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Spinal Nerves ≈ Cranial Nerves

These are the neurology texts that describe the functional relationship between different CNs, and with spinal nerves

The Human Brain: An Introduction to its Functional Anatomy By John Nolte NORA 2006

Clinical Neuroanatomy By Stephen Waxman

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Cranial Nerves



List the 12 nerves

Cranial Nerves are grouped according to embryological and phylogenetic origins ≈ type of nerve fibers

Somatic Efferent: III, IV, VI, XII Branchial Efferent: V, VII, IX, X, XI Visceral Efferent: III, XII, IX, X Visceral Afferent: IX, X, (VII – taste) Somatic Afferent: V (VII, IX, X) Special Sensory: I, II, VIII

brain	1 2 8	5 7 9 10 11	3 4 6	3 4 6	5 7 9 10 11	1 2 8	
			12	12			
body			I N T R I N S I C	I N T R I N S I C			

Homologous column

Somatic Efferent III, IV, VI, XII

spinal nerves (Innervate intrinsic spinal muscles)



Functional Anatomy

What is wired together fires together

Neuronal connections are strengthening and remodeled by our experiences and movements • Video of young girl







Homologous column Branchial Efferent

V - Jaw muscles VII -Facial muscles IX- glossopharyngeal (visera) X- vagus (viscera) XI -Accessory

Can I eat it or can it eat me? (fight or flight)

A connection between the autonomic nervous system, gut, and jaw/neck tension



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CN XI Accessory Nerve Upper Trapezius

<u>Trigger Points</u> base of the skull behind the eye behind the ear temple

<u>Autonomic Concomitants</u> dizziness, vertigo



<u>Trigger Points</u> occiput around eye forehead behind and in ear

Autonomic and Proprioceptive Concomitants excessive lacrimation or rhinitis reddening of conjunctiva apparent "ptosis" sore throat cracking in ear spatial disorientation, ataxia syncope or Falling blurred or Double vision forehead sweating nausea



SCM muscle

CN XI

CN V Trigeminal Nerve Jaw Muscles

Trigger Points teeth jaw forehead ear sinuses face

Autonomic and Proprioceptive Concomitants unilateral tinnitus sinusitis

CN VII Facial Nerve

<u>Trigger Points</u> Face, including eye and nose

Autonomic and Proprioceptive Concomitants trouble with contrast jumpy print when reading



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Learning Points

cranial nerves ≈ intrinsic spinal nerve

Some cranial nerves are more closely related to each other than other cranial nerves

OM muscles ≈ intrinsic spinal muscles

Breakout Session References for Spine and Cranial Nerves

www.masgutovamethod.com

www.AnatBanielMethