

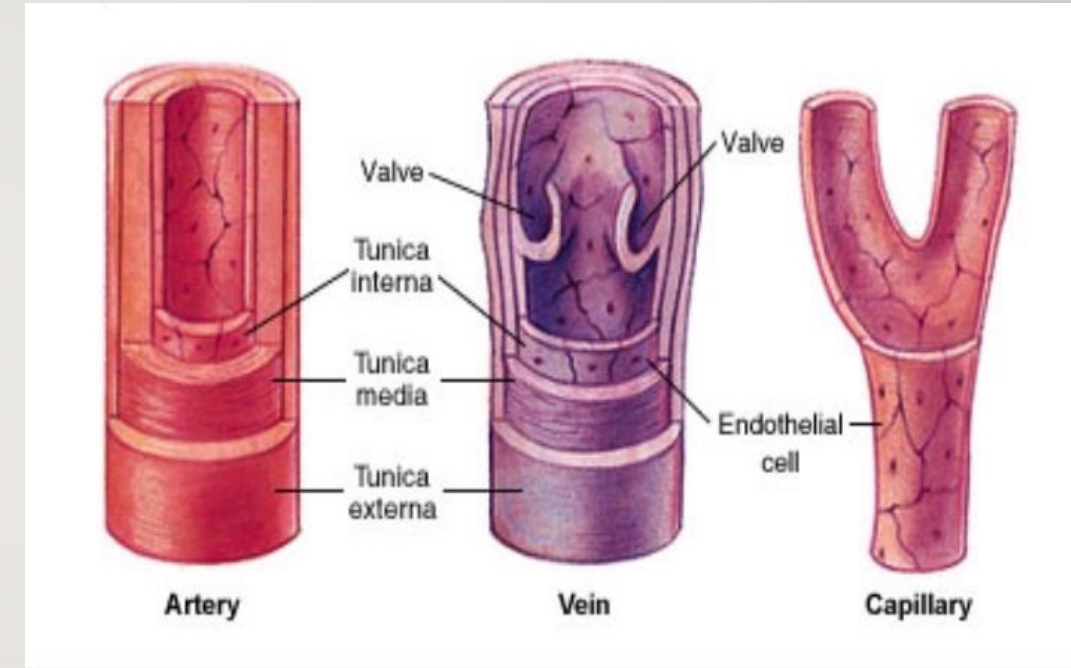
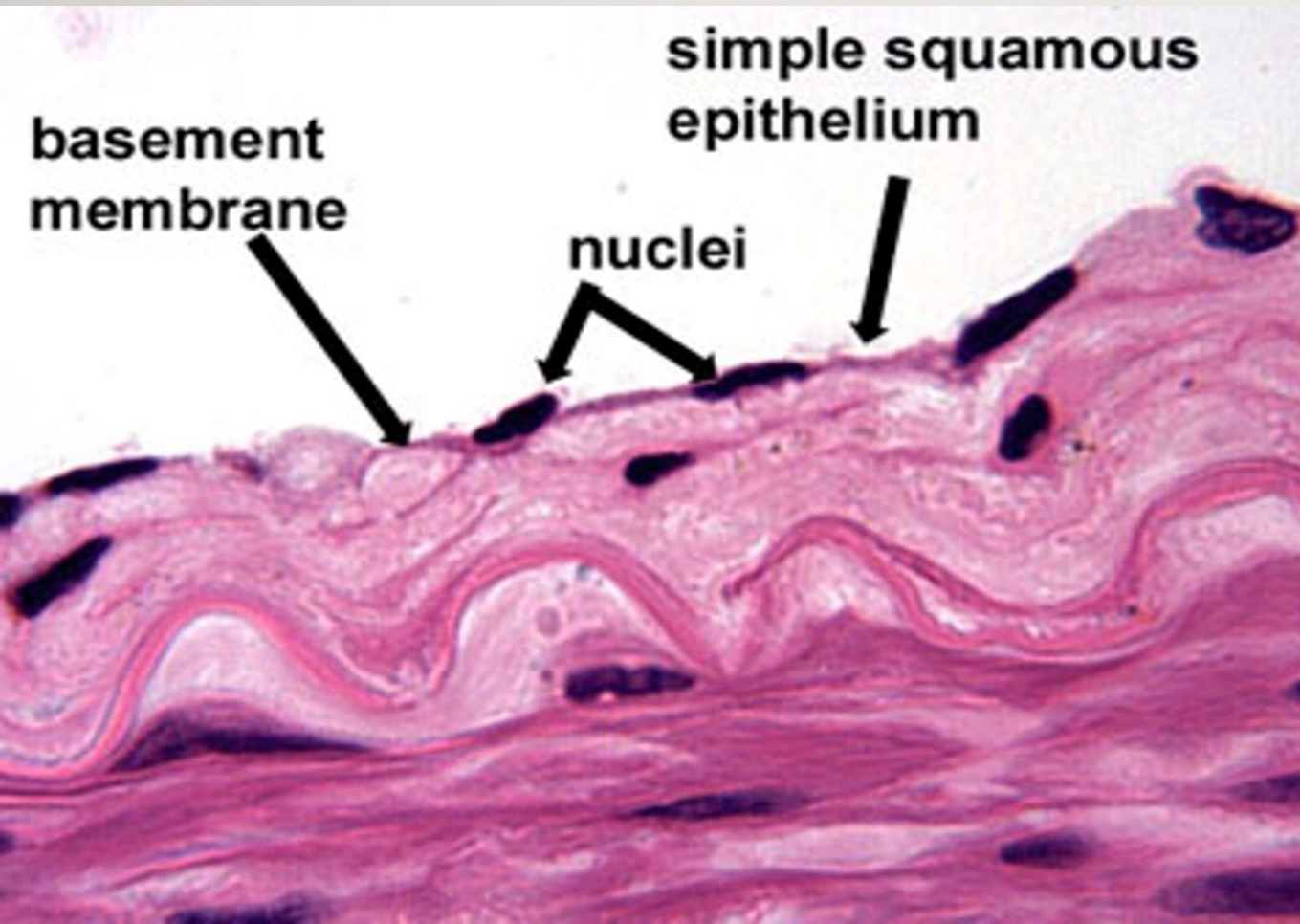
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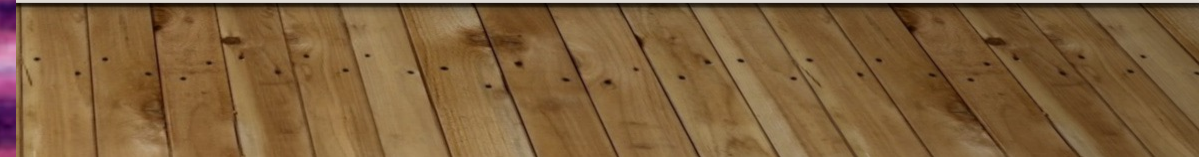
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# Simple squamous epithelium: Endothelium

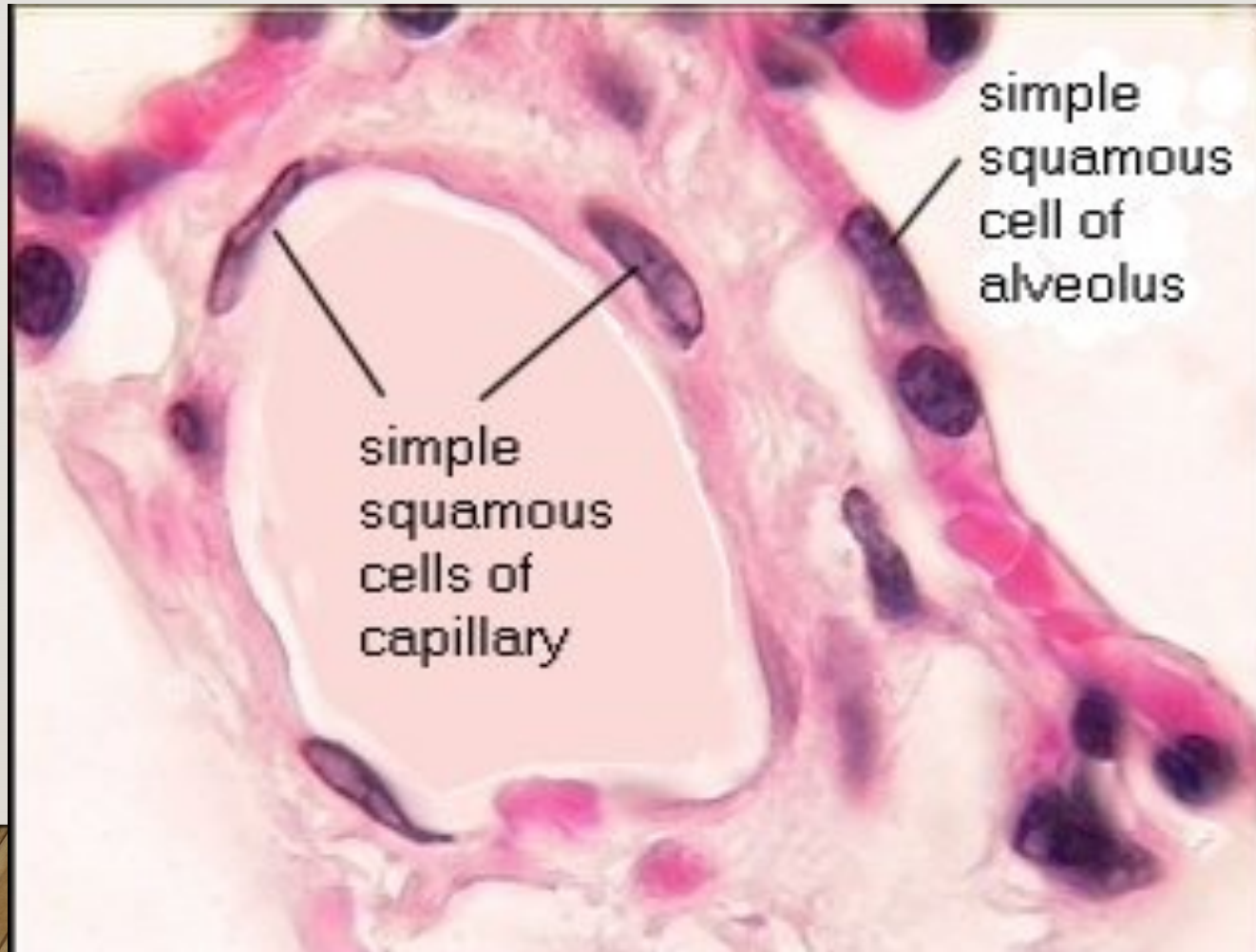


**Blood vessels**



# SIMPLE SQUAMOUS EPITHELIUM : LUNG ALVEOLII

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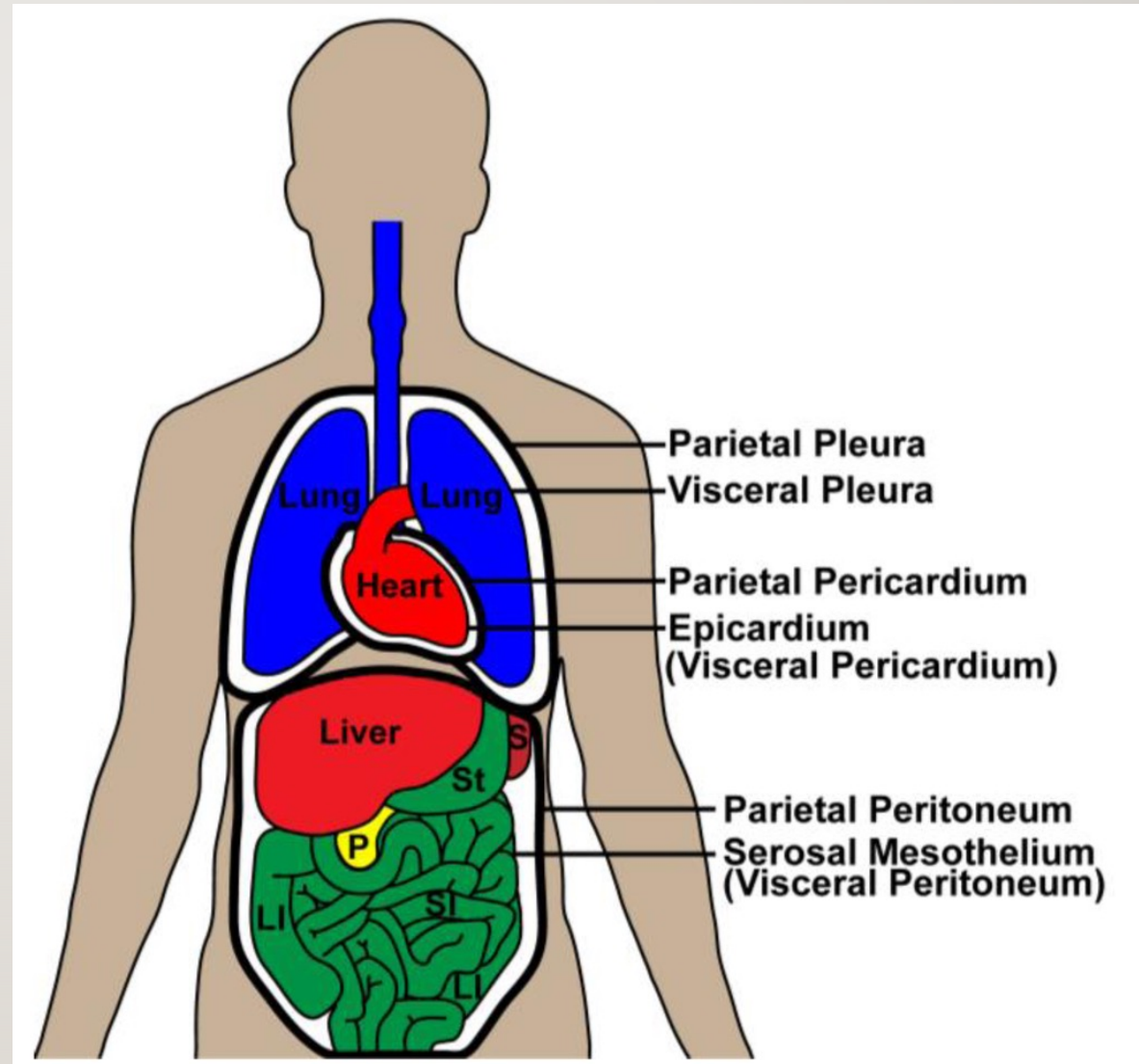




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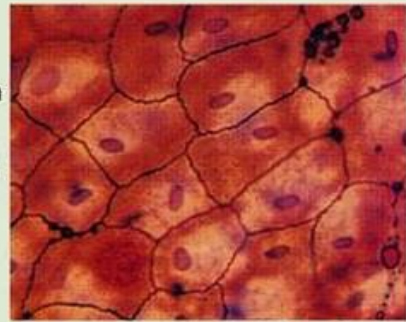
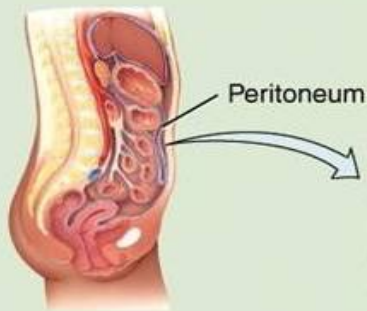
SIMPLE SQUAMOUS  
EPITHELIUM.

- 1- PLEURA
- 2- PERITONEUM
- 3- PERICARDIUM
- 4- MEDIASTINUM





# MESOTHELIUM



Surface view of simple squamous epithelium of mesothelial lining of peritoneum



Sectional view of simple squamous epithelium of small intestine

Flat nucleus of simple squamous cell

Connective tissue

Muscular tissue

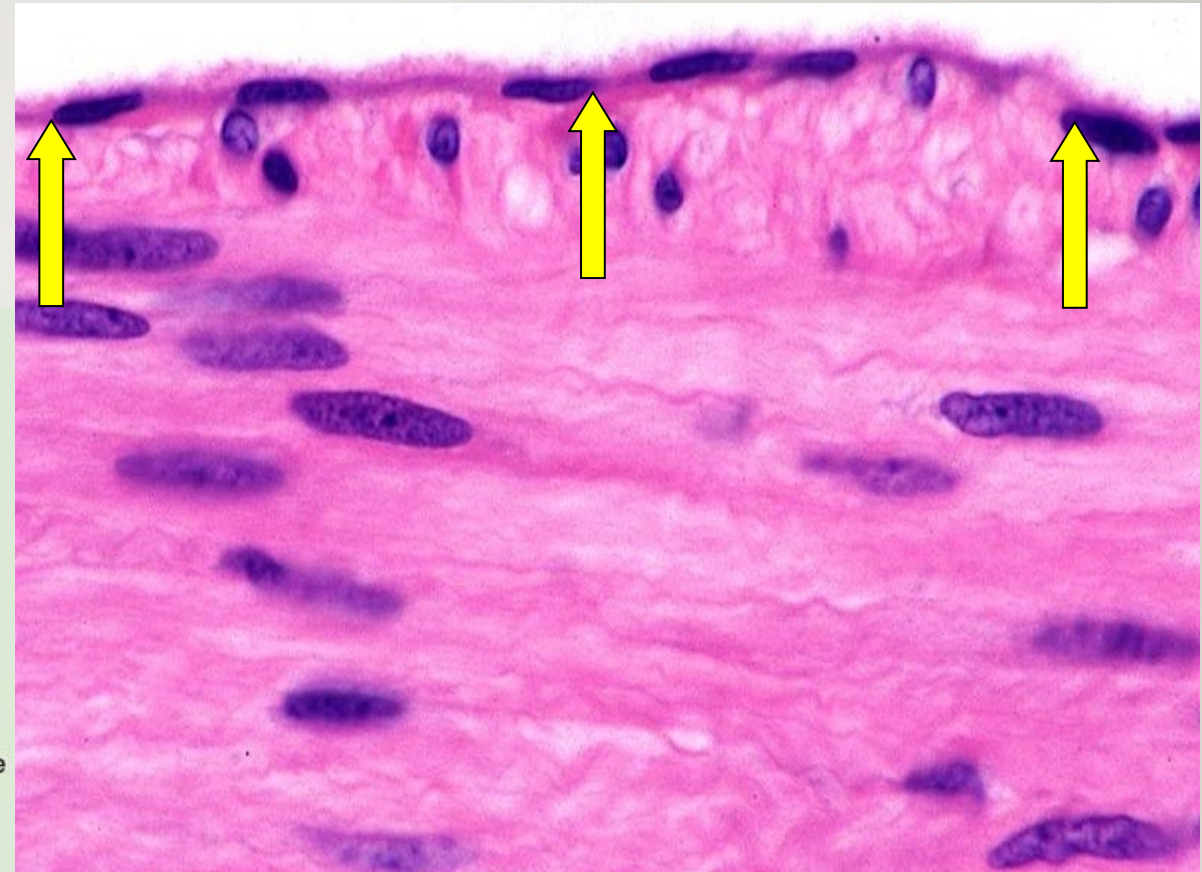


Simple squamous epithelium

Simple squamous cell

Basement membrane

Connective tissue

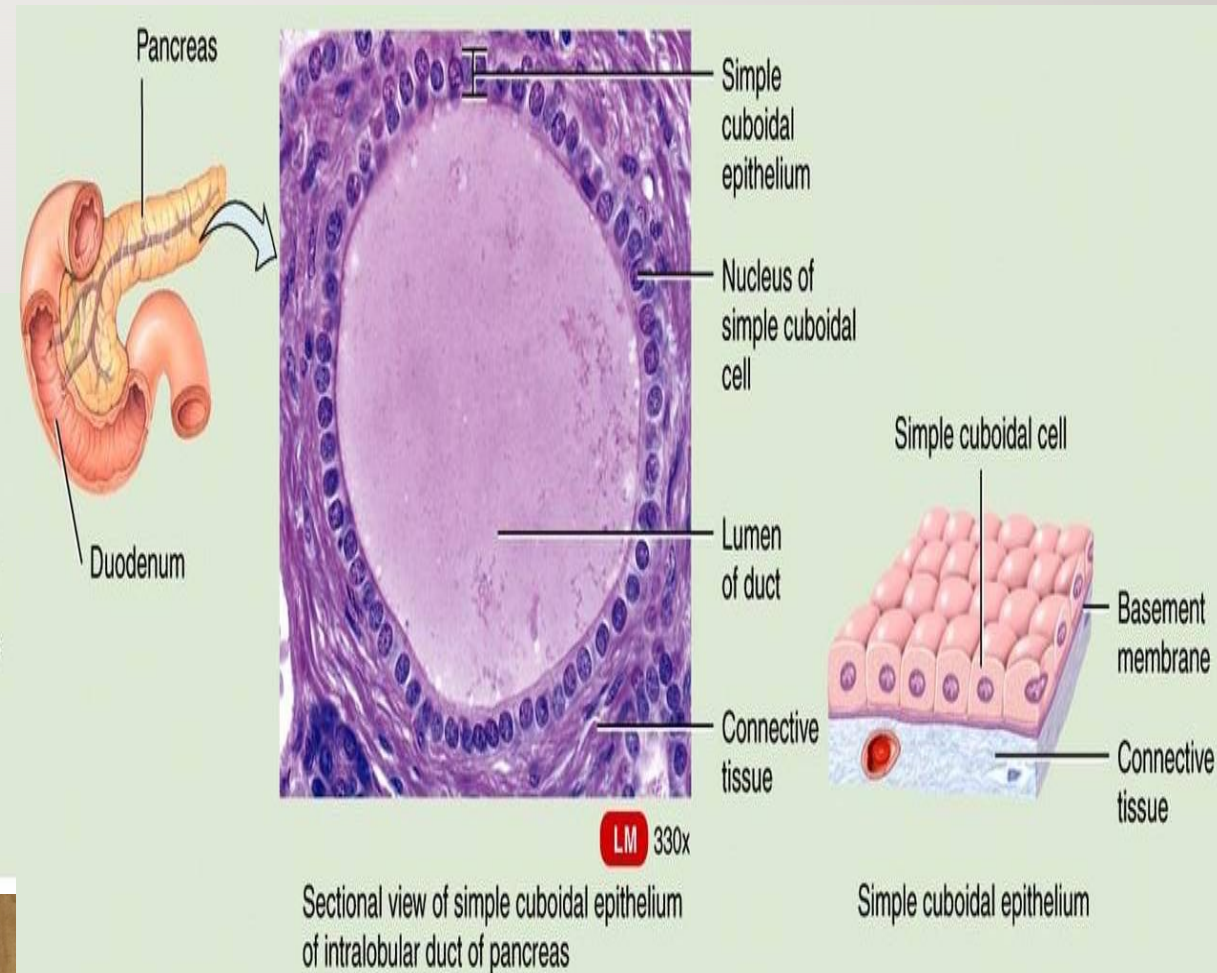
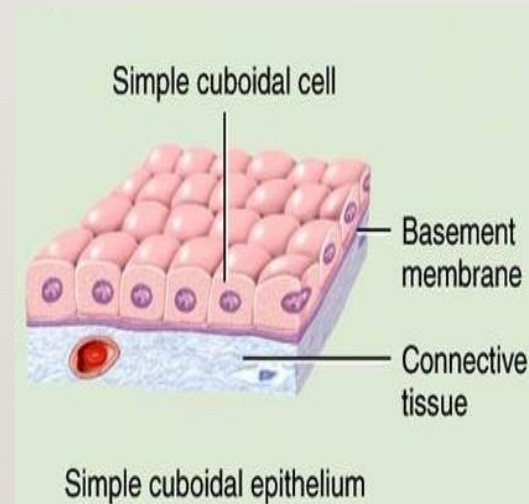




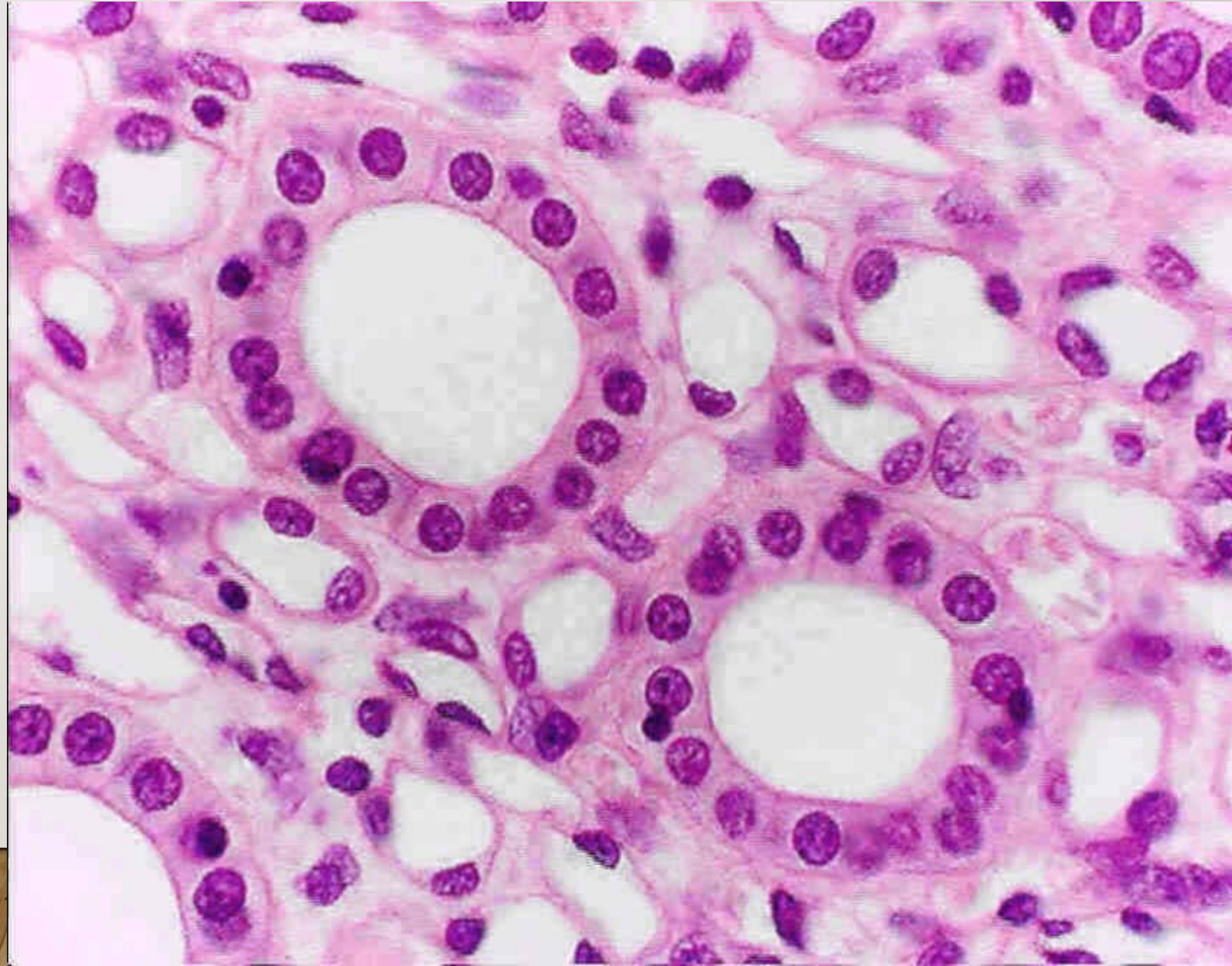
# SIMPLE CUBOIDAL EPITHELIUM

## LOCATION

- SMALL COLLECTING DUCTS OF KIDNEY
- GLANDS AND DUCTS : (PANCREAS & SALIVARY)
- KIDNEY TUBULES
- COVER OVARIES



## SIMPLE CUBOIDAL EPITHELIUM

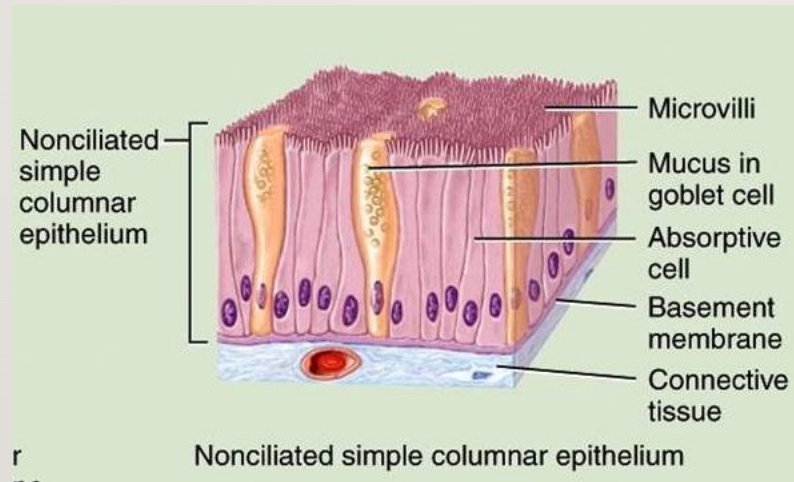




# SIMPLE COLUMNAR EPITHELIUM

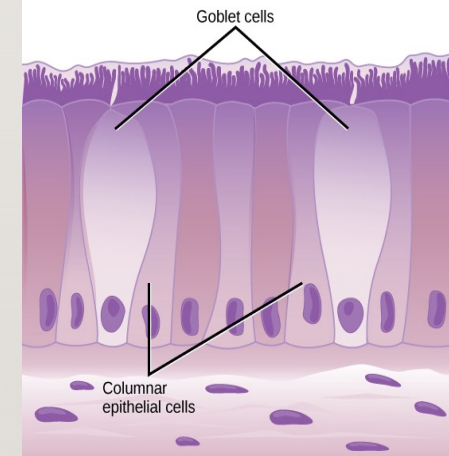
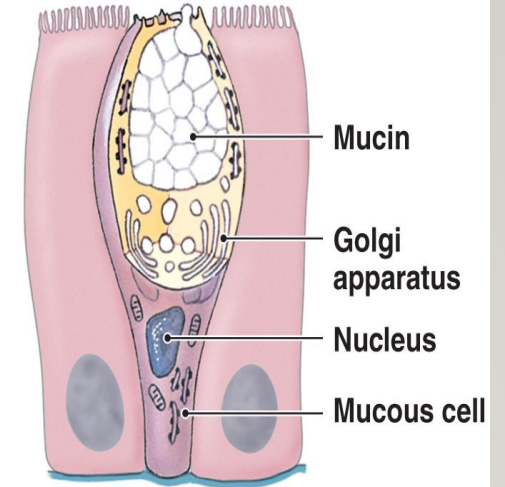
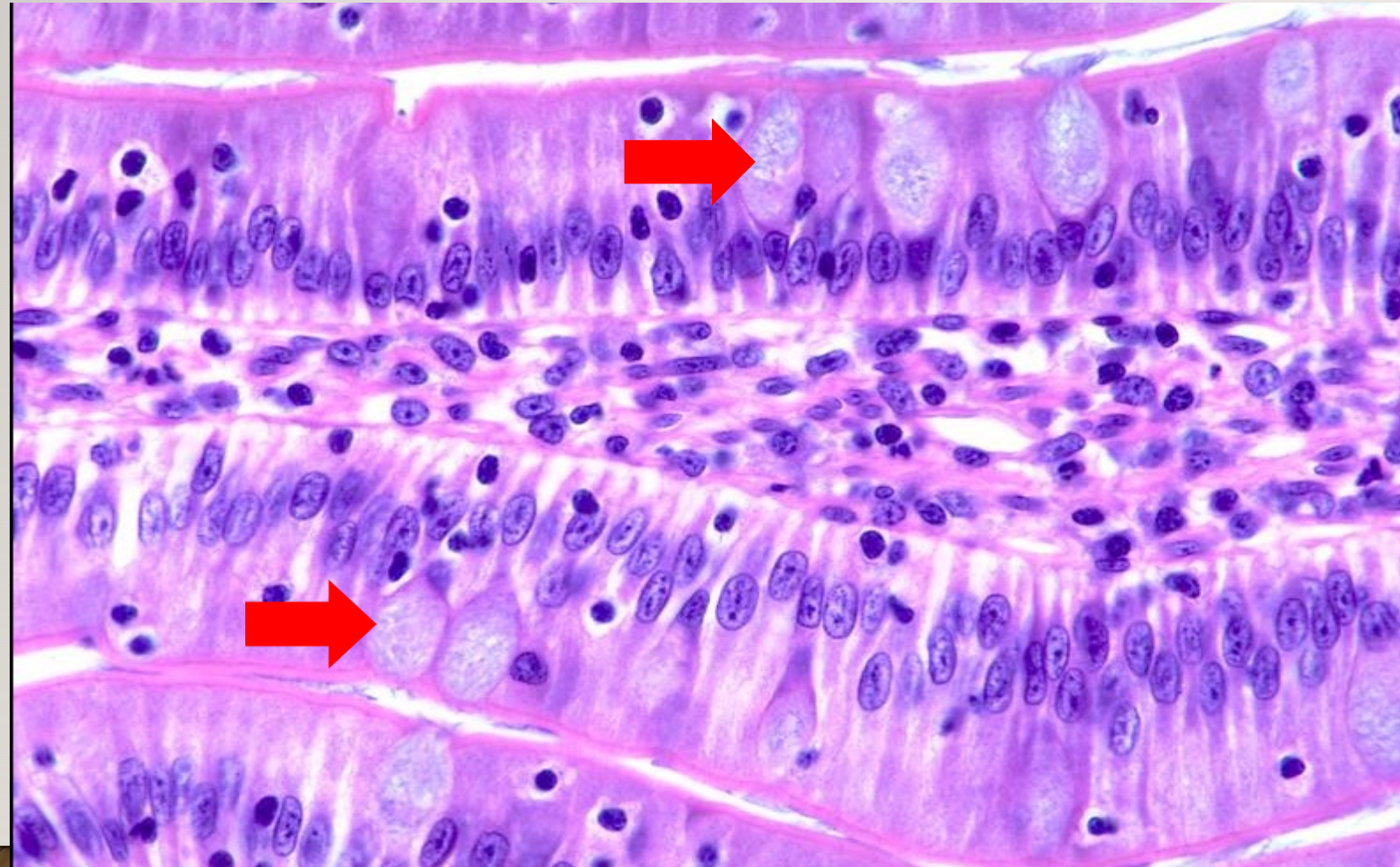
## Location

- Small intestine
- Stomach
- Gallbladder





# Goblet cells



# FUNCTION OF SIMPLE COLUMNAR EPITHELIUM

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- Engaged in the protection of wet surfaces, absorption and secretion.
- Forms major ducts of exocrine glands.
- When ciliated (**Fallopian tube, Uterus**), it helps in movement of fluid in the female genital tract.



# PSEUDOSTRATIFIED COLUMNAR EPITHELIUM

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Locations:

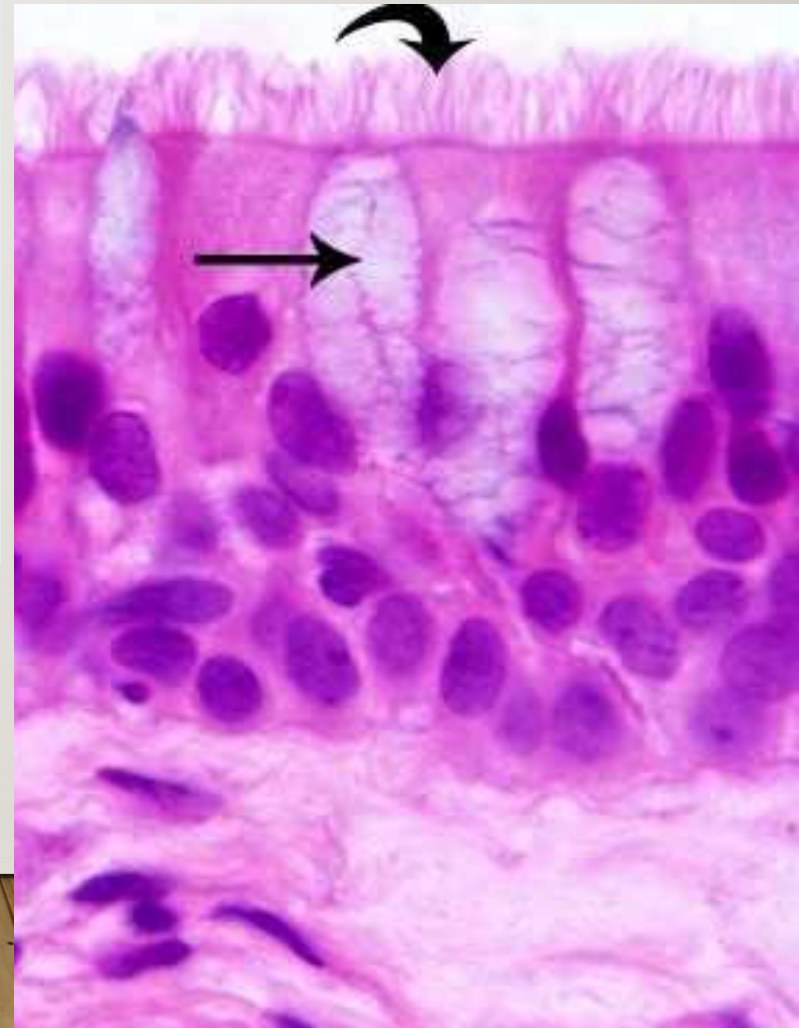
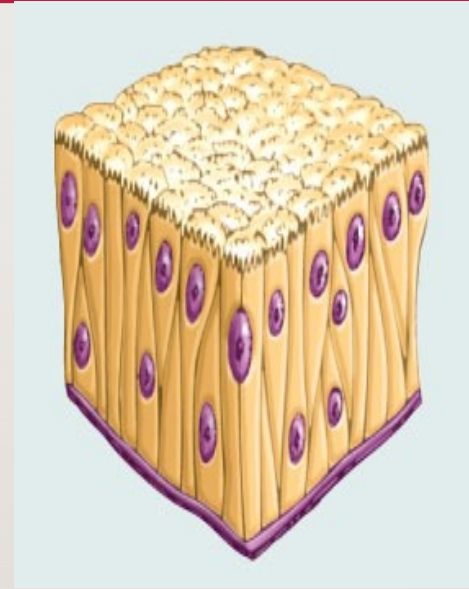
- Respiratory tract (trachea and bronchi)
- Male genital tract.

**Goblet cells:** produce mucus.

Mucous:

- It entraps foreign particles in the respiratory tract

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# STRATIFIED EPITHELIUM

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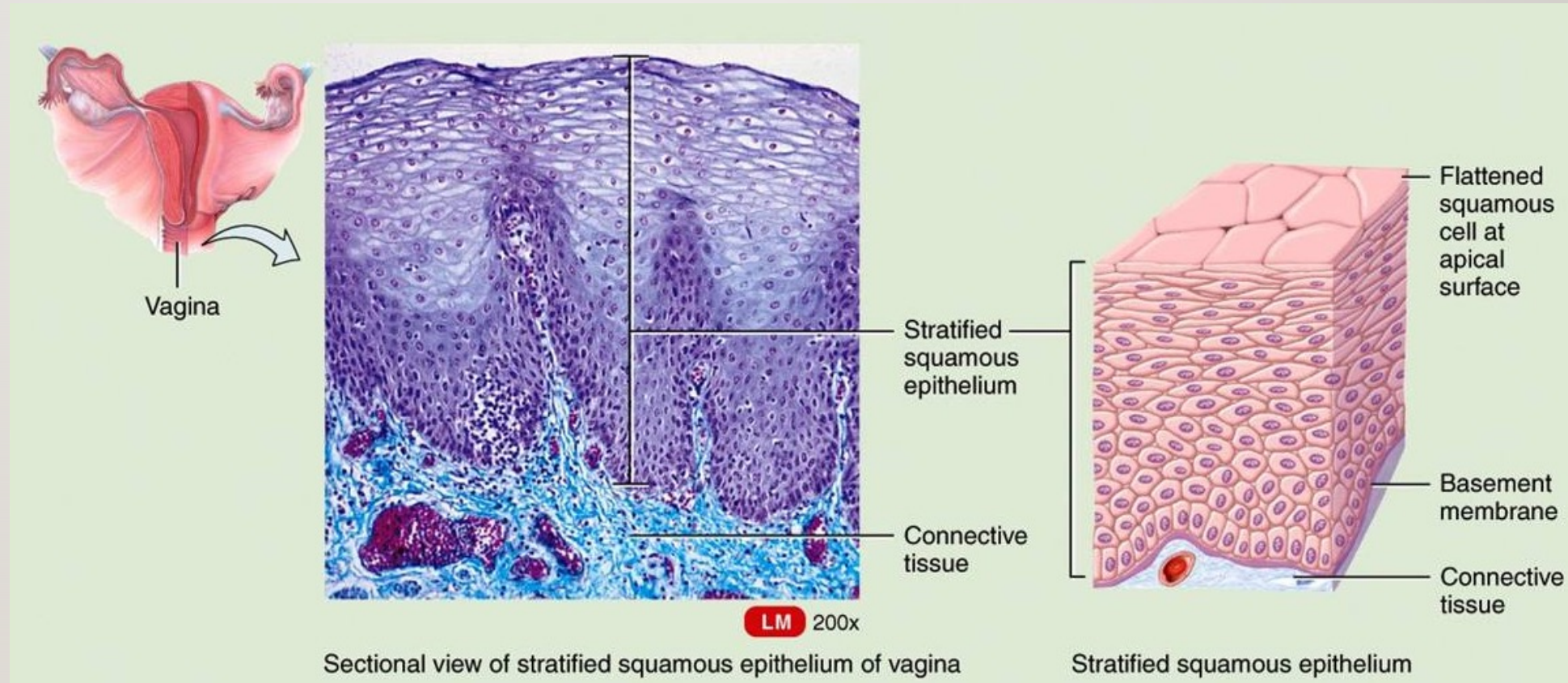
- Stratified Squamous Epithelium  
(keratinized, non-keratinized)
- Stratified Cuboidal Epithelium
- Stratified Columnar Epithelium
- Transitional Epithelium



# STRATIFIED SQUAMOUS NON-KERATINIZED

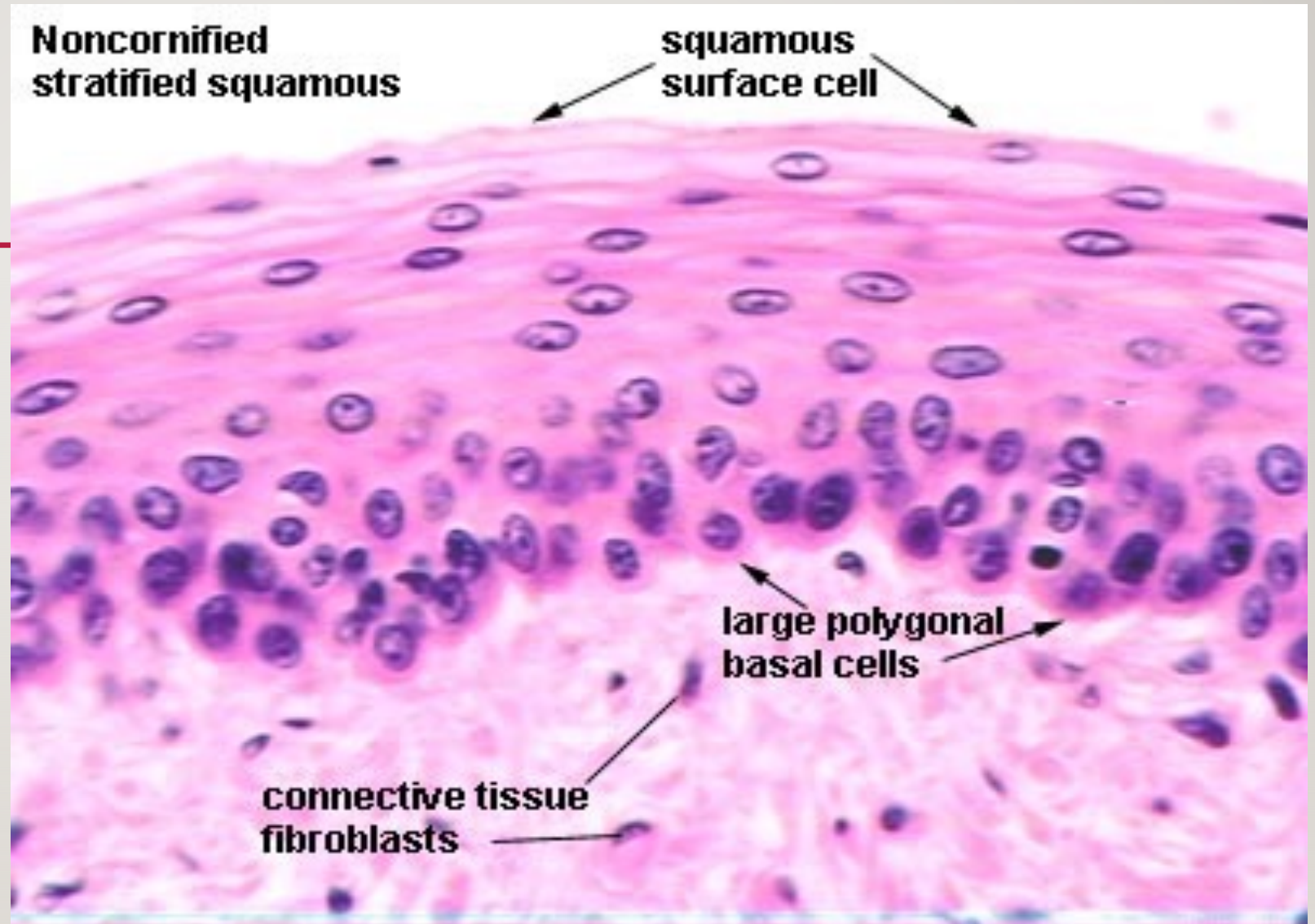
## Locations:

- Oral cavity
- Pharynx
- Esophagus
- Anal canal
- Uterine cervix
- Vagina





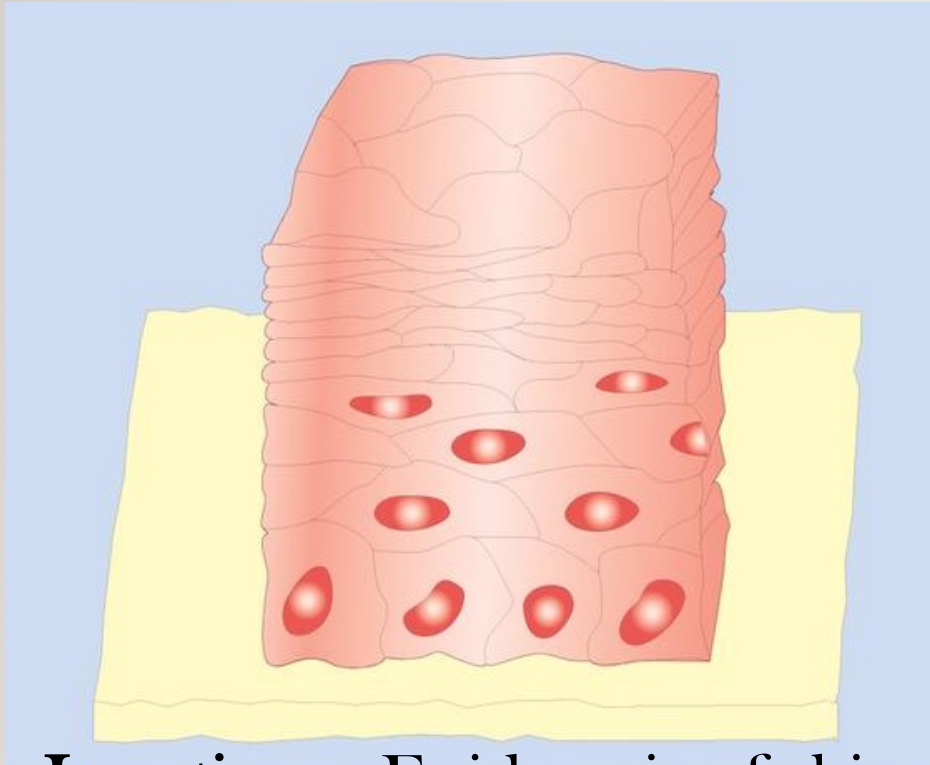
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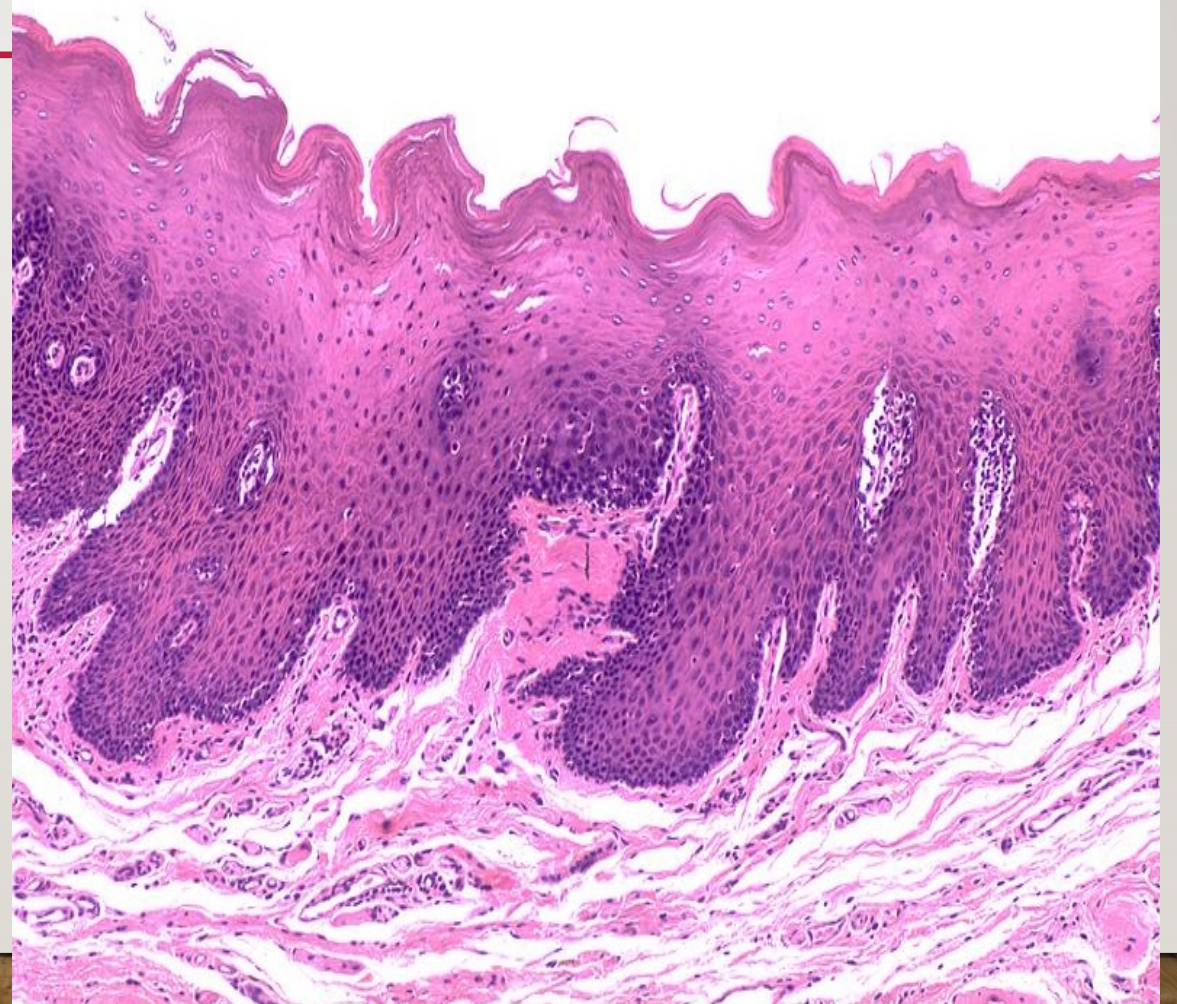


# STRATIFIED SQUAMOUS KERATINIZED EPITHELIUM

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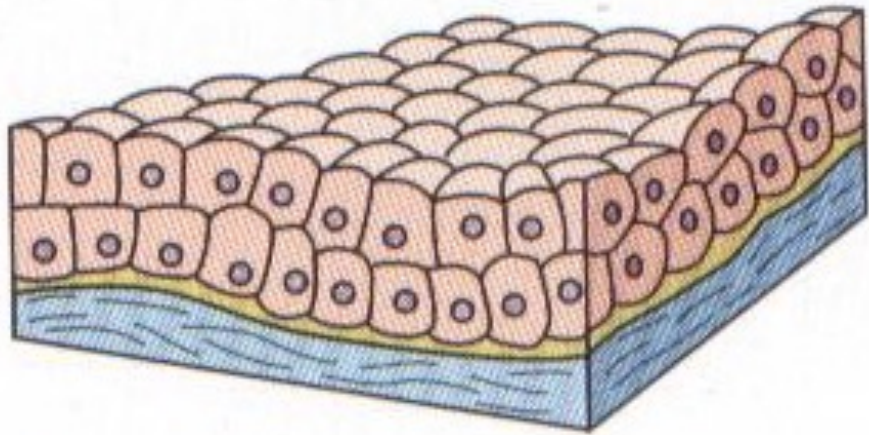
Location: Epidermis of skin



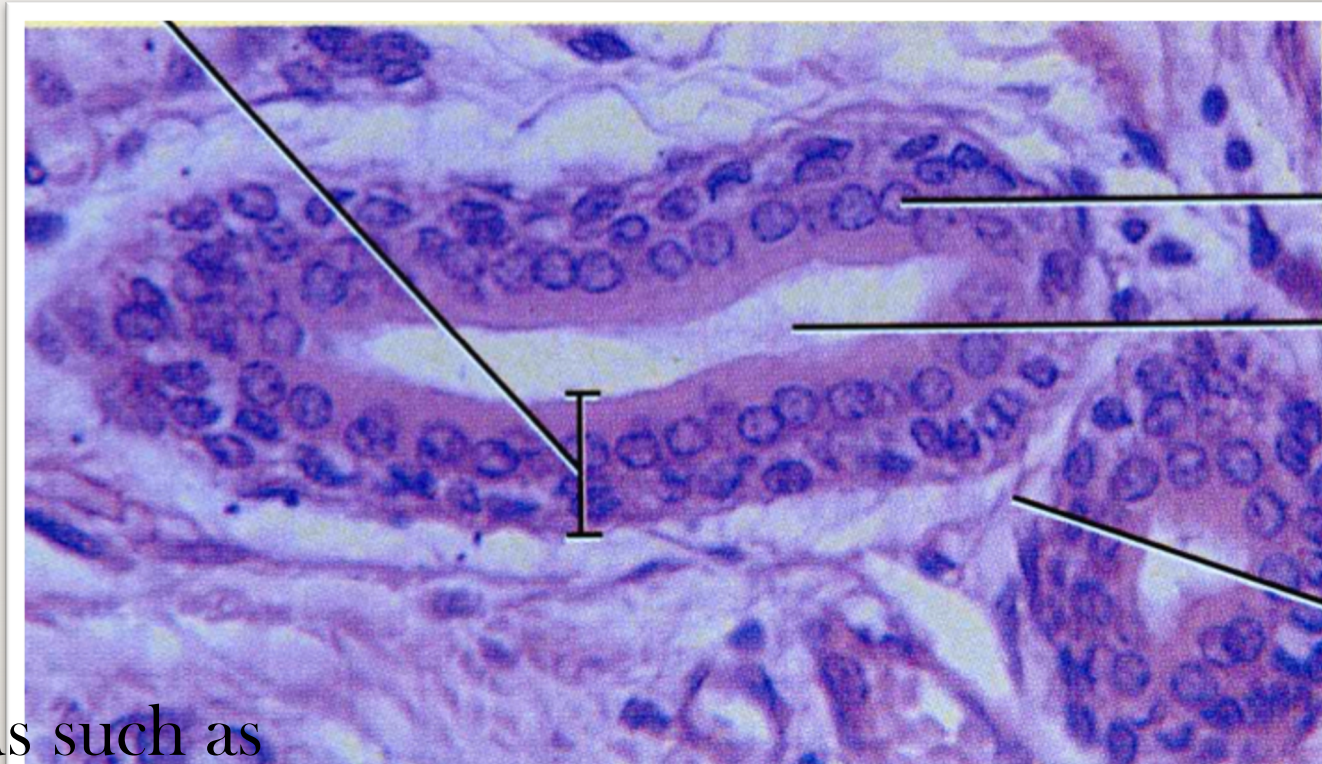


# STRATIFIED CUBOIDAL EPITHELIUM

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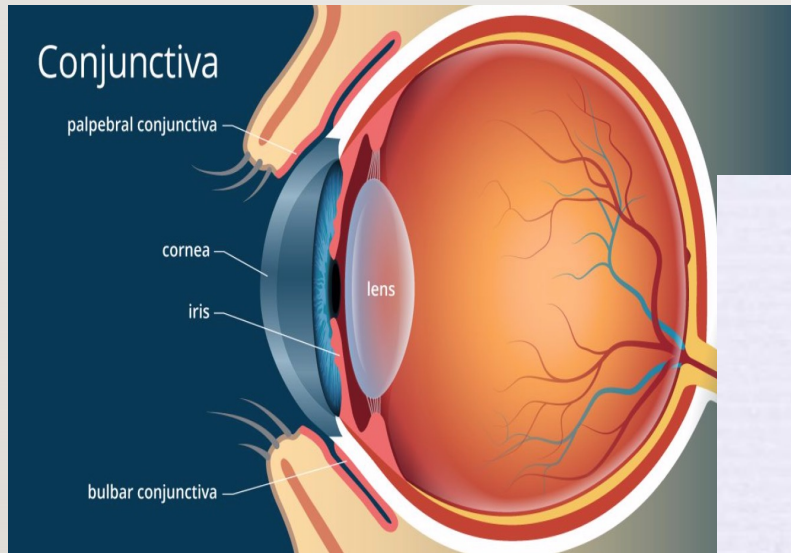
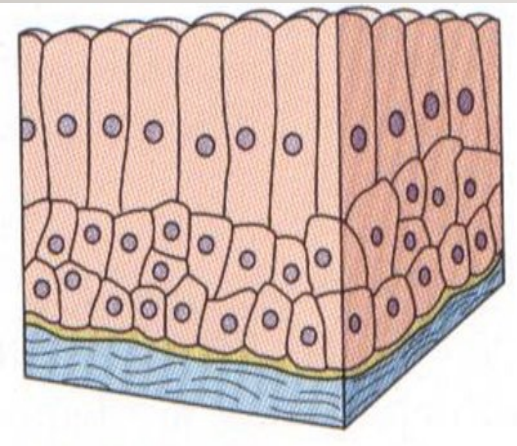
Cuboidal



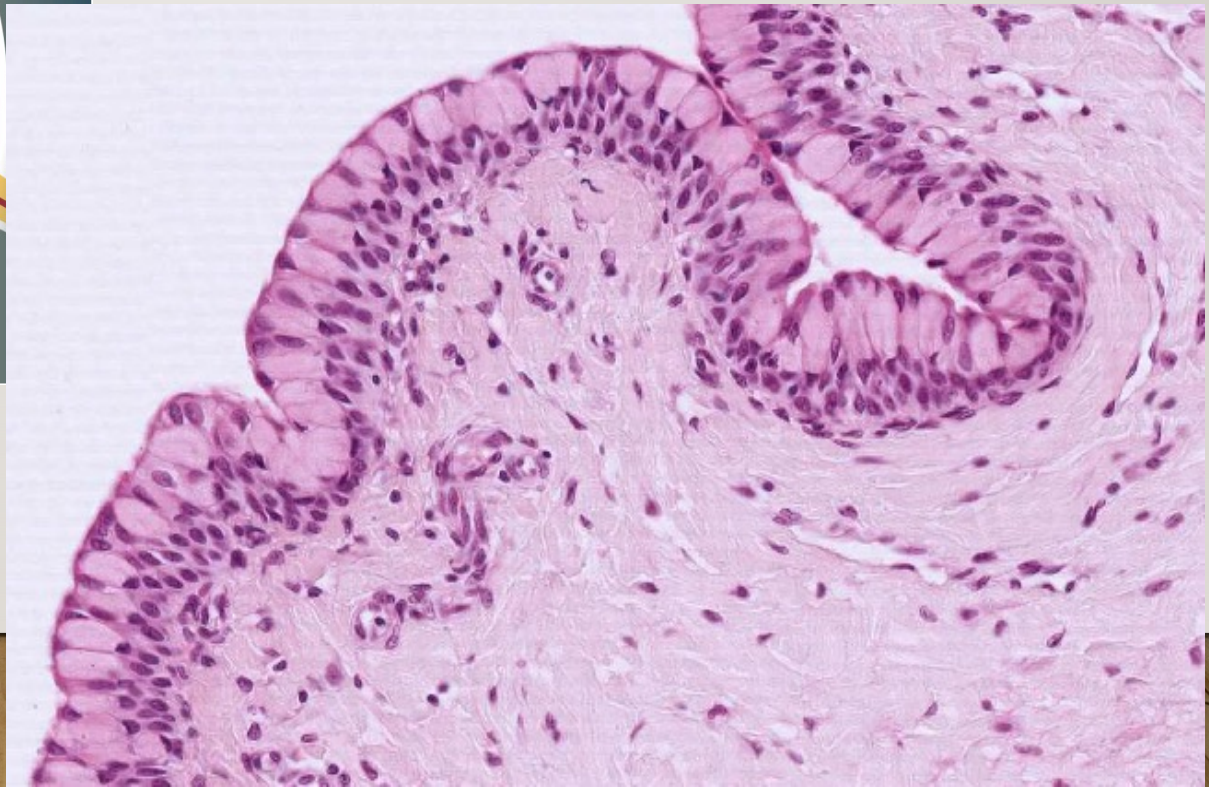
**Location :** Larger ducts of exocrine glands such as salivary glands



# STRATIFIED COLUMNAR EPITHELIUM



**Location\_:** Conjunctiva,  
large ducts





# TRANSITIONAL EPITHELIUM

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## Location

- Urinary tract (urinary bladder & ureters, urethra).

## Function

- Allows stretching (change size).
- Protection of inner tissues.





# TRANSITIONAL EPITHELIUM

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- A single layer of small basal cells resting on a very thin basement membrane,
- An intermediate region containing from one to several layers of cuboidal or low columnar cells, and
- A superficial layer of large bulbous or elliptical umbrella cells, sometimes binucleated, which are highly differentiated to protect the underlying cells against the potentially cytotoxic effects of hypertonic urine.

# SPECIALIZED APICAL STRUCTURES

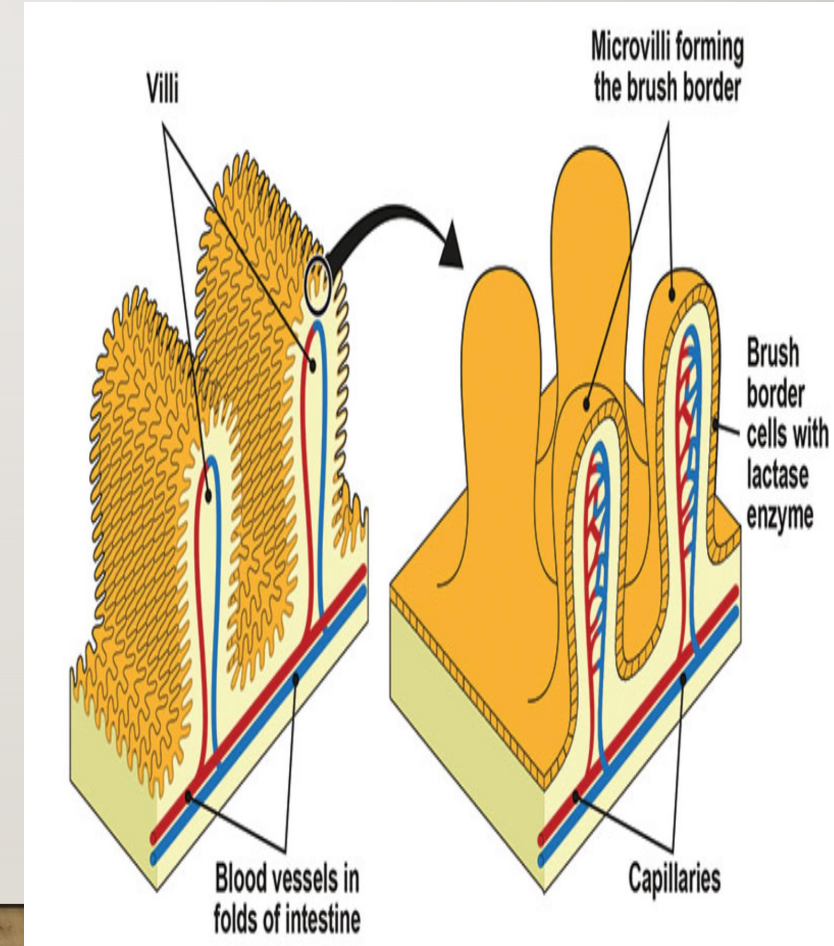
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- Microvilli
- Cilia
- Stereocilia

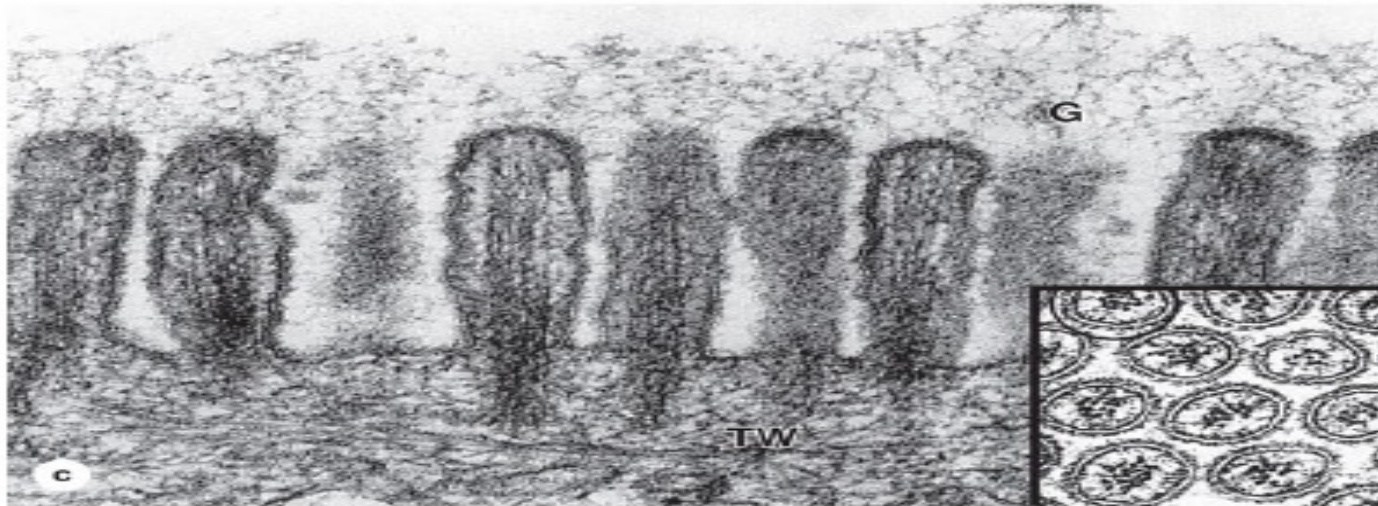
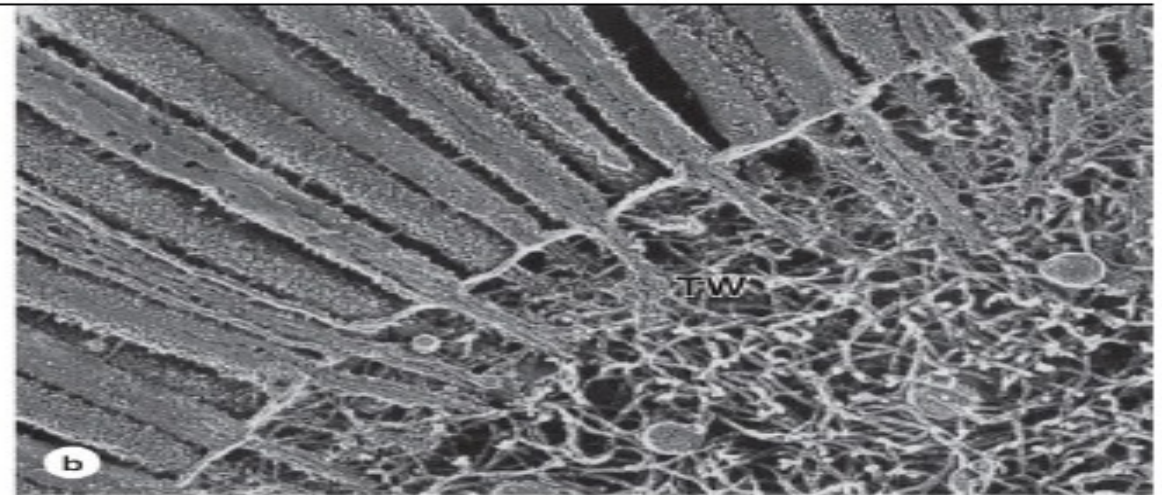
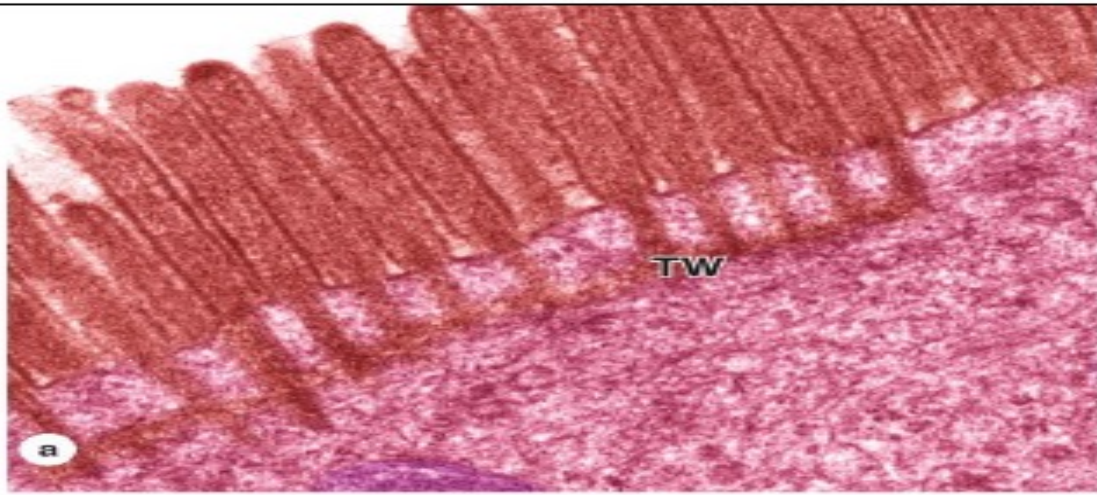


# Microvilli

- Finger-like extensions of plasma membrane of apical epithelial cell.
- Present mainly in **absorptive cells (columnar/cuboidal)**.
- Main function is the absorption of nutrients from intestines and glomerular filtrate:  
Striated border in the intestine.  
Brush border in the kidney).
- **Increase the surface area for absorption.**

