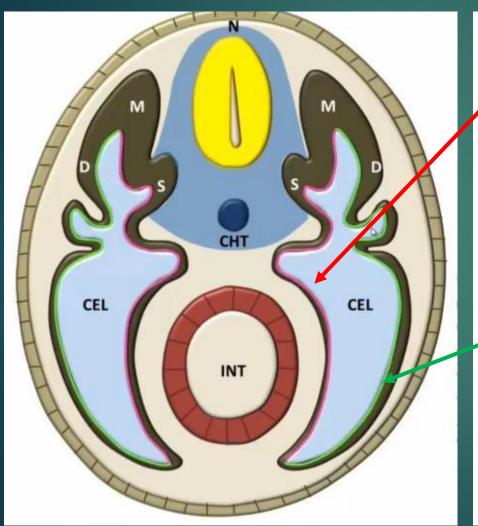
<u>Unsegmented part (lateral)</u> – **splanchnotom**: CEL – coelom

ectoderm

INT – entoderm N- neuronal tube CHT - chorda

### Mesoderm structure

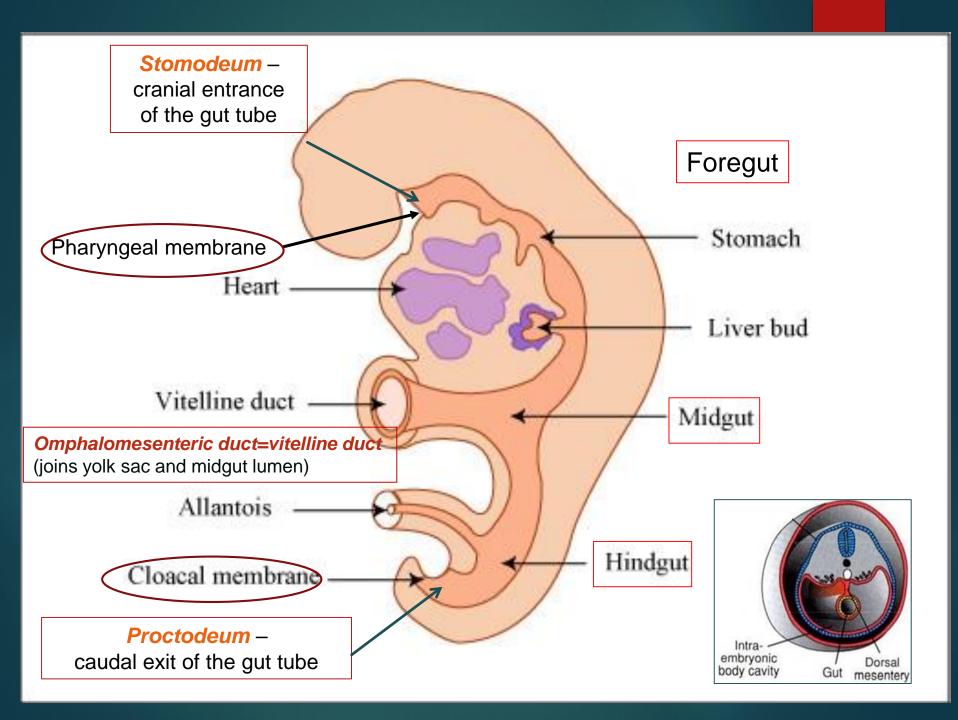
Transverse section of human embryo – axial organs stage (21-25 days)

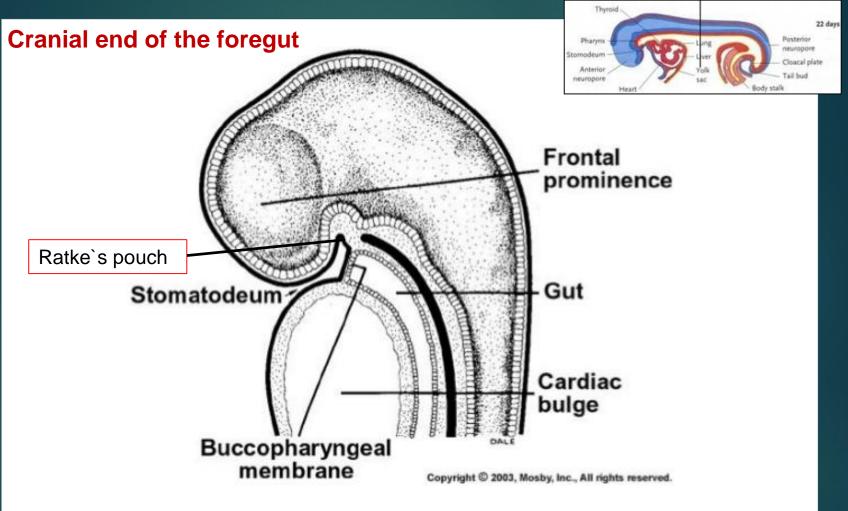


### Splanchnotom has 2 plates:

Splanchnopleura – visceral layer – gives rise to mucous, submucos, muscular layers and serosa (except of epithelium and glands)

-**Somatopleura** – <u>parietal</u> <u>layer</u> – lines the abdominal cavity



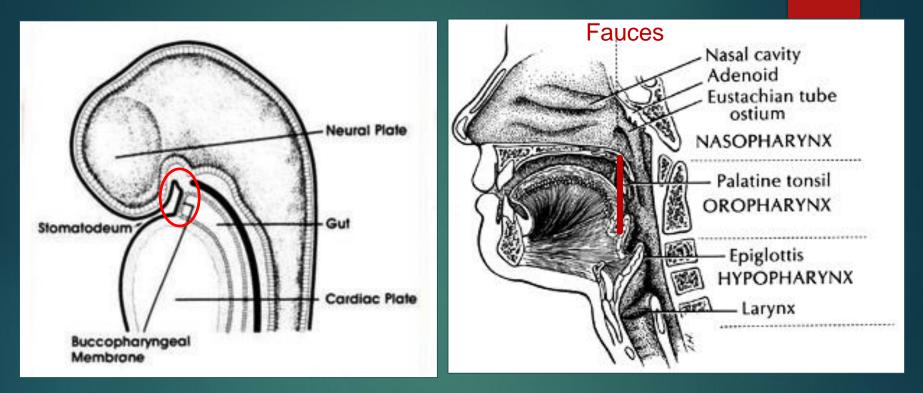


#### Buccopharyngeal membrane ruptures at 24 to 26 days

Sagittal section through a 25-day embryo

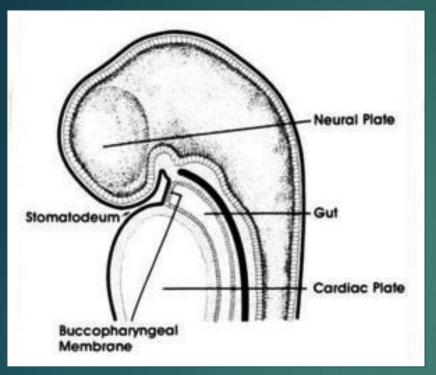
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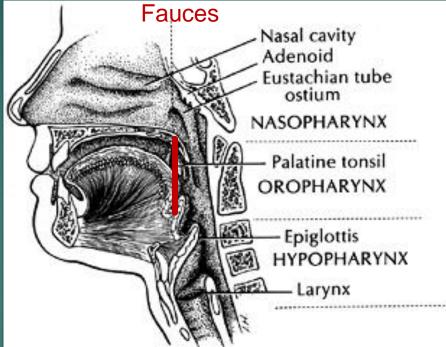
#### **Rupture of buccopharyngeal membrane**



- ✓ Pharyngeal membrane disappears during the fifth week
- Communication is established between the stomatodeum and the pharyngeal gut

### **Rupture of buccopharyngeal membrane**





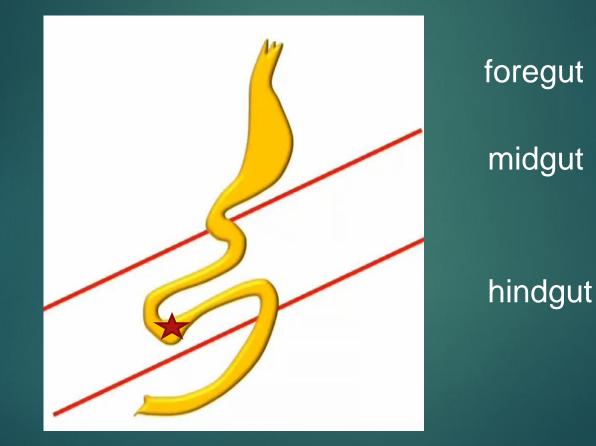
- Stomodeum Buccopharyngeal/oropharyngeal membrane Ectoderm **Ectoderm** 
  - Endoderm (foregut)
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- Ratke's pouch

- Epithelial lining of oral cavity, teeth

- Parotid and submandibular salivary glands
- Epithelial lining of pharynx
- Sublingual salivary gland
- Adenohypophysis

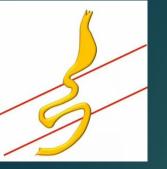
- Oral cavity Fauces

# The primitive gut is divided into 3 distinct sections

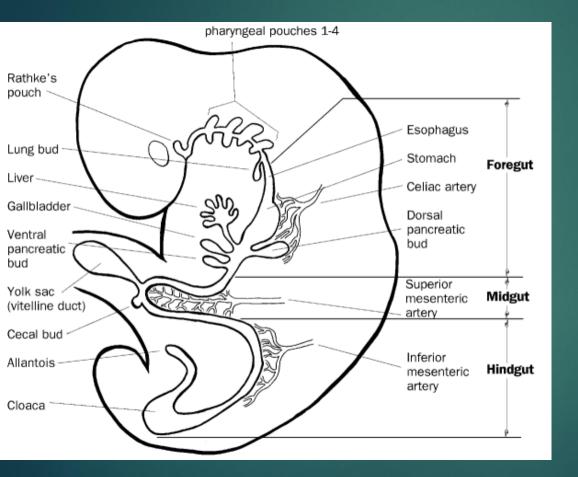




future caecum



### cephalic (pharyngeal) part (gut): deep parts of oral cavity; pharynx



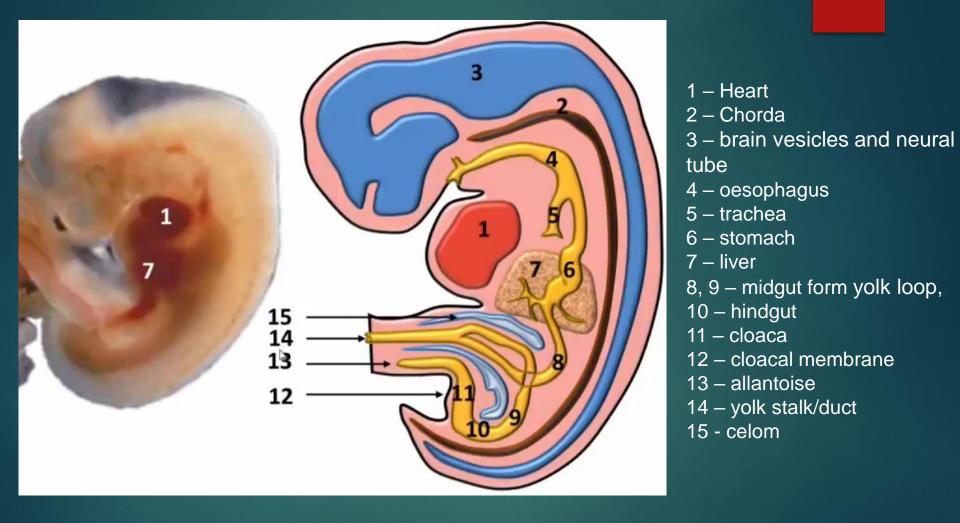
Ascending colon will form later!

**foregut:** oesophagus, stomach, superior part of duodenum, liver, pancreas

**midgut:** inferior part of duodenum, intestinum tenue, caecum

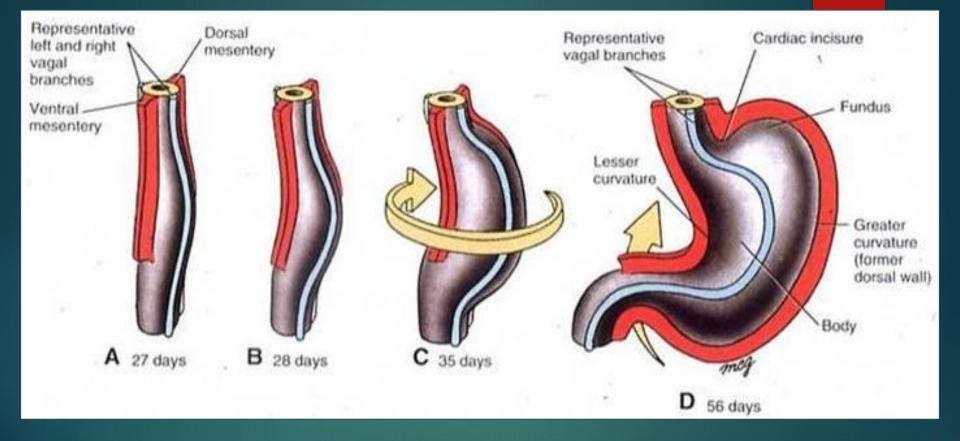
hindgut: descending colon, sigmoid colon, rectum

# Primitive embryonic gut, 5 w<mark>ee</mark>k



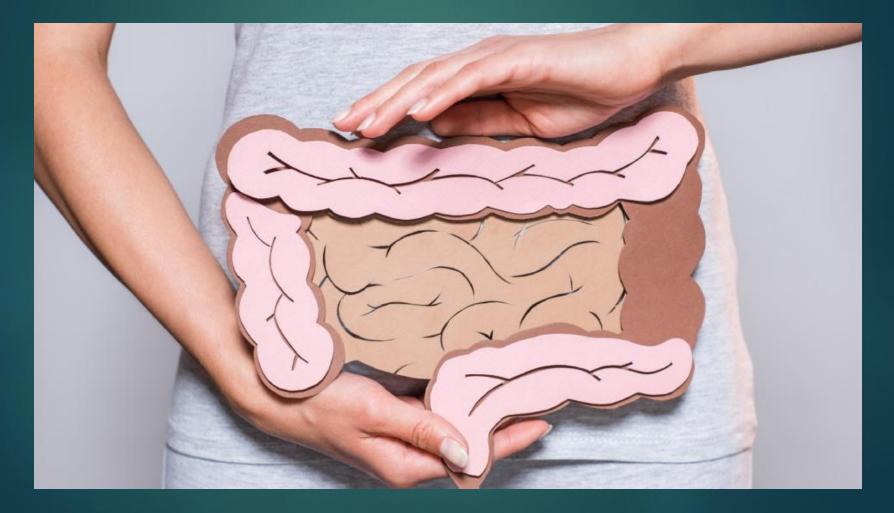
Midgut forms loop from two knees (ascending and descending);
 Between two knees – yolk stalk directed to yolk sac

### **Development of the stomach**



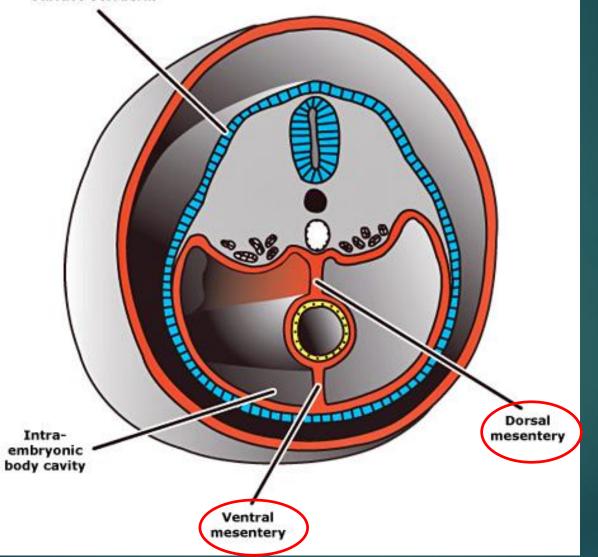
- 1. The stomach form fusiform dilatation of the foregut, suspended from body wall by a dorsal and ventral gastric mesentery.
- 2. The dorsal portion grows more rapidly formation of the greater curvature.
- 3. The primitive stomach rotates 90 degrees clockwise around longitudinal axis.

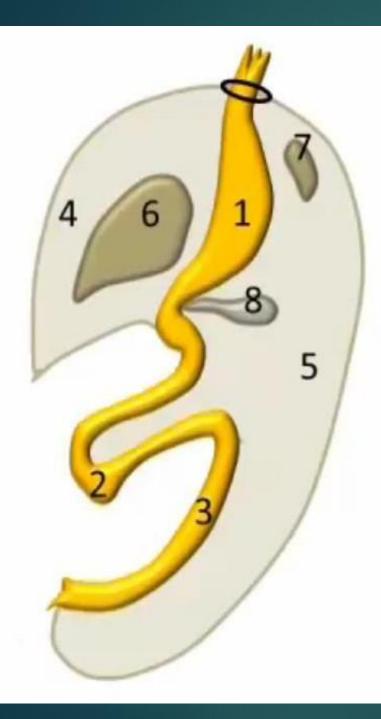
# Why doesn't the gut fall? What structures hold it?

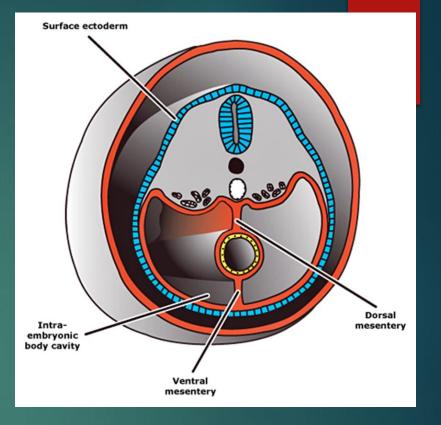


# Mesenteries fix the gut

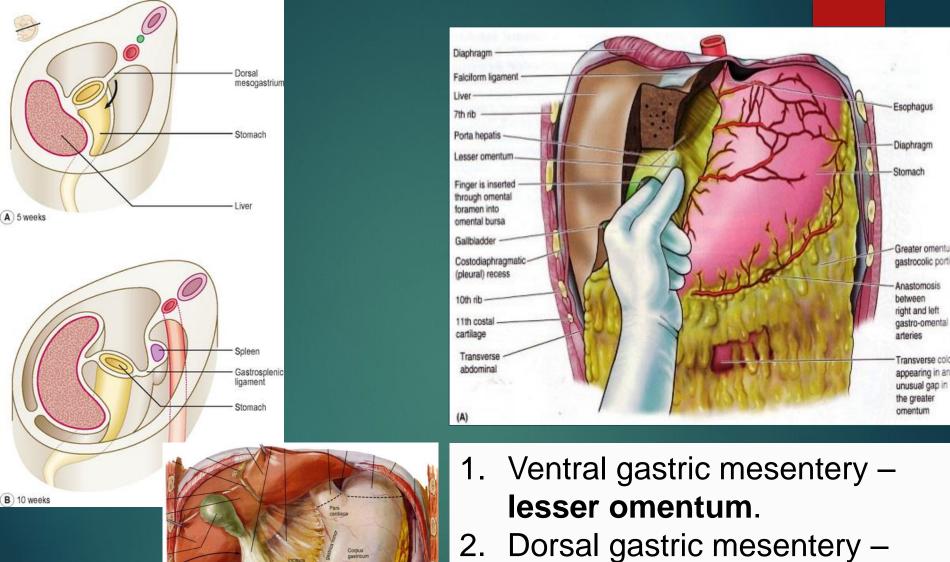
#### Surface ectoderm







- 1 stomach;
- 2 caecum (the beginning of the ascending part of midgut)
- 3 hindgut
- 4 ventral mesentery
- 5 dorsal mesentery
- 6 liver
- 7 spleen
- 8 pancreas

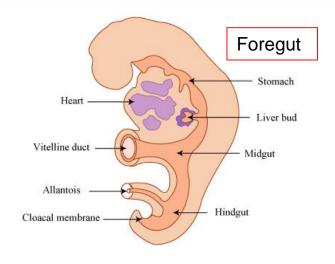


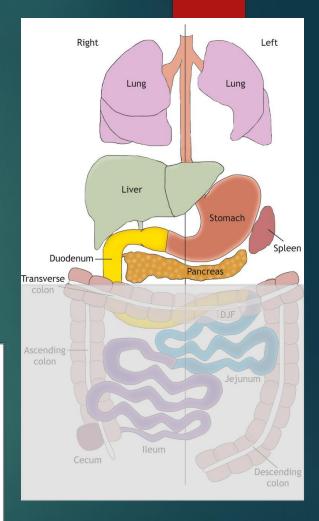
- Dorsal gastric mesente greater omentum.
- 3. Omental bursa behind the stomach.

## From foregut develop:

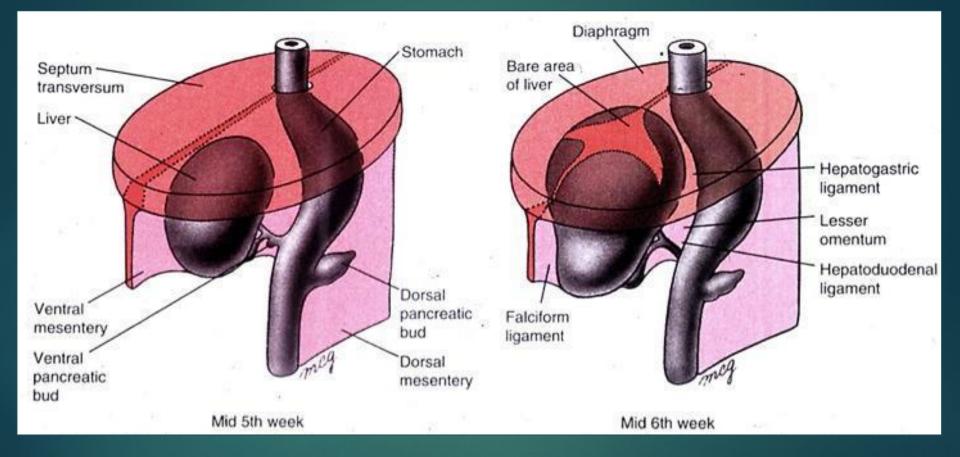
- Respiratory tube (from trachea till lungs)
- Pharynx, Esophagus
- Stomach
- Duodenum (proximal part till the opening of the bile duct)
- Liver, pancreas, gallbladder

Blood supply – truncus coeliacus Sympathetic innervation – n. splanchnicus major Parasympathetic innervation – n.vagus



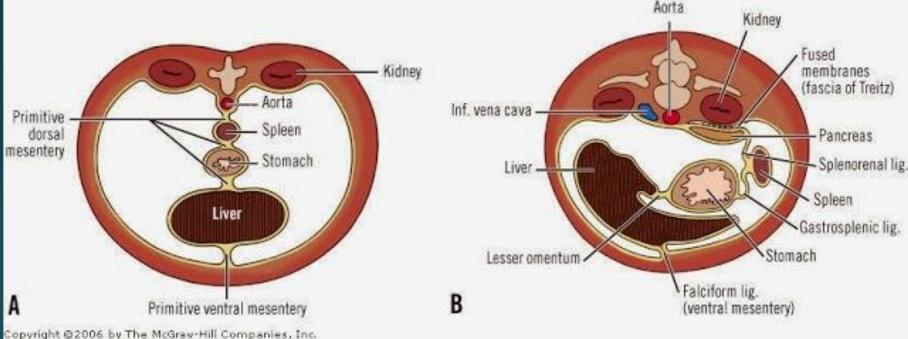


## **Development of the liver**



Liver bud arise from foregut *endoderm* towards *septum transversum* (developing diaphragm) in response to signals from nearby mesoderm

## **Development of the liver**

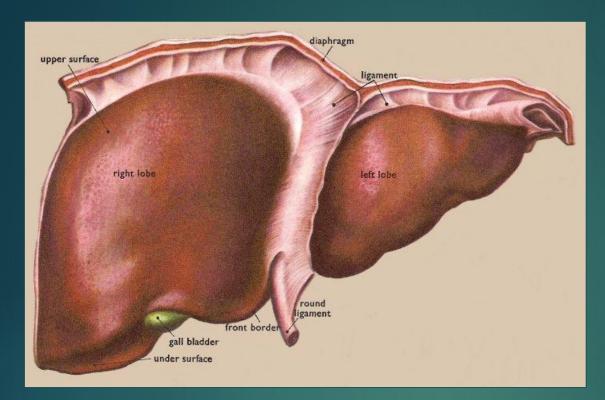


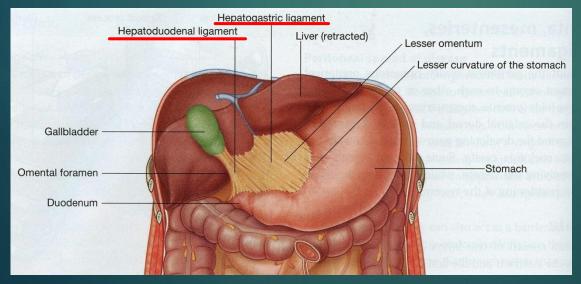
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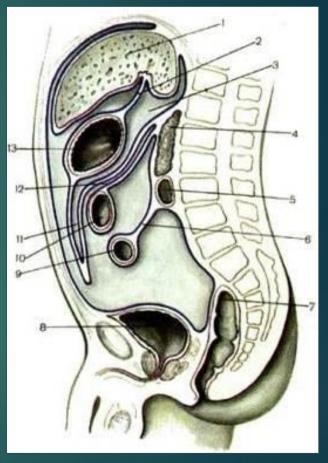
Endoderm

- Liver parenchyma
- Mesoderm  $\longrightarrow$  Capsule, stroma
- Primitive ventral mesentery Falciform ligament

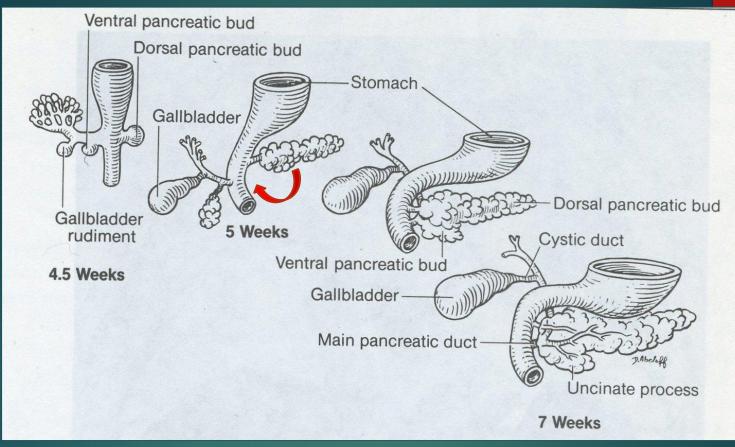
Primitive dorsal mesentery  $\implies$  Lesser omentum





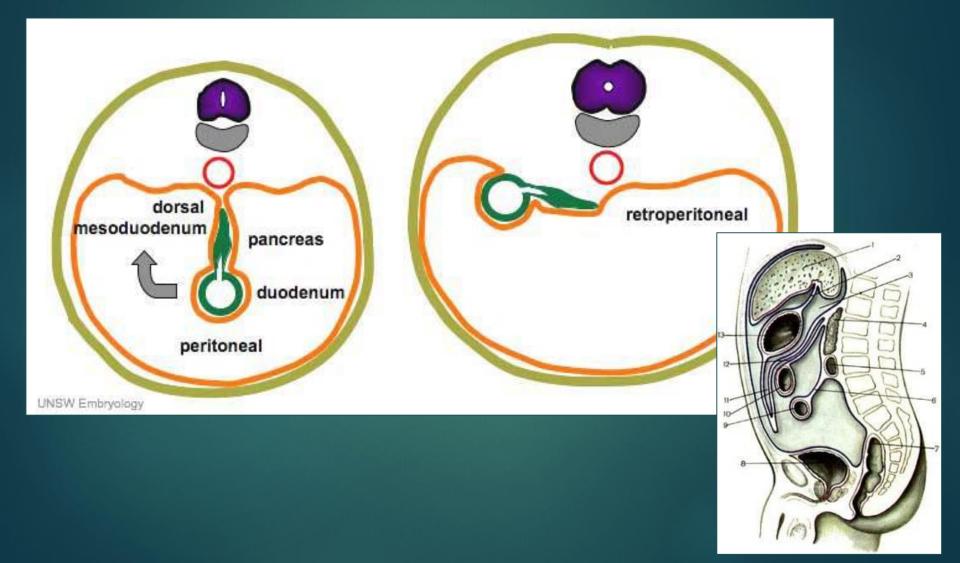


## **Development of the pancreas**



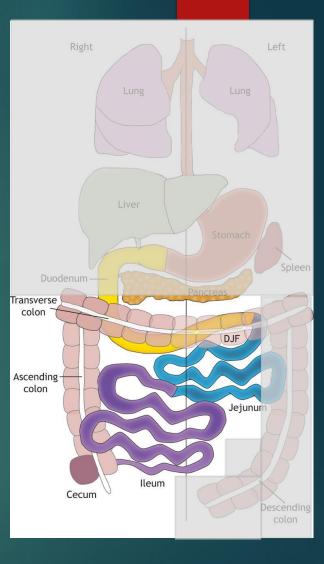
- Ventral pancreatic bud outgrowth of liver bud
- **Dorsal pancreatic bud** outgrowth of duodenal bud into the stomach mesentery. Dorsal pancreatic bud accessory pancreatic duct.
- The rotation of the duodenum to the right carries the ventral pancreatic bud dorsally, where it fuses with the dorsal pancreatic bud.

## Retroperitoneal position of the pancreas and duodenum

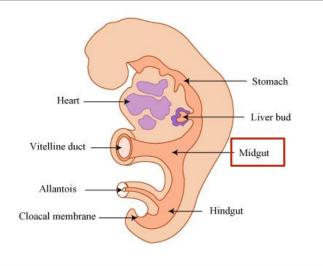


### From midgut develop:

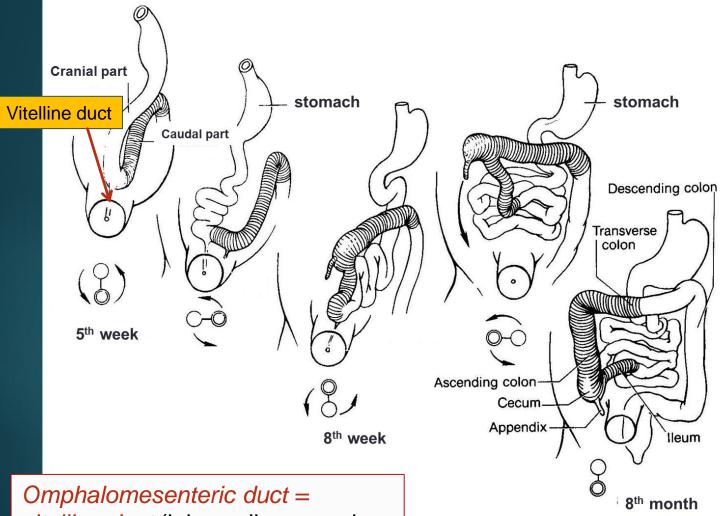
- Duodenum distal to the opening of the bile duct
- The rest of the small intestine (ileum, jejunum)
- Cecum and appendix
- Ascending and proximal 2/3 of transverse colon



Blood supply – a. mesenterica superior Sympathetic innervation – n. splanchnicus minor Parasympathetic innervation – n.vagus



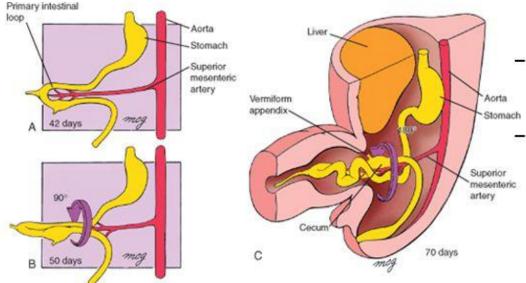
## Development of the jejunum, ileum and colon

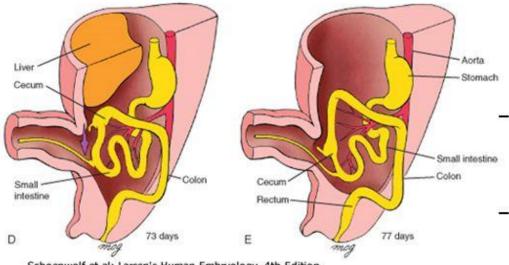


Ascending colon develops at the end. 20% of population has short ascending colon.

*Omphalomesenteric duct* = *vitelline duct* (joins yolk sac and midgut lumen) – axis for rotation

## Development of the midgut and colon





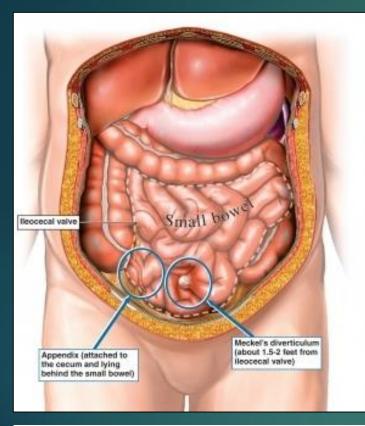
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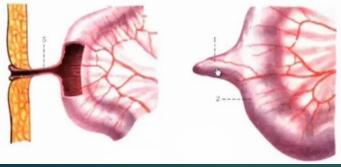
#### Herniation and rotation:

- Growth of the GI tract exceeds volume of abdominal cavity so the tube herniates through umbilicus
- While herniated, gut undergoes a primary rotation (fig B) of 90° "counterclockwise" (when looking at the embryo); this corresponds with the rotation of the stomach, and positions the appendix on the left. The primary rotation also brings the left vagus n. to the FRONT (hence the change in its name to ANTERIOR vagus n.
- With the growth of the embryo, the abdominal cavity expands thus drawing the gut tube back within the abdominal cavity and causing an additional, <u>secondary rotation</u> (fig C) of 180° CCW (positioning the appendix on the RIGHT)
- Once in the abdominal cavity, the colon continues to grow in length, pushing the appendix to its final position in the lower right quadrant.
- Note the attachment of the vitelline duct to the gut at the region of the ileum. The duct normally regresses during development, but not always....

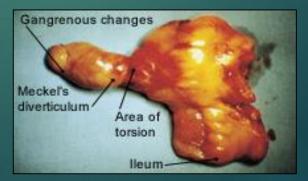
### Meckel`s diverticulum

- remnant of the omphalomesenteric duct (the vitelline duct)





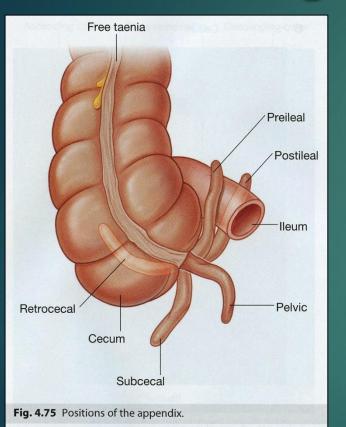




Heart Stomach Heart Liver bud Vitelline duct Midgut Allantois Hindgut

> Omphalomes enteric duct = vitelline duct (joins yolk sac and midgut lumen) – **axis** for rotation

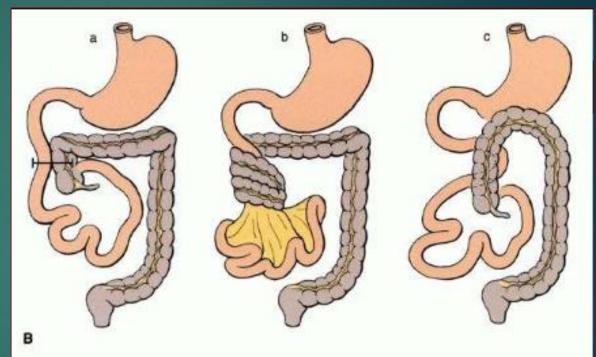
# Congenital malformations of the digestive system



Variety of

appendix position

#### Intestinal malrotation



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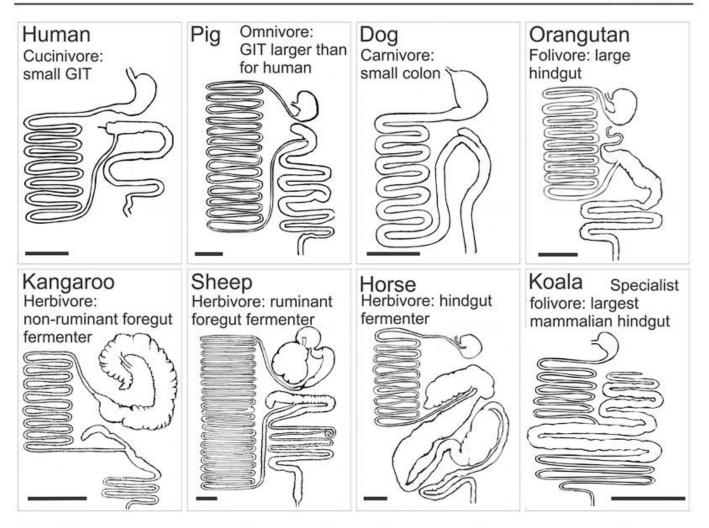
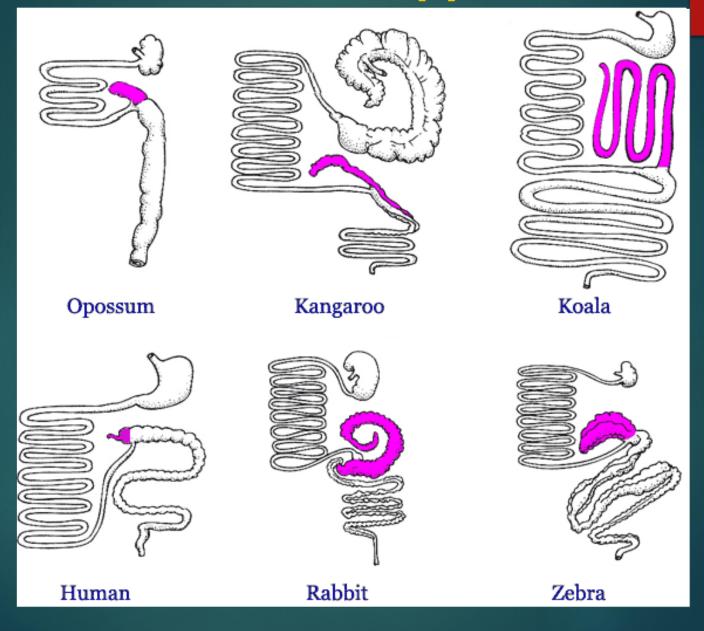


Fig. 1 Relations between diet and digestive tract anatomy. The human digestive tract is relatively small, less than half the size of the pig, an omnivore with similar body size (in the wild, 50–90 kg, which is similar to humans who are not overweight, approx. 70 kg). The dog, a typical carnivore, has a short colon and reduced cecum. The human intestine is also small compared with other hominids, here illustrated by the orangutan. The three herbivores that are illustrated

all have capacious intestines with specialised fermentation chambers. The koala, which consumes only eucalypt leaves that are rich in tannins and volatile oils, has an extensive large bowel and reduced small intestine. In proportion to body size, this is the largest cecum plus colon of any mammal. *Scales* 20 cm, *all panels*. Reproduced with permission from Stevens and Hume (1995)

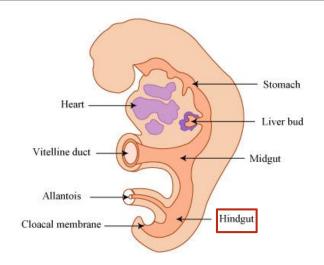
## **Cecum and appendix**

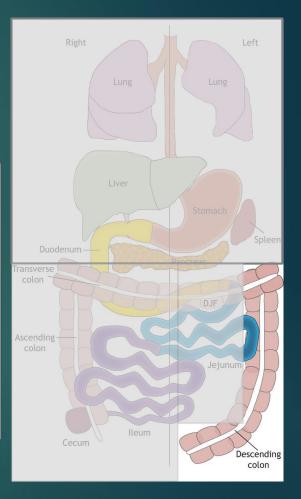


## From hindgut develop:

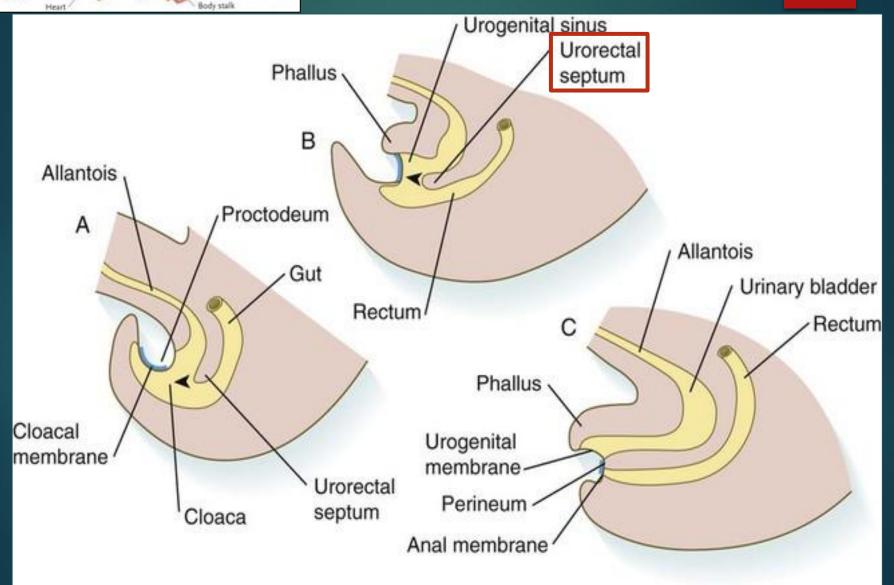
- The rest 1/3 of transverse colon
- Descending and sigmoid colon, rectum

Blood supply – a. mesenterica inferior Sympathetic innervation – nn. splanchnici lumbales et pelvini Parasympathetic innervation – nn. splanchnici pelvini









22 days

Posterior

Tail bud

neuropore

**Cloacal** plate

Thyroid

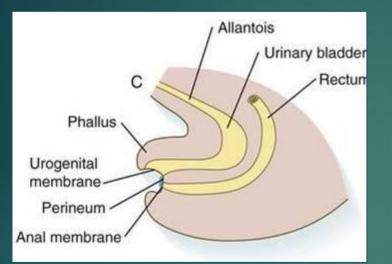
Pharynx

Anterior

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Stornodeum

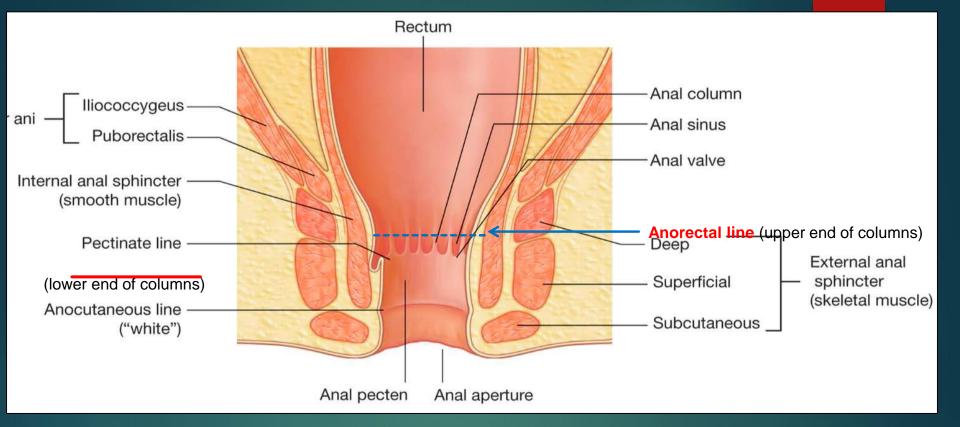
## Cloacal membrane is not ruptured Atresia of rectum











Pectinate line - anatomical border between rectum and anal canal

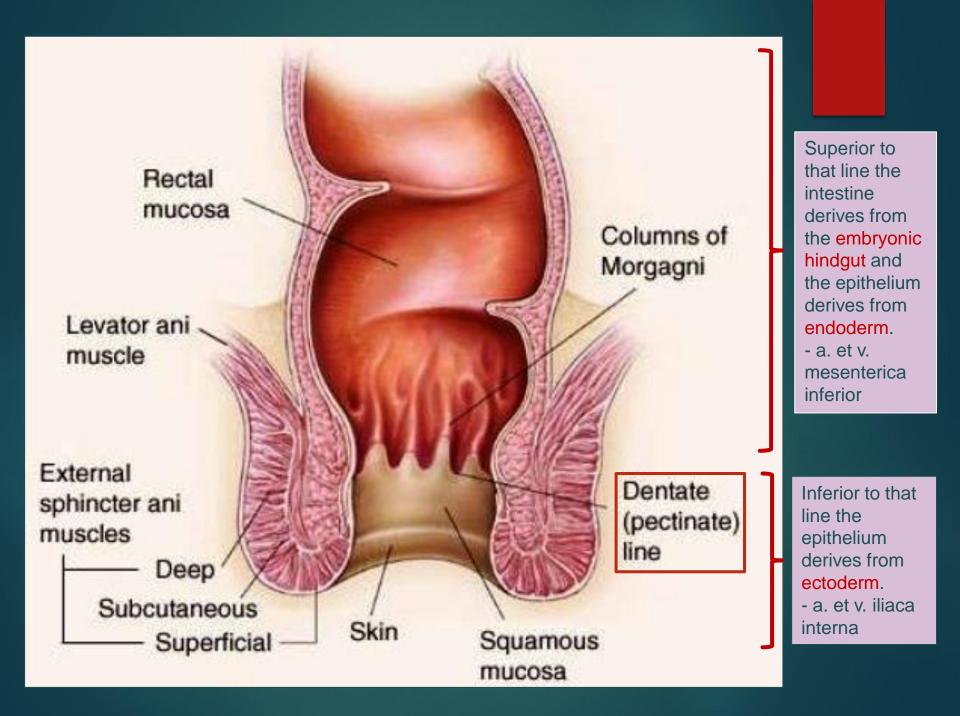
#### Anal pecten –

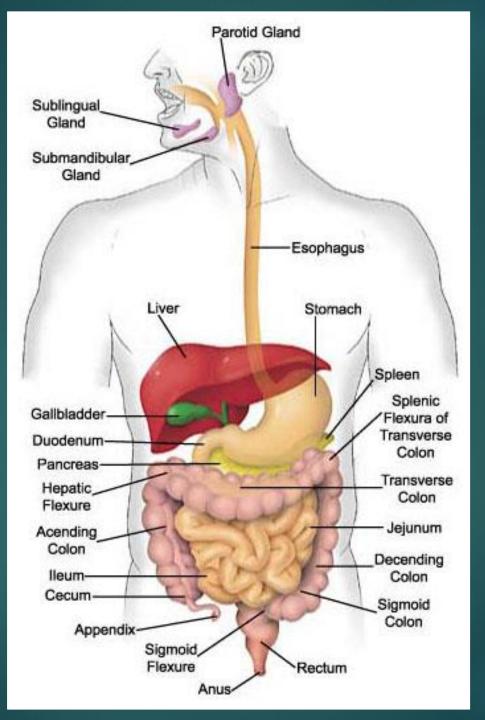
1) place between pectinate and anocutaneous lines;

2) level of internal (involuntary) muscular anal sphincter.

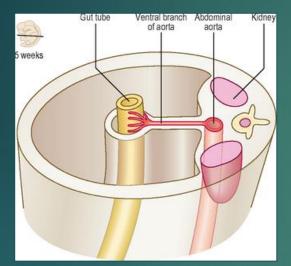
#### Anocutaneous line ("white line") –

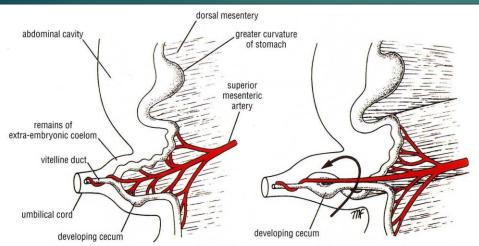
- 1) lower border of internal anal sphincter;
- 2) mucous layer changes to skin.

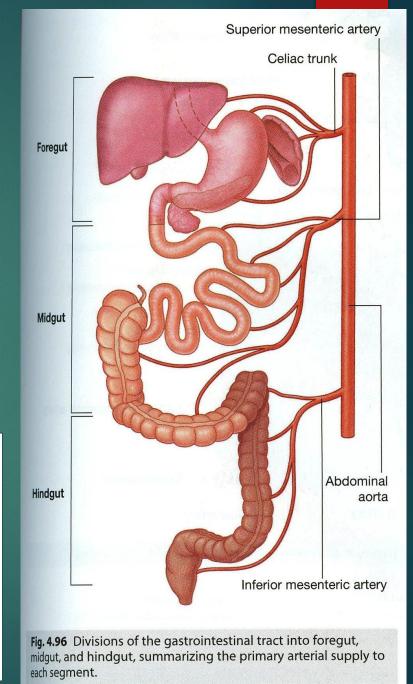




## Development of Gl and blood supply







Foregut derivatives include which of the following?

The esophagus
 The stomach
 The proximal duodenum
 The ileum
 The liver
 The descending colon



## Midgut derivatives include which of the following?

The stomach
 The distal duodenum
 The ileum
 The jejunum
 The appendix
 The descending colon

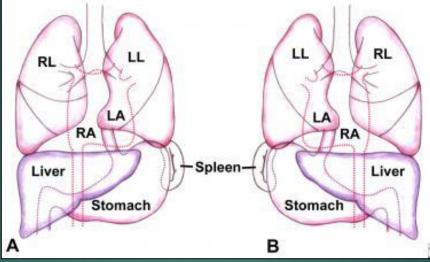
2,3,4,5

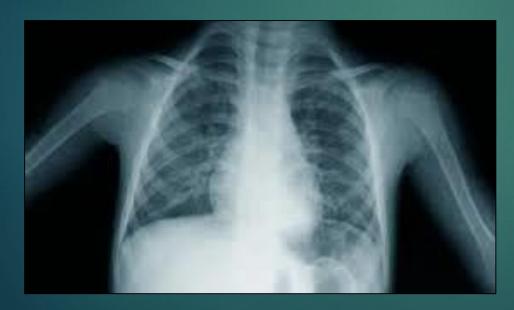
Which of the following cells are endodermal derivatives?

- 1) Pancreatic acinar cells
- 2) Alpha and beta cells in the islets of Langerhans
- 3) Liver parenchymal cells
- 4) Cells lining the lumen of the gallbladder
- 5) Cells lining the lumen of intestine
- 6) Muscular layer of intestinal wall
- 7) Peritoneum
- 8) Connective tissue and blood vessels of the organs

1,2,3,4,5

## Situs viscerum inversus partialis/totalis





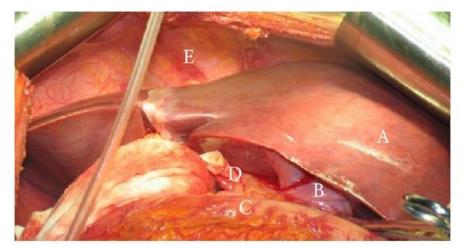


#### Normal position

**Inverse** position







## Development of peritoneum and its derivatives

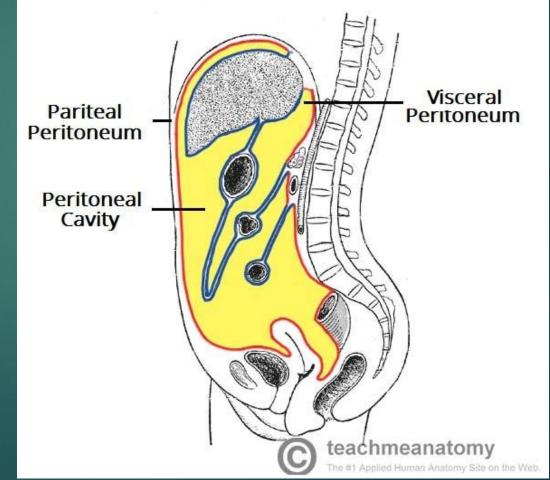
**Peritoneum** is serous membrane lining organs and walls of the abdominal cavity It is derived from intraembryonic mesoderm

#### Peritoneal cavity – a slit-like space between the parietal and visceral peritoneum

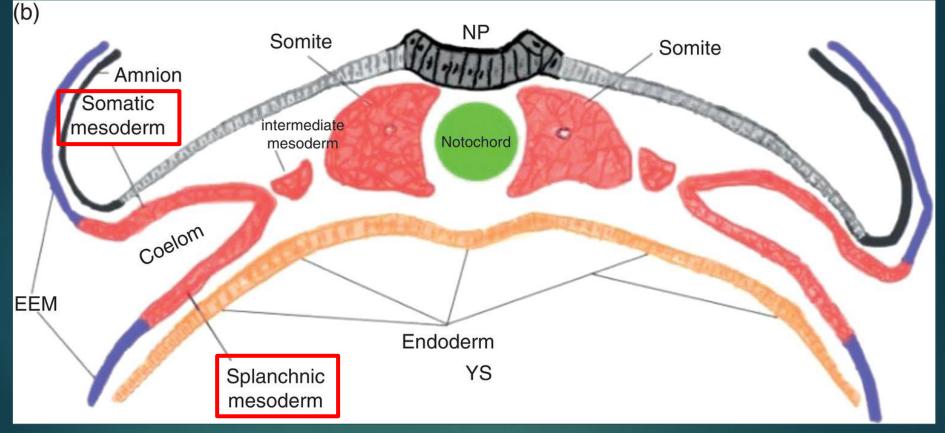


#### Layers of peritoneum:

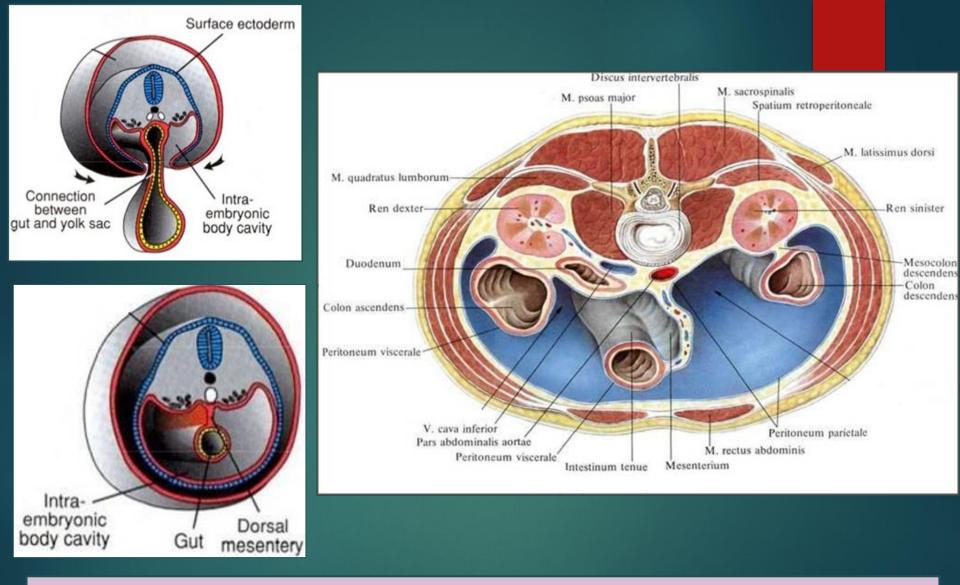
- Parietal peritoneum
   covers abdominal walls
- Visceral peritoneum forms serous covering of the internal organs
- Layers continue one to another without any gap



