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First Year

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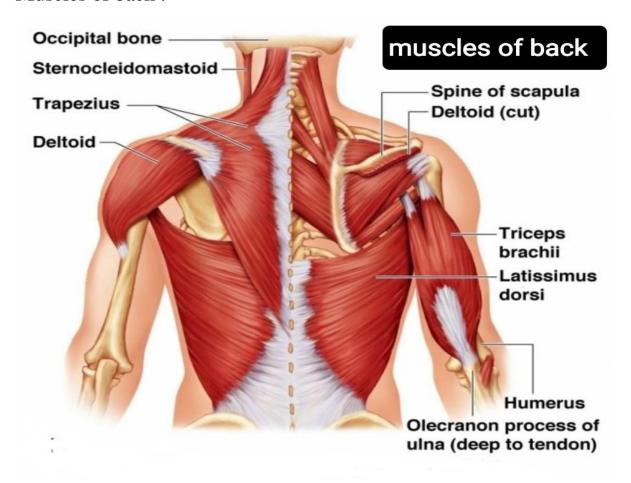
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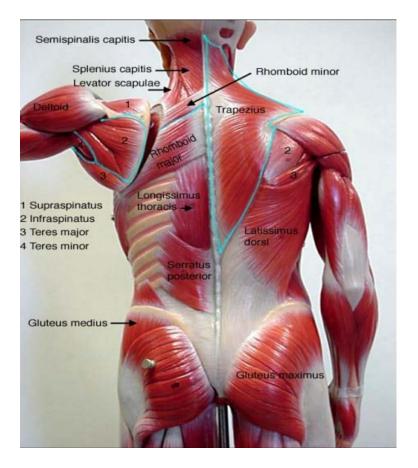
Muscular system(back, upper limb and lower limb)
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Muscles of back:

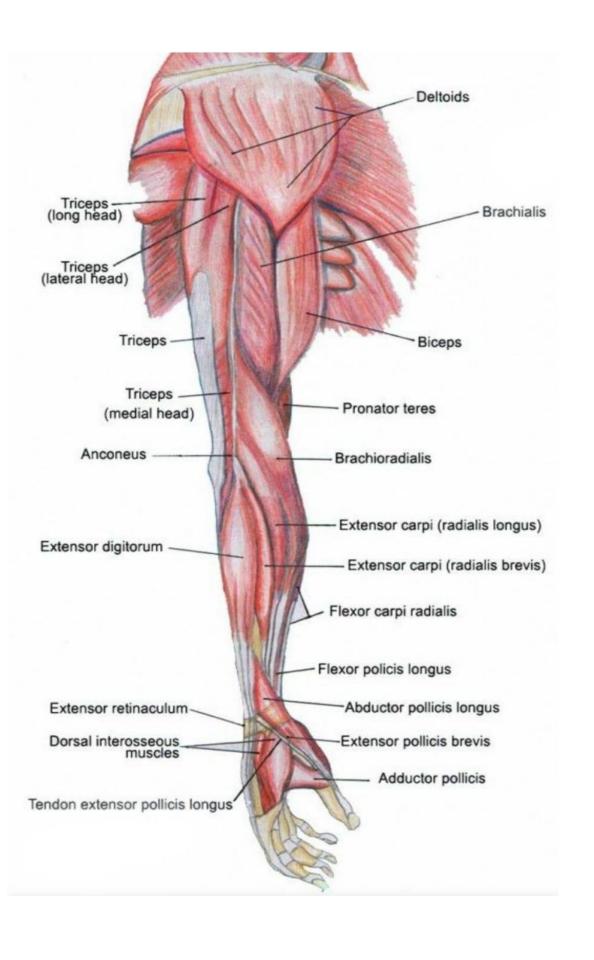




Muscles of upper limb:

- 1. Shoulder muscles:
- a- Deltoid muscles.
- b- Teres major muscle.
- c- Subscapularis muscle.
- 2. Arm muscles:
- d- Coracobrachialis muscle.
- e- Biceps Brachii muscle > This muscle is long and short heads.
- f- Triceps Brachii muscle > This muscle is long, lateral, and medial heads.
- g- Brachialis muscle.
- 3. Forearm muscles:
- h- Extensor carpi radialis longus.
- i- Extensor carpi radialis brevis.
- j- Flexor carpi radialis.
- k- Extensor digitorum muscle.
- 1- Abductor pollicis longus.

- m-Extensor carpi ulnaris.
- n- Flexor carpi ulnaris.
- o- Anconeus muscle.
 - 4- Hand muscles:
- p- Extensor pollicis brevis muscle.
- q- Adductor pollicis muscle.
- r- Extensor retinaculum muscle.
- s- Dorsal interosseous muscles.



Muscles of lower limb:

The muscles in your lower extremity contract and relax to move skeletal bones and thus the body. Each of your lower extremities has more than 40 muscles.

Hip:

There are 17 hip muscles, which can be sorted into four main groups:

- Gluteal muscles: These muscles help you stay upright and raise your thigh to the side, thrust your hips forward, and rotate your leg. This group includes:
- 1- Gluteus maximus (buttocks).
- 2- Gluteus minimus.
- 3- Gluteus medius.
- 4- Tensor fasciae latae.
- Abductor muscles: These muscles help you move the thighs together. This group includes:
- 1- Adductor brevis.
- 2- Adductor longus.
- 3- Adductor magnus.
- 4- Pectineus.
- 5- Gracilis.
- Iliopsoas muscles : help you flex your hips (bring your thighs to your abdomen), include :
- 1- Iliacus muscle.
- 2- Psoas major muscle.
- Lateral rotator muscles: This muscle group helps you move your thighs apart. The lateral rotator muscles include:
- 1- externus obturators.
- 2- internus obturators.
- 3- piriformis muscle.
- 4- superior gemelli.
- 5- inferior gemelli.
- 6- quadratus femoris.

Thigh:

- 1- Quadriceps muscles include four muscles in the front of the leg that help extend the leg straight:
- vastus lateralis: on the outside of the thigh.
- vastus medialis: on the inside of the thigh.
- vastus intermedius: between the vastus lateralis and the vastus medialis.
- rectus femoris: muscle attaches to the kneecap.
- 2- Hamstrings muscles include three muscles in the back that extend the thigh and flex the knee:
- biceps femoris.
- semimembranosus.
- semitendinosus.

Leg:

The calf muscles include three muscles that are critical for ankle, foot and toe movement:

- Gastrocnemius: flexes and extends the foot, ankle, and knee.
- Soleus: important in walking and standing.
- Plantaris: acts with the gastrocnemius.
- Popliteus : initiates knee flexion/bending.

Foot:

The 20 muscles in each foot, the main ones are:

- Tibialis anterior : moves foot move upward.
- Tibialis posterior : supports the arch and flexes the foot.
- Peroneals : move ankle and foot laterally.
- Extensors : raise toes at ankles for stepping forward.
- Flexors : stabilize toes against the ground.