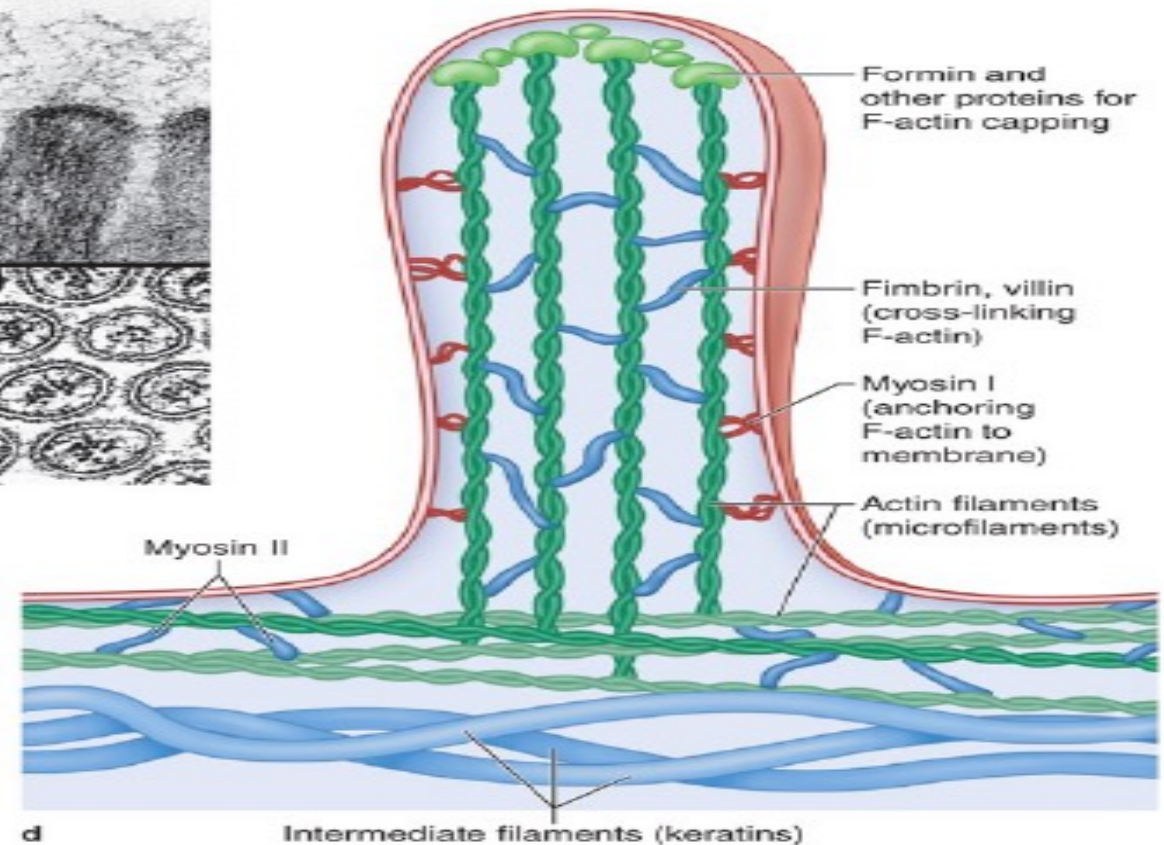






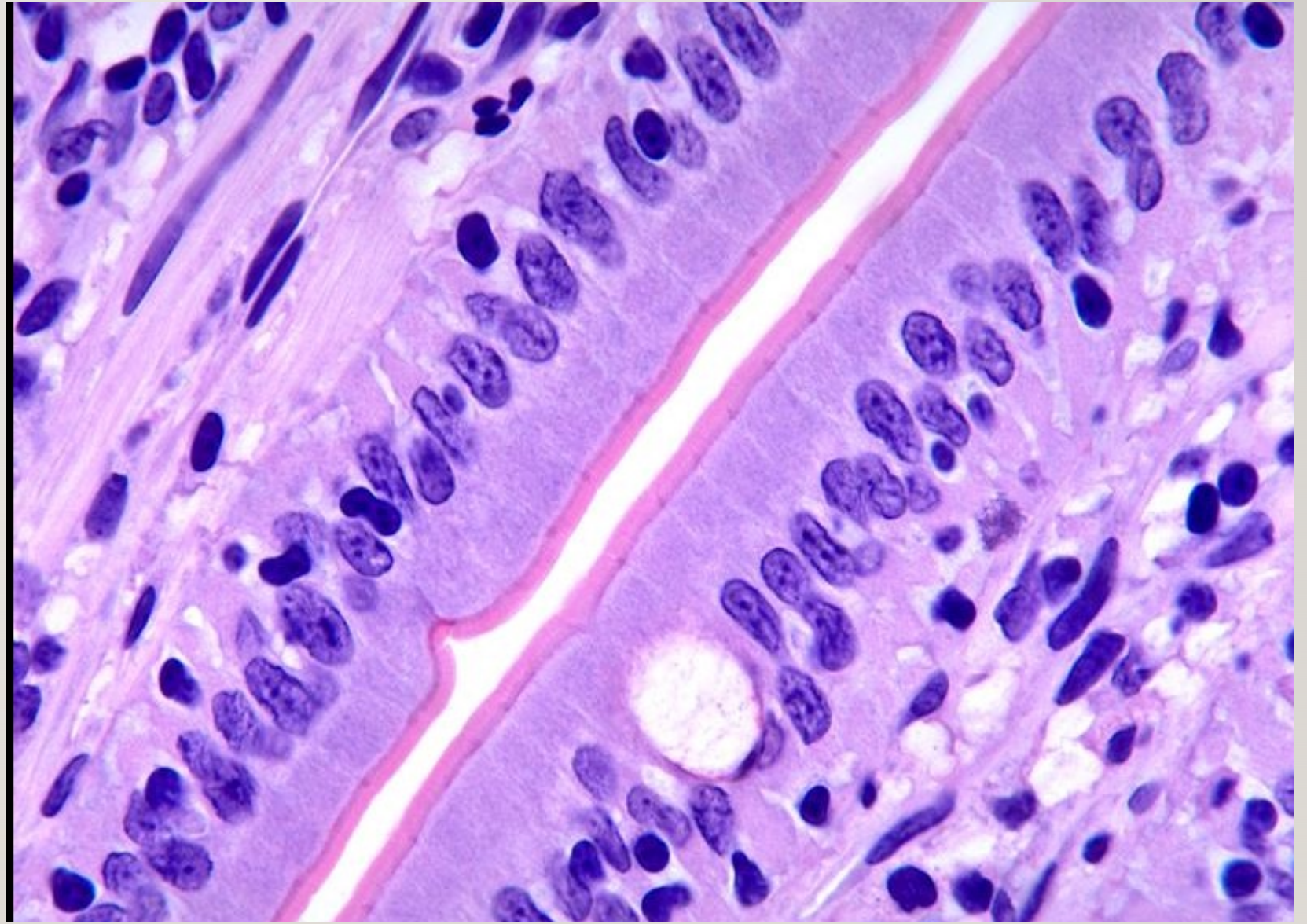
# MICROVILLI

- Increase surface area
- Absorption.





# Microvilli

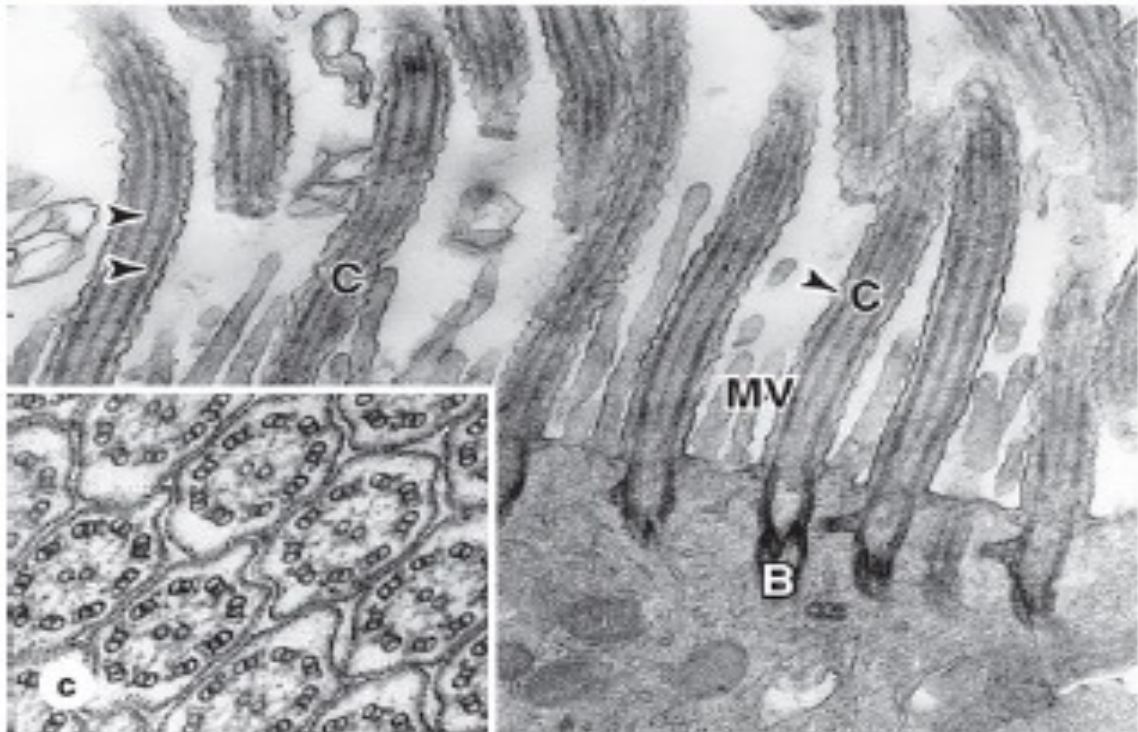
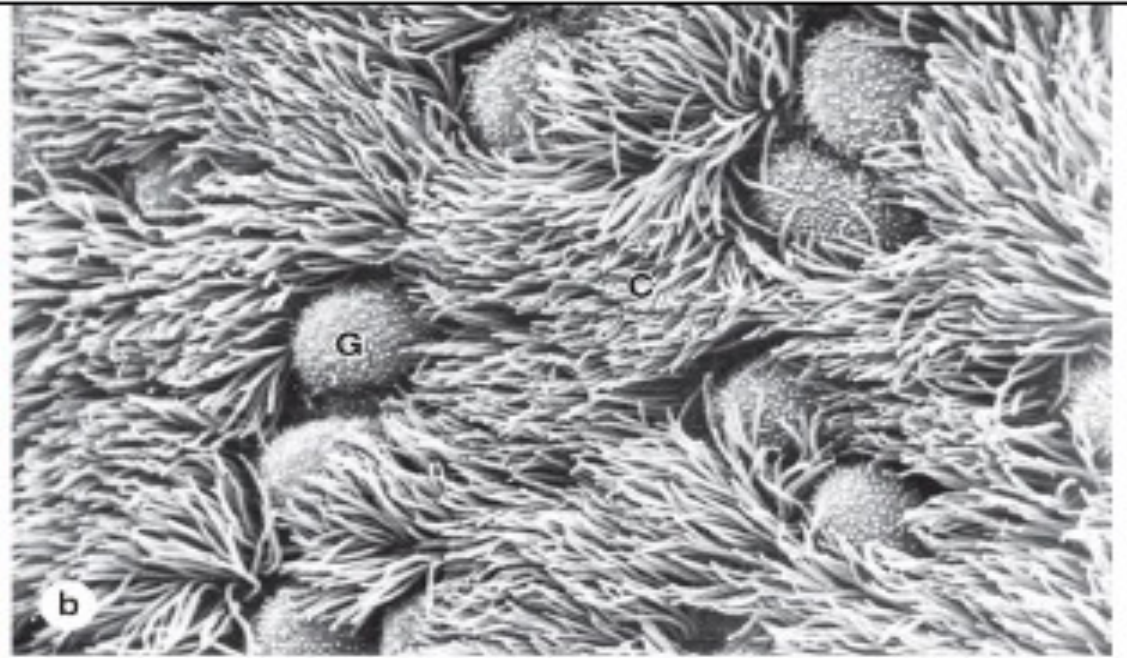
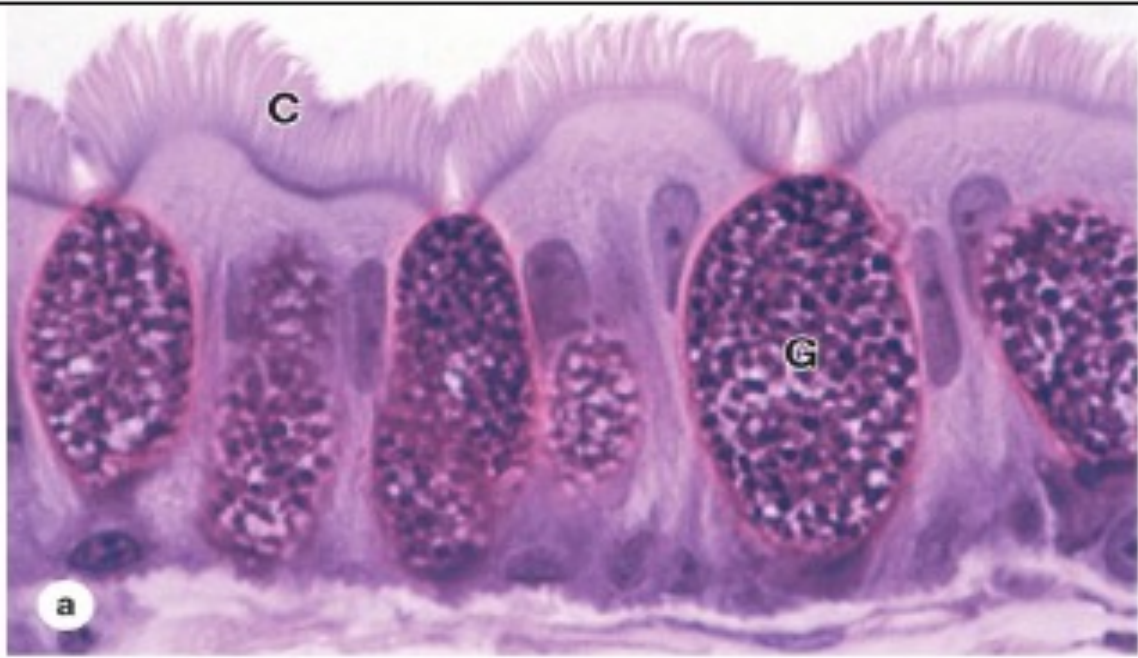


# CILIA

- Motile cytoplasmic hair like projections capable of moving fluid and particles along epithelial surfaces.
- Line cells in the respiratory organs, uterine tubes, and efferent ducts in testes.
- They move rhythmically and rapidly in one direction.