#### Lateral mesoderm forms two plates: somatic and splanchnic



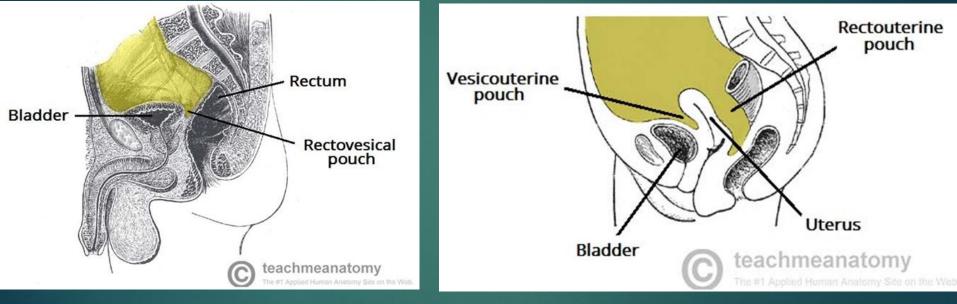
EEM, extraembryonic mesoderm; YS, Yolk sac; NP, neural plate.



Intraembryonic body cavity (coelom) Somatic mesoderm Splanchnic mesoderm

Peritoneal Cavity
 Parietal peritoneum
 Visceral peritoneum

### Peritoneal cavity – a slit-like space between the parietal and visceral peritoneum



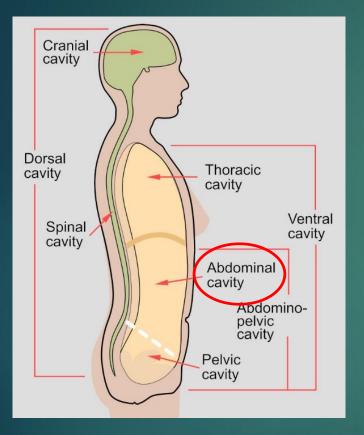
Male

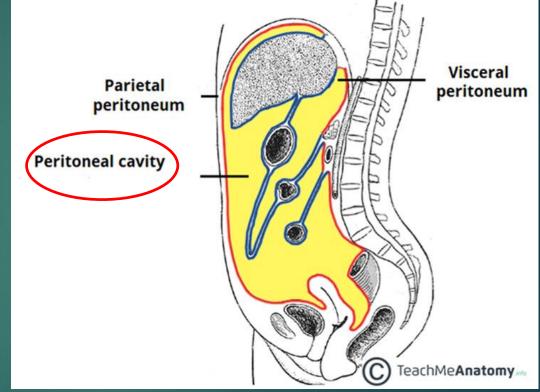
- it is closed serous sac

<u>Female</u>

 it communicates with external environment through fallopian tubes-uterine-vagina

## Abdominal cavity vs Peritoneal cavity





It is a space bounded by the parietal peritoneum

It is a slit-like space between the parietal and visceral peritoneum

## **Abdominal cavity**

- Space in the trunk below diaphragm;
- Bounded by the endoabdominal facia

#### ► <u>Walls</u>:

- <u>Superior</u> diaphragm
- <u>Anterior and lateral</u> broad muscles of abdomen
- <u>Posterior</u> the lumbar segment of the spine and muscles (m. psoas major, m. quadratus lumborum)
- <u>Inferior</u> iliac bones and pelvic diaphragm



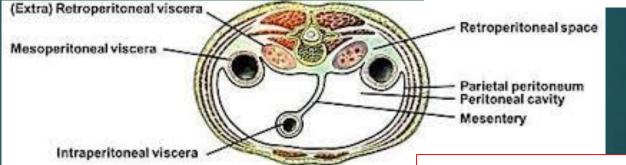
#### The visceral peritoneum covers the organs differently **Extraperitoneal organs**

#### **Mesoperitoneal organ**

is covered by covered by the peritoneum from three sides, and one its side is fused with the abdominal wall. 2

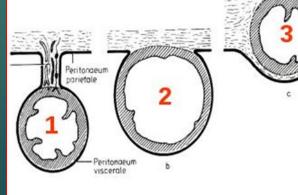
(located in the retroperitoneal, anteperitoneal or subperitoneal spaces) are covered be the peritoneum only from one side, while other sides have an

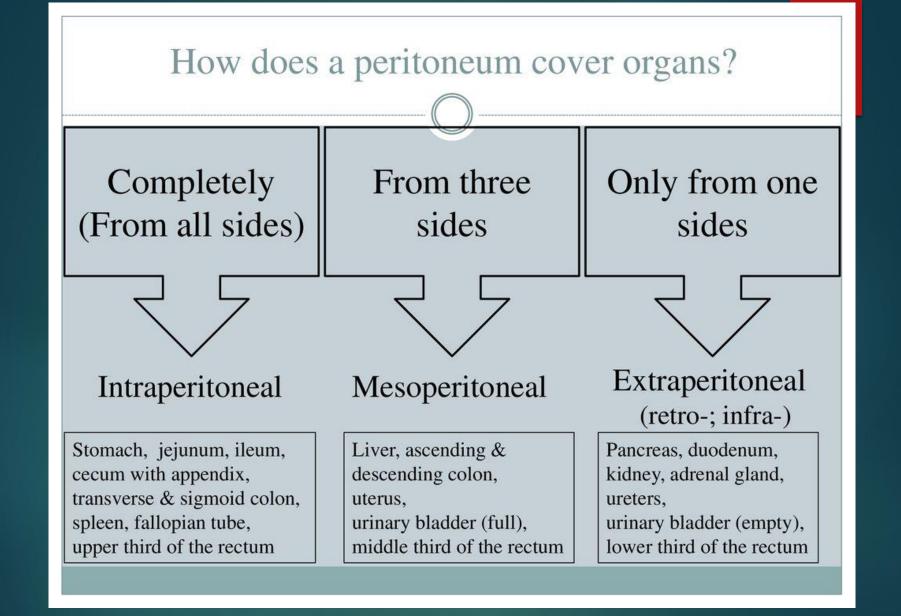
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#### Intraperitoneal organ

covered by the İS peritoneum completely (from all sides), except a narrow area, along which the mesentery is attached.





\* Only one organ is intraperitoneal but has no mesentery.
Thus is the caecum, which has the form of a sack, fixed to the ascending colon.
\*\* Only one organ has a particular relation to the peritoneum. This is the ovary. It is covered by a single layer of the embryonic mesothelium and situated inside the peritoneal cavity, intra cavum peritonei.

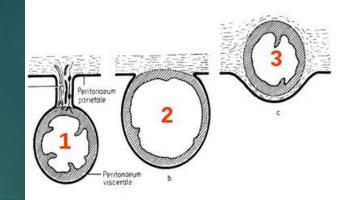
## **Position of the organs**

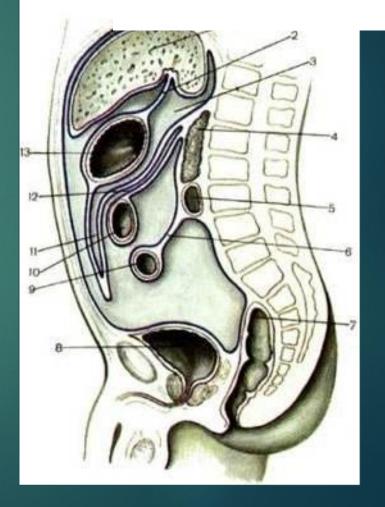
## Intraperitoneal

totally covered by peritoneum

- Liver (?-area nuda=bare area)
- Stomach (++)
- Spleen
- Jejunum (+)
- Ileum (+)
- Caecum (-)!
- Appendix vermiformis (+)
- Sigmoid colon (+)
- Superior part of rectum (+)
- Uterus (+) ?

+ - presence of mesenterium



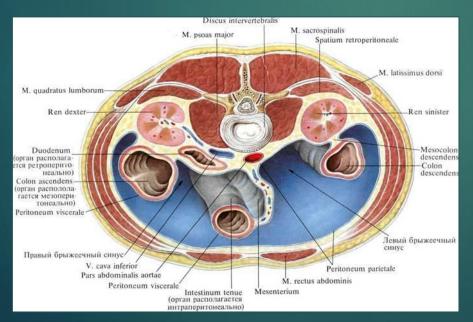


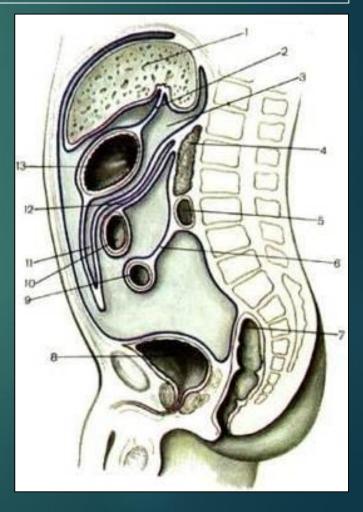
## Position of the organs

#### Mesoperitoneal

#### 3 sides are covered (the 4<sup>th</sup> side is covered by adventitia)

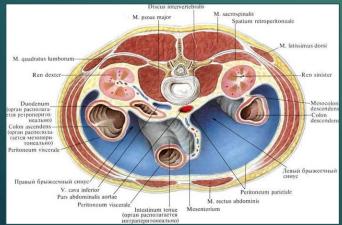
- Ascending and descending colon
- Middle part of the rectum
- Full gallbladder and urinary bladder
- Liver (?-area nuda)
- Uterus (? vaginal part of the cervix uteri)

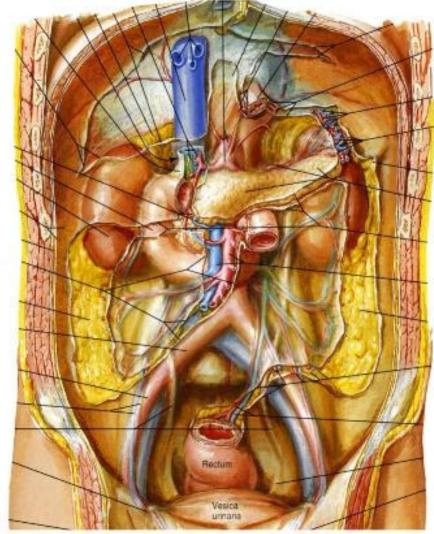


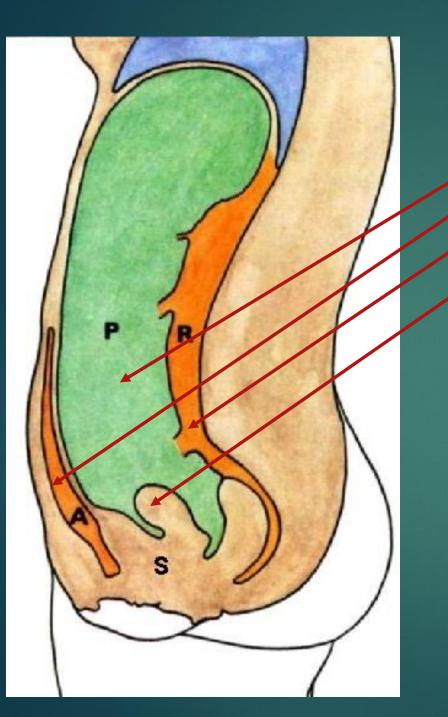


 Position of the organs
 Extraperitoneal / retroperitoneal
 not covered (or only 1 side)

- Duodenum
- Pancreas
- Kidney
- > Ureter
- Empty gallbladder and urinary bladder



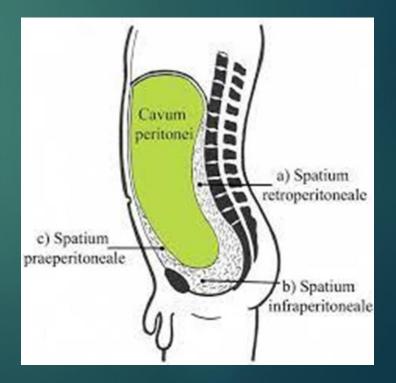




#### CAVITAS ABDOMINALIS

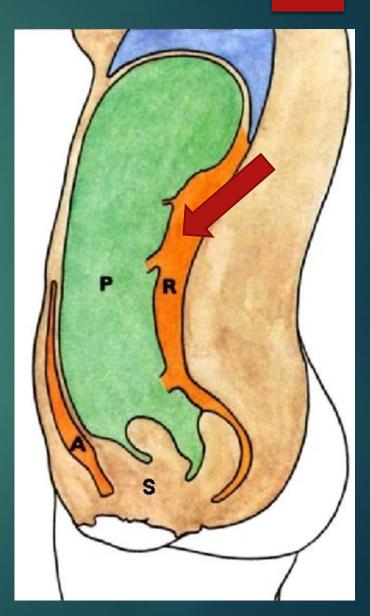
P – cavitas peritonealis A – spatium preperitoneale R – spatium retroperitoneale S – spatium subperitoneale

(infraperitoneale)



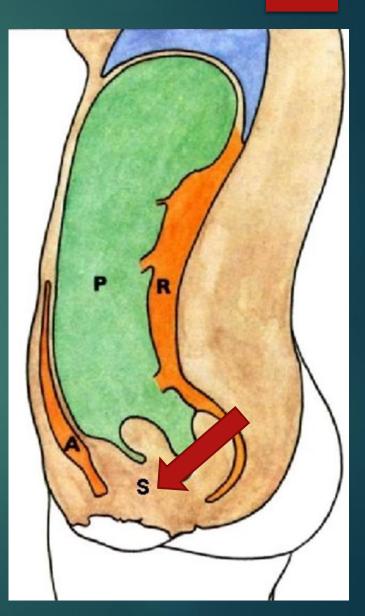
## **Retroperitoneal space**

- Space between the endoabdominal fascia of the posterior abdominal wall and the peritoneum
- filled with the fat and the organs:
- ✓ duodenum,
- pancreas,
- ✓ adrenal glands,
- kidneys,
- ✓ aorta,
- ✓ inferior vena cava etc.



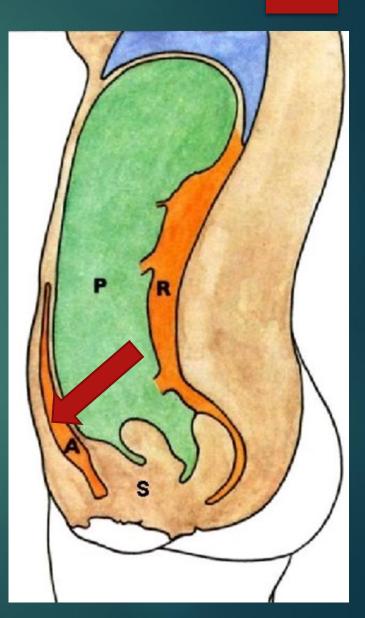
## Subperitoneal (infraperitoneal) space

- Space on the bottom of the lesser pelvis between the parietal peritoneum and pelvic fascia
- contain the fat and the organs:
- ✓ prostate,
- ✓ seminal vesicles in males,
- the cervix of the uterus in females.
- the part of the vagina in females.

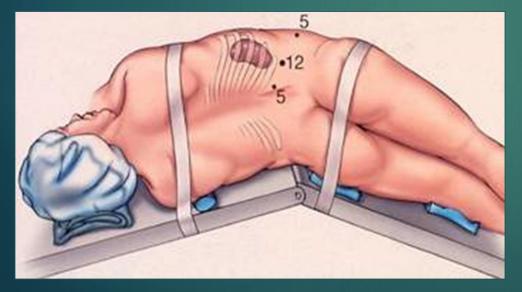


# Anteperitoneal (praeperitoneal) space

- Space is in the area of the urinary bladder (on the anterior wall of the lesser pelvis).
- Includes:
- ✓ the retropubic space, spatium retropubicum,
   ✓ retroinguinal space, spatium retroinguinale.



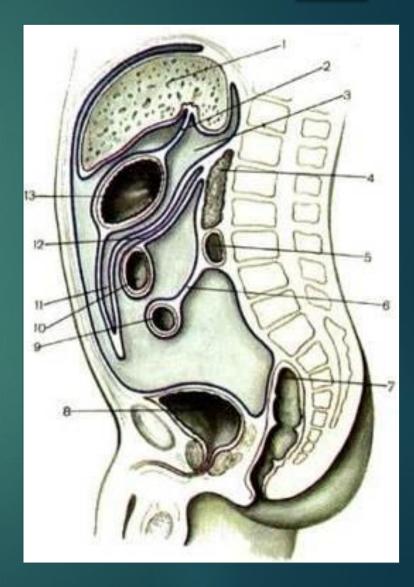
### Blood behind peritoneum



## Parietal peritoneum Peritoneal cavity (area artificially enlarged for illustrative purposes) Mesenteries

### **Kidney access surgery**

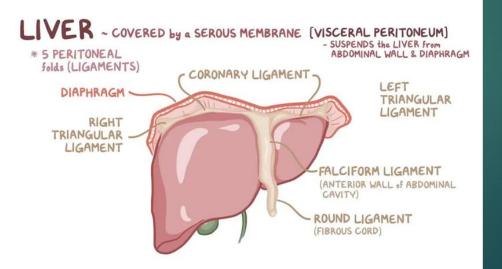
►Ligaments Mesentery (mesenterium and mesolon) ►Omenta (majus and minus) ► Folds

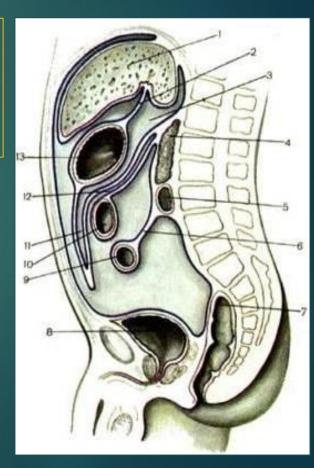


## Ligaments = 1 or 2 layers of peritoneum

- Lig. falciforme
- Lig. coronarium
- Lig. hepatogastrica
- Lig. hepatoduodenale
- Lig. hepatorenale
- ▶ etc.

Important for fixation of the organs to the abdominal wall





## Mesentery =

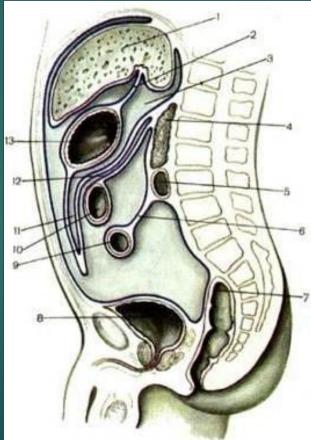
## = 2 layers of peritoneum + vessels and nerves

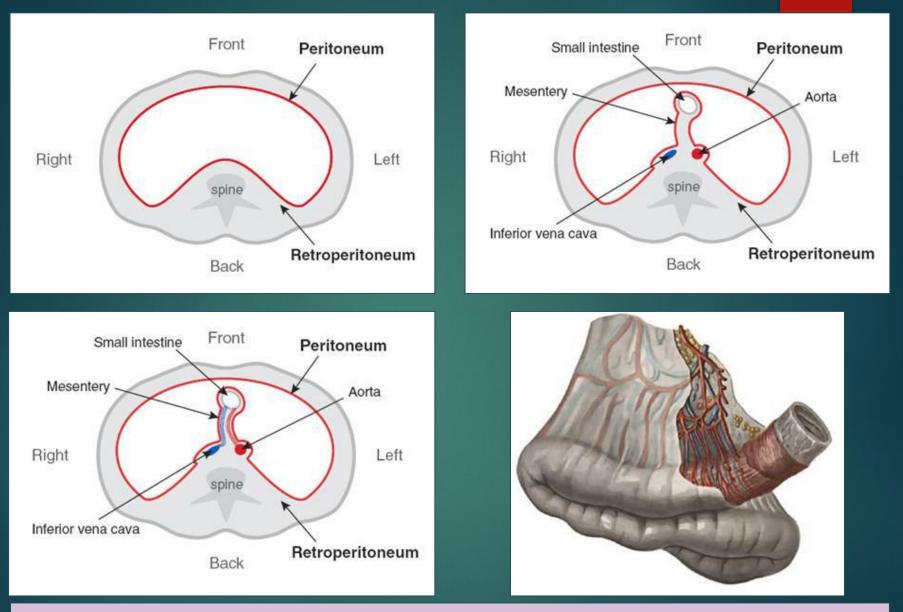
- Structures that suspend visceral organs from the body wall
- Carry arteries, veins, lymphatic vessels and nerves

### Meso + Greek name of the organ

- The mesenterium (small intestine)
- The mesoappendix
- The transverse
   mesocolon
- The sigmoid mesocolon

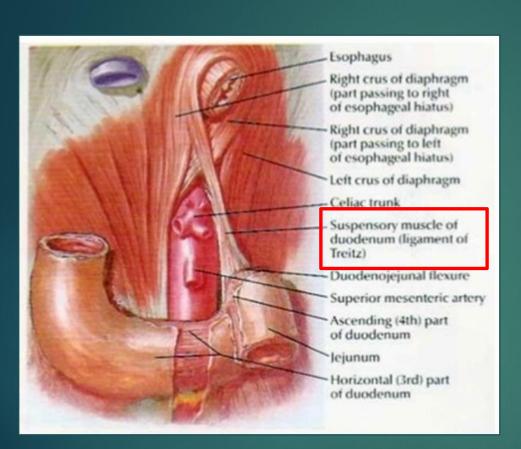




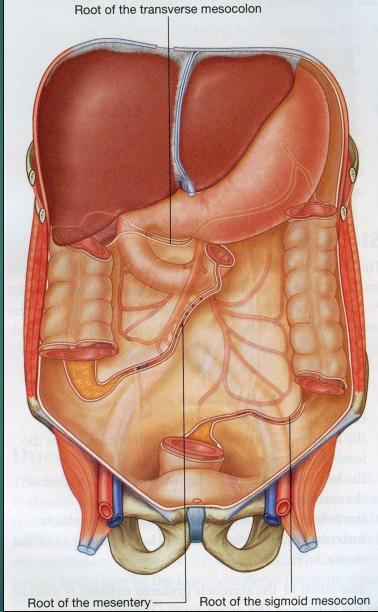


Mesenteries are established as the visceral organs grow into the intraembryonic coelom and carry their mesothelial covering and vessels with them

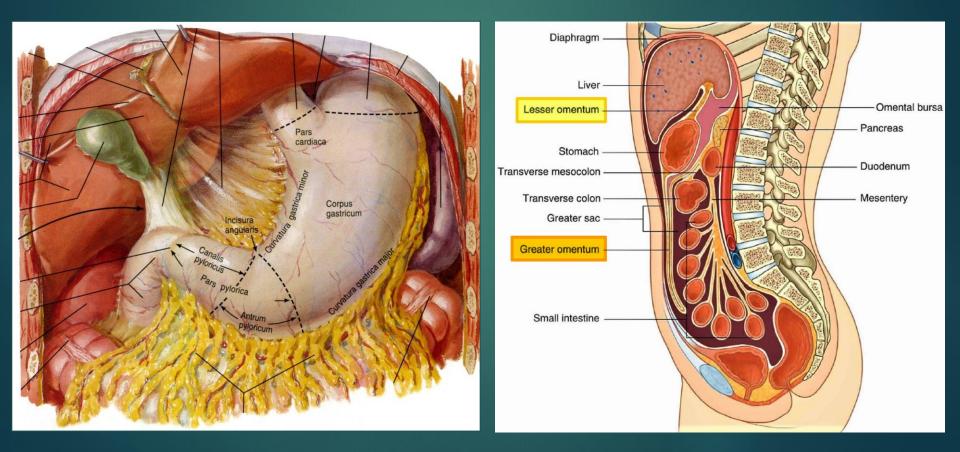
### The root of mesentery



Ligament of Treitz



### Omentum= 2 or 4 layers of peritoneum + fatty tissue



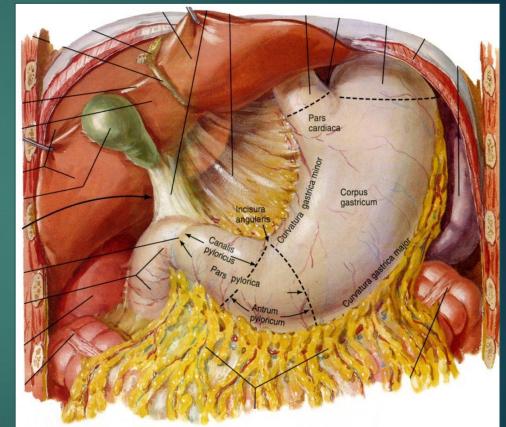
# Lesser omentum, omentum minus

### Omentum minus = 2 layers of peritoneum + fatty tissue

- Lig. hepatogastricum
- Lig. hepatoduodenale

## **Contain:**

Ductus hepaticus communis
V. porta
A. hepatica

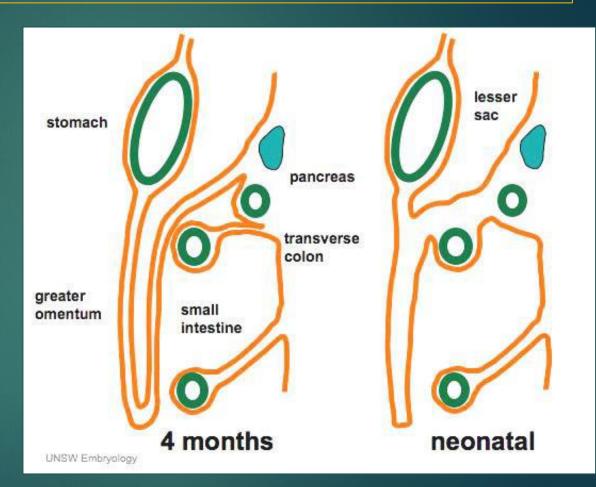


Omentum minus - ventral mesentery of the stomach

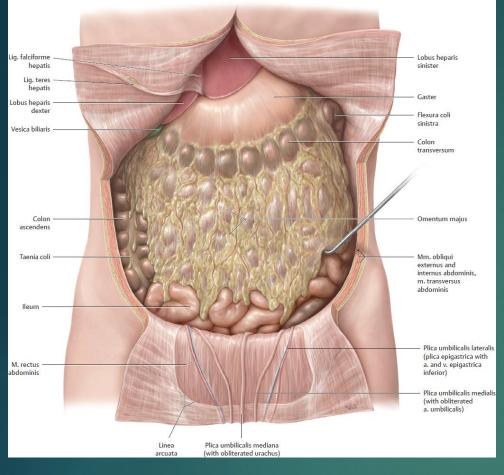
# Greater omentum, omentum majus

### Omentum majus = 4 layers of peritoneum + fatty tissue

Anterior lamina (2 layers of peritoneum) + Posterior lamina (2 layers of peritoneum)