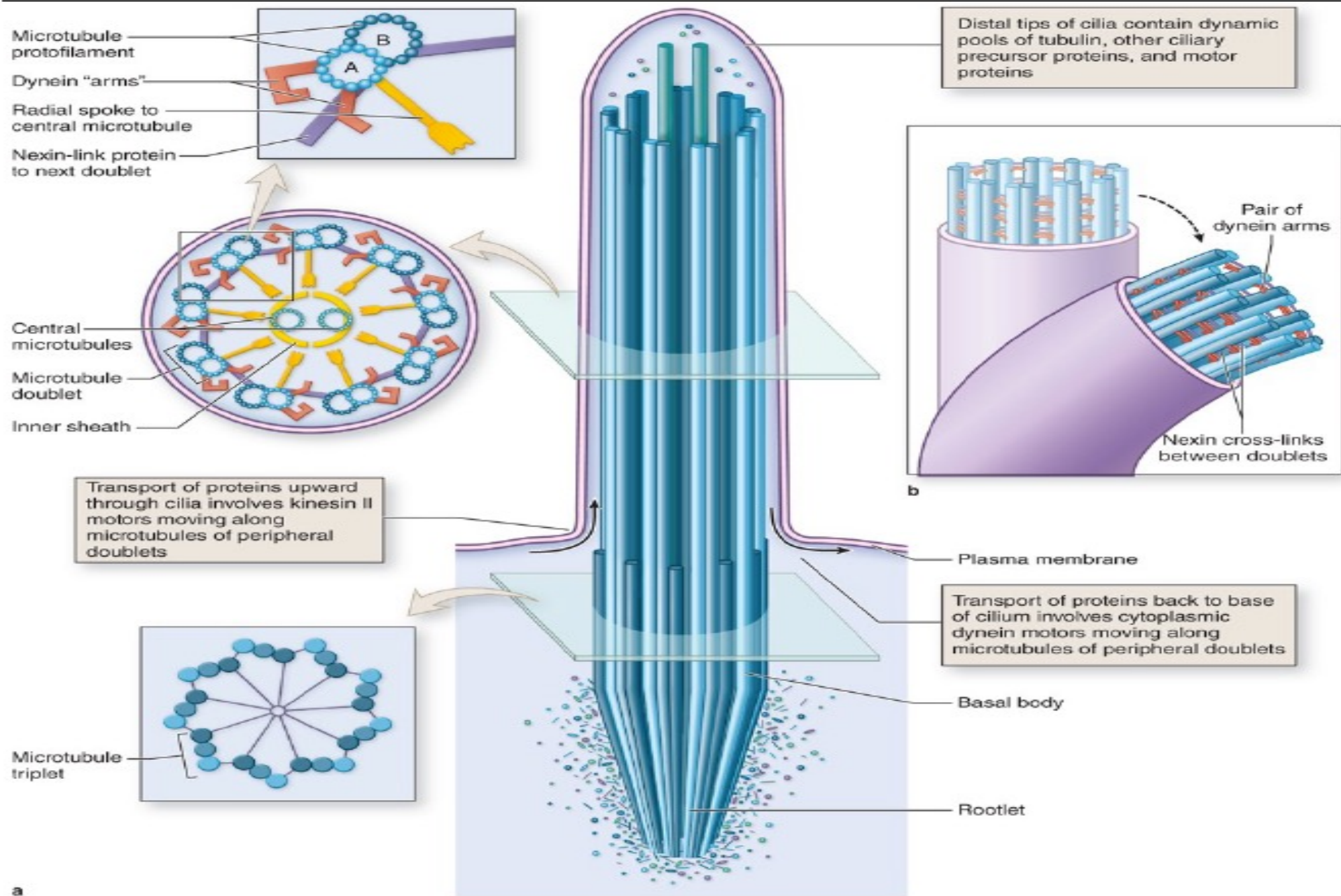




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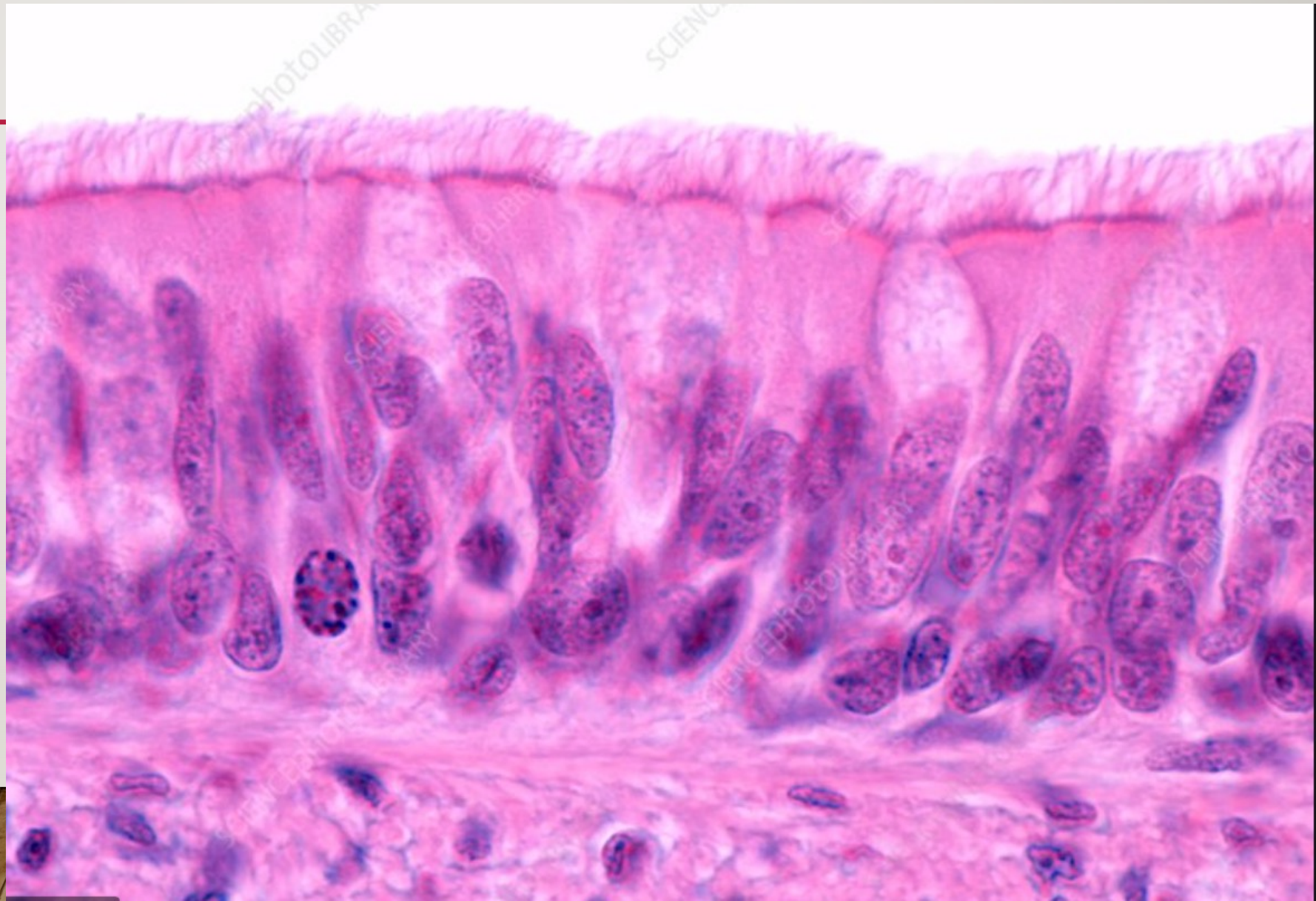
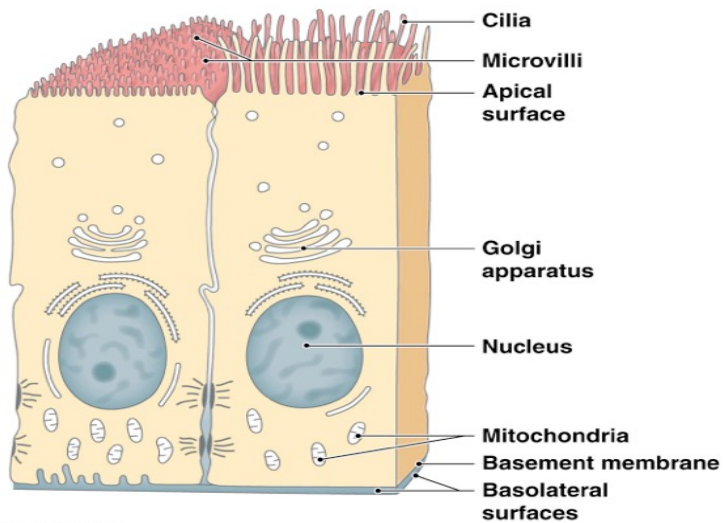


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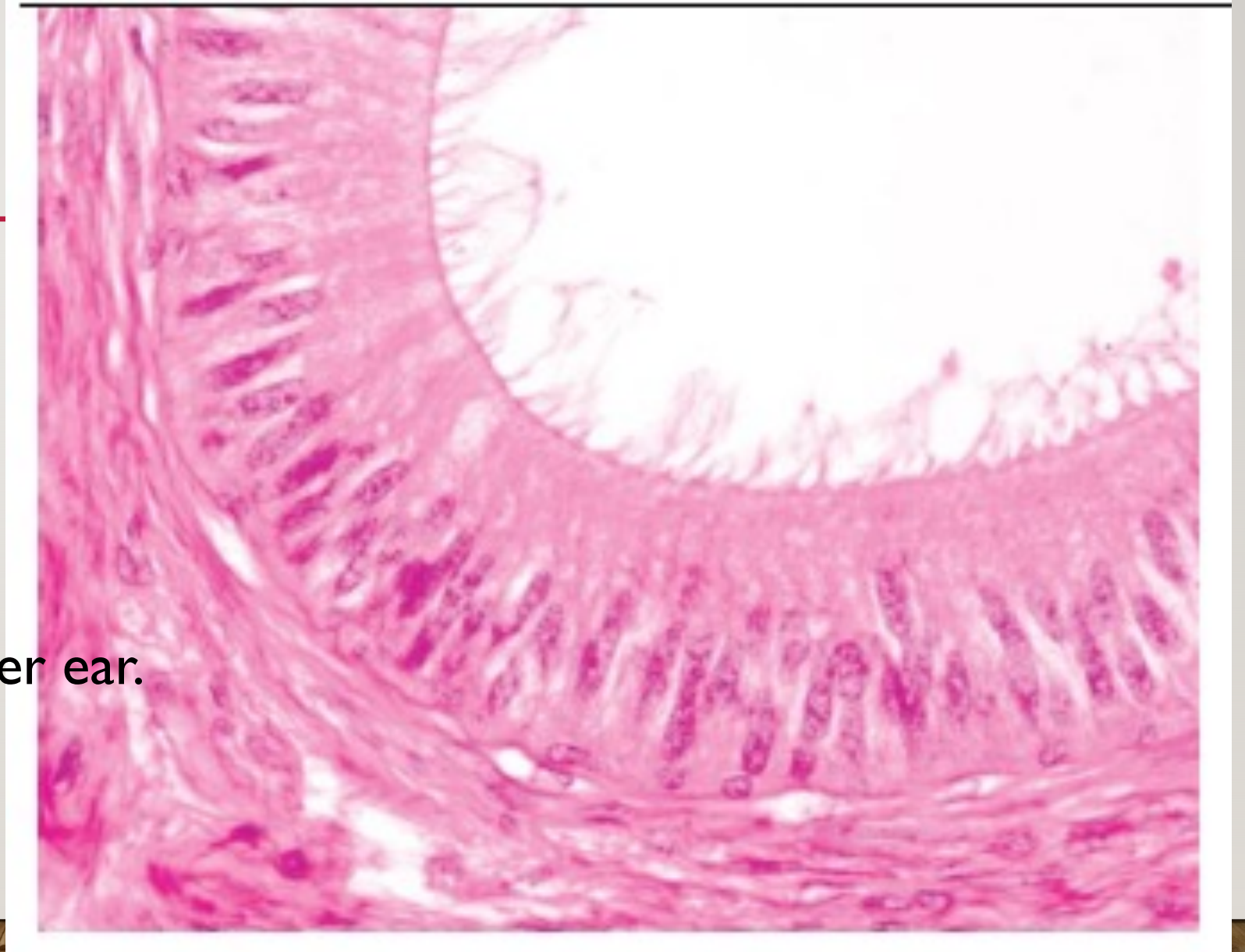


# CILIA



# STEREOCILLIA

- Increase surface area
- Absorption
- Branched and long.
- Motion detection.
- Male genital tract and inner ear.





# STEREOCILIA