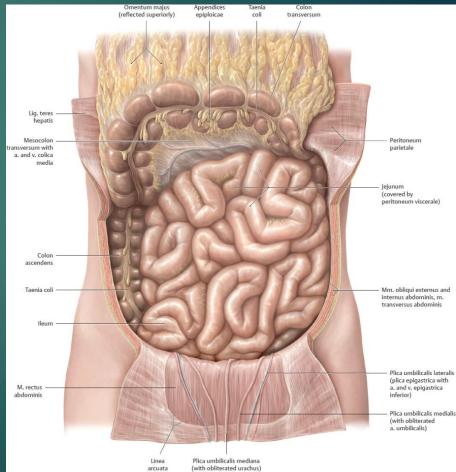


Omentum majus - dorsal mesentery of the stomach

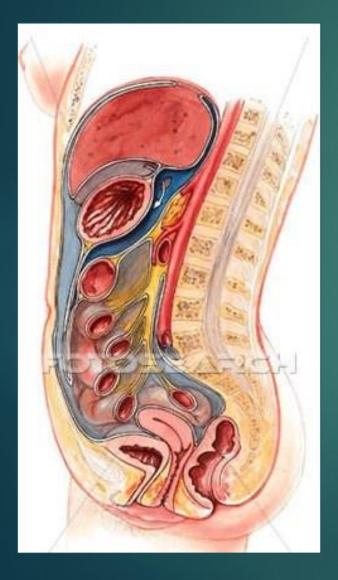


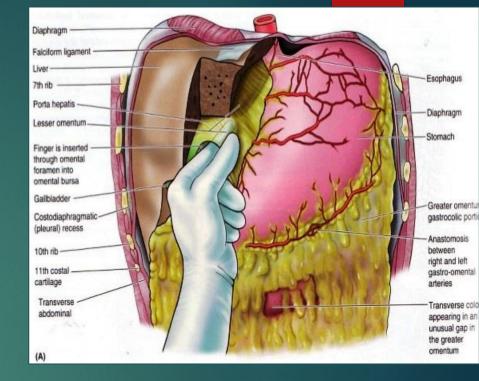
Lig. gastrocolicum
Lig. gastrosplenicum
Lig. gastrophrenicum

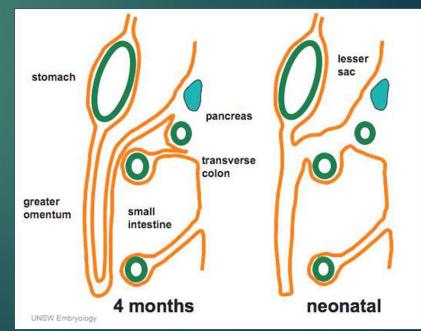
# Omentum majus



# **Bursa omentalis**





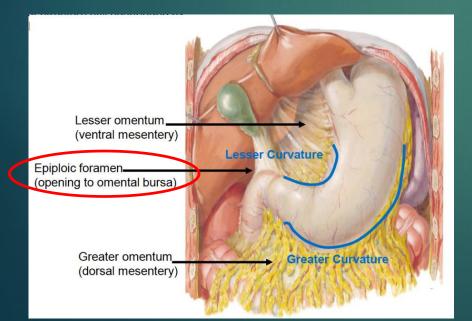


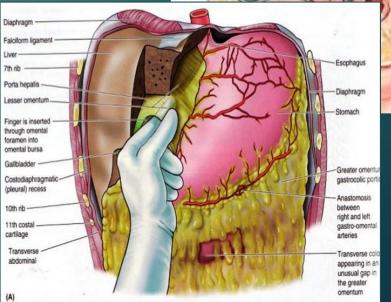
## Omental (epiploic) foramen (Winslow`s foramen)

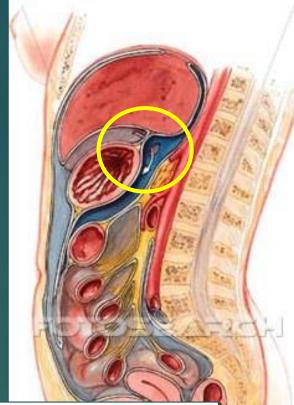
 Connects bursa omentalis with the whole peritoneal cavity

#### Walls:

- Superior lobus caudatus hepatis
- Anterior lig. hepatoduodenum
- Inferior duodenum
- Posterior parietal peritoneum





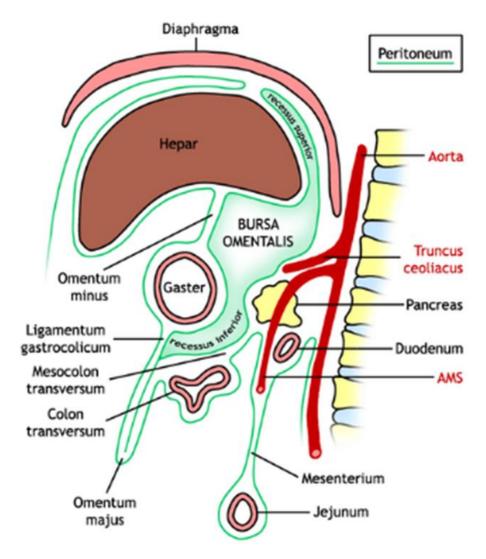


# The vestibule of the omental bursa

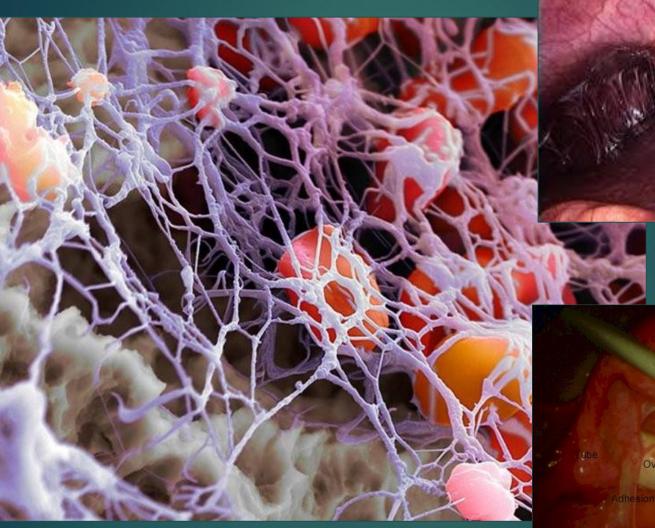
### <u>Walls</u>:

- Superior liver's caudate lobe and by the area of the diaphragm near the oesophagus
- Anterior lesser omentum and partially by the posterior gastric wall
- Posterior by the parietal layer of the peritoneum

### Bursa omentalis - sagitální řez



# Fibrin





Kinder

# Anatomical and Topographical Features of Peritoneal Cavity

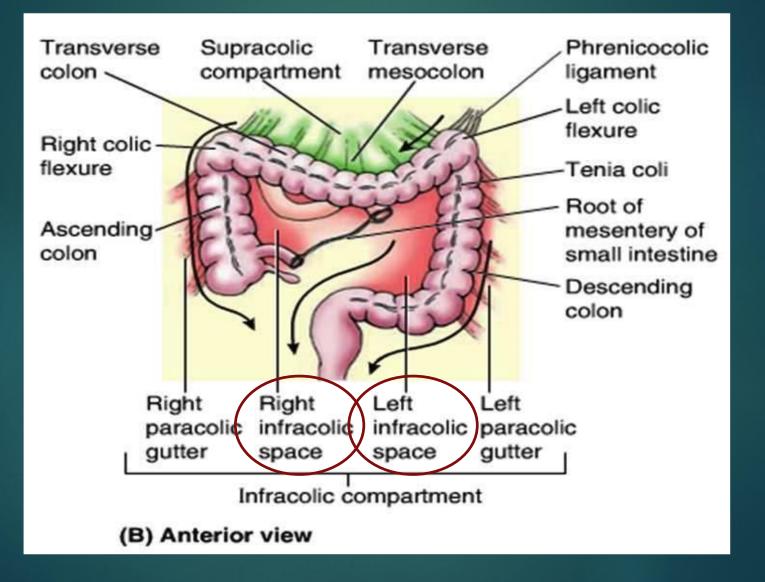
### <u>1. The upper storey</u>

- Right subphrenic recess
- Left subphrenic recess
- Splenic recess
- Subhepatic recess
- The vestibule of the omental bursa

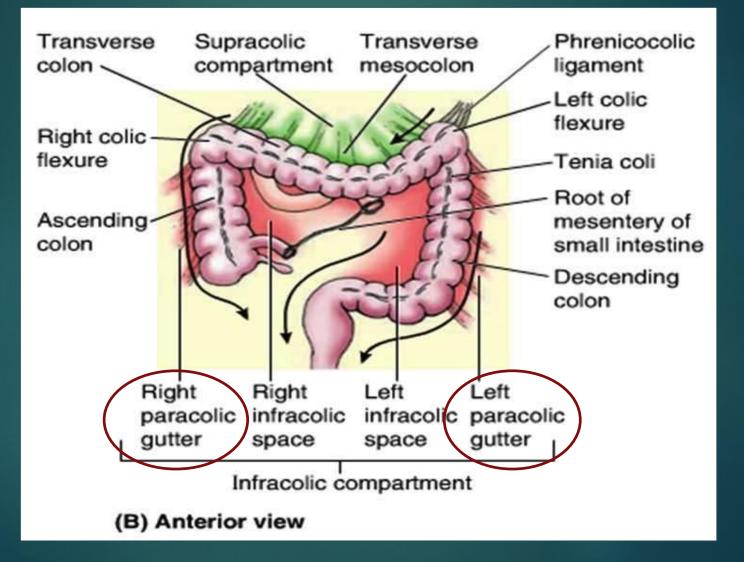
## 2. Lower storey

- Right mesenteric sinus
- Left mesenteric sinus
- Right paracolic groove
- Left paracolic groove

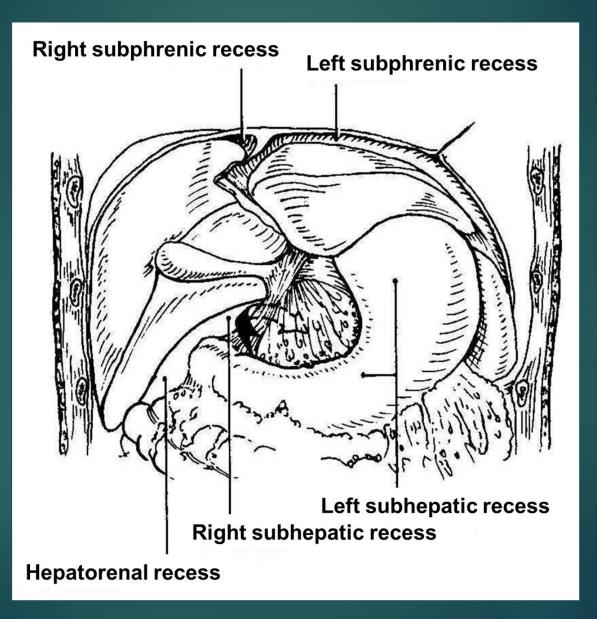
## Mesenteric sinuses - right and left (infracolic spaces)



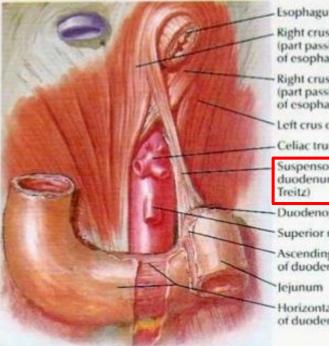
# Paracolic groove (gutter), right and left



# **Recesses of peritoneal cavity**

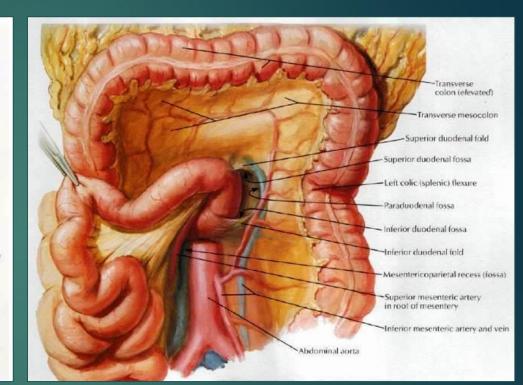


# **Recesses of peritoneal cavity**



#### Esophagus

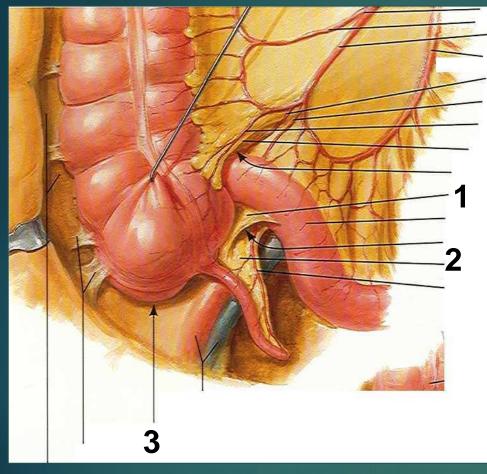
- Right crus of diaphragm (part passing to right of esophageal hiatus)
- Right crus of diaphragm (part passing to left of esophageal hiatus)
- Left crus of diaphragm
- Celiac trunk
- Suspensory muscle of duodenum (ligament of
- Duodenojejunal flexure
- Superior mesenteric artery
- Ascending (4th) part of duodenum
- Horizontal (3rd) part of duodenum

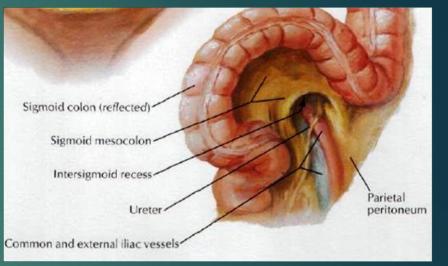


### near duodenum

- Recessus duodenalis superior et inferior •
- Recessus paraduodenalis
- Recessus supraduodenalis

# **Recesses of peritoneal cavity**





### near sigmoid colon

**Recessus inteersigmoideus** 

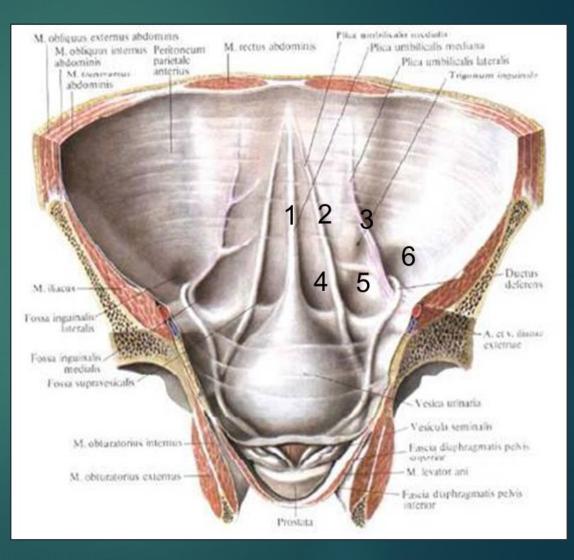
#### near caecum

1 - Recessus ileocaecalis superior
 2 - Recessus ileocaecalis inferior
 3 - Recessus retrocaecalis

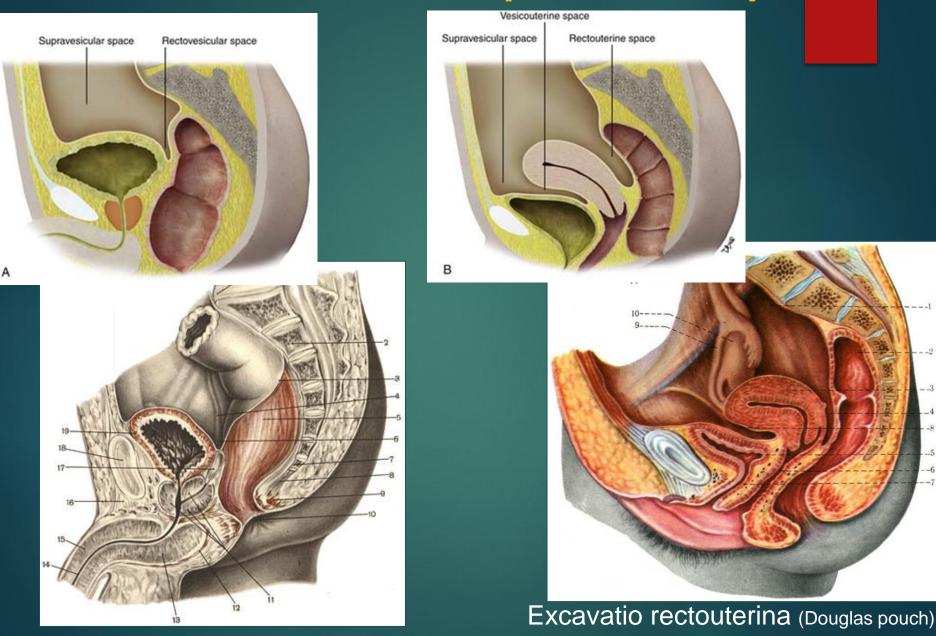
# Internal surface, the lower part of the anterior abdominal wall

1 – plica umbilicalis mediana (obliterated urachus)

- 2 plica umbilicalis medialis
- 3 plica umbilicalis lateralis
- 4 fossa supravesicalis
- 5 fossa inguinalis medialis
- 6 fossa inguinalis lateralis



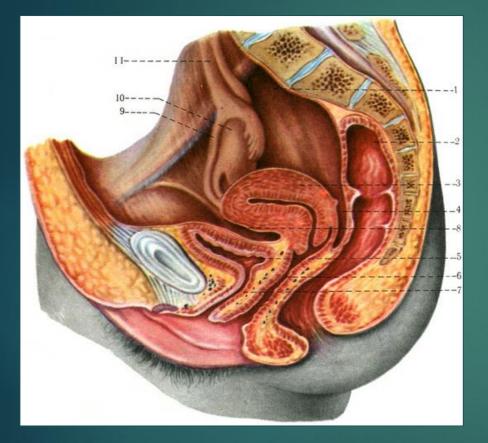
## Peritoneum in pelvic cavity

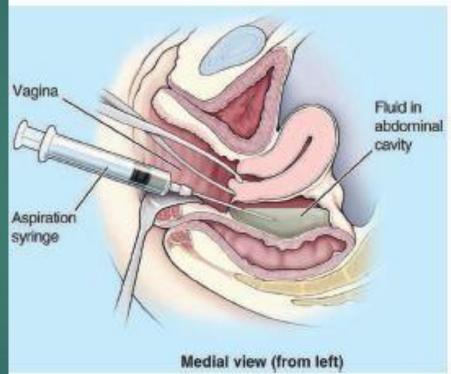


Excavatio rectovesicalis

Excavatio rectouterina (Douglas pou Excavatio vesicouterina

## **Douglas pouch** (Excavatio rectouterina)





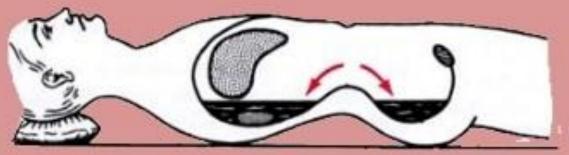
Excavatio rectouterina (Douglas pouch) Excavatio vesicouterina Culdocentesis – aspiration of fluid from cul-de-sac of Douglas

# **Peritoneal fluid**

- serose fluid, 25ml

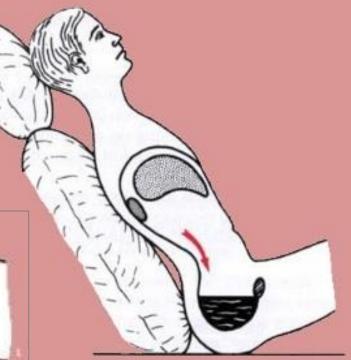
### Functions:

- moistens the peritoneum
- decreases friction between organs



Excavatio hepatorenalis Excavatio rectovesicalis





Pelvic cavity

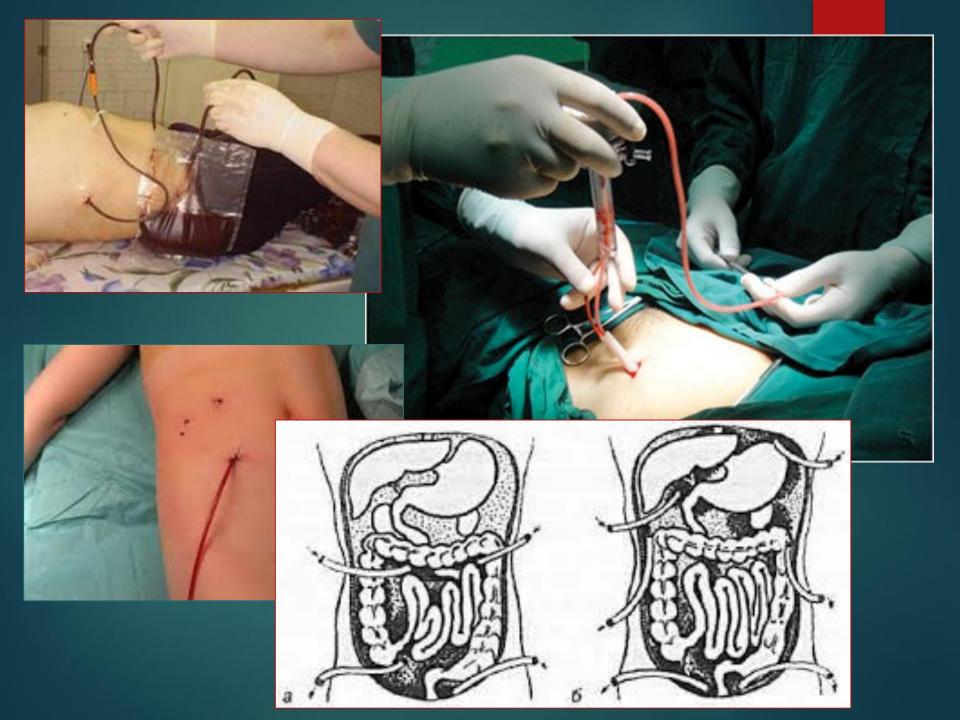
# Ascite (abdominal dropsy)

 Accumulation of fluid in peritoneal cavity (liver cirrhosis, hepatic cancer or heart insufficiency)



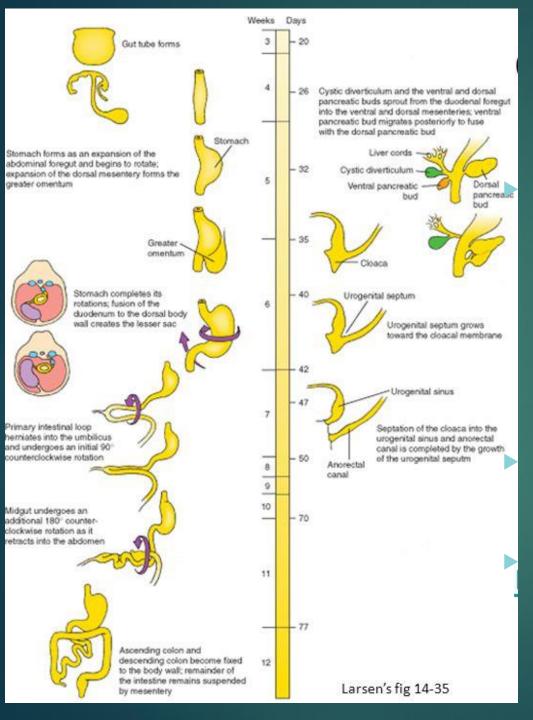


Charaf-ed-Din. Surgical puncture of the abdominal cavity of the aspiration of peritoneal fluid with a canula on a patient suffering from dropsy, 1466



### What organs has mesenteries?

The esophagus
 The stomach
 The duodenum
 The ileum
 The ileum
 The caecum
 The appendix
 The descending colon
 The rectum

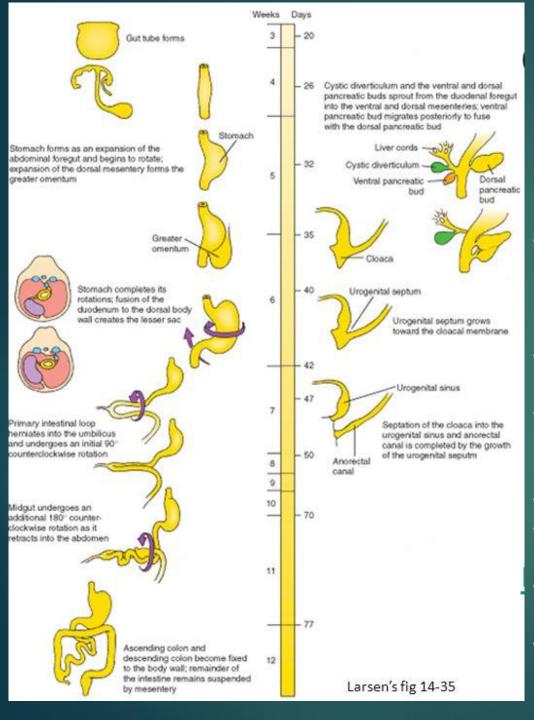


## Development of Gastrointestinal System

<u>Week 3</u>: the digestive tube starts differentiating. Gastrulation occurs. Initially, the prime gut tube forms as a hollow cylinder of endodermal cells surrounded by mesoderm. The endoderm sheet elongates and folds ventrally at the anterior and posterior ends, meeting near the yolk sac to form a closed tube.

<u>Week 4</u>: resorption of the buccopharyngeal membrane occurs, which closes e tube.

<u>Week 6-10</u>: midgut herniates throughout the umbilical ring, where it develops almost entirely outside the peritoneal cavity, then rotates back around in week ten.



## Development of Gastrointestinal System

Week 7: obliteration of the omphalomesenteric duct (vitelline duct), which connects the midgut lumen to the yolk sac Week 9: Opening of the distal cloacal membrane. Villus formation begins Week 11: distinctive longitudinal and circular muscle layers are present through the intestines Week 12: crypt development begins. Week 14: muscularis mucosae develops Week 24: fetal intestinal absorption function develops Week 32: fetal intestinal absorption reaches adult level.

## **THANK YOU FOR YOUR ATTENTION!**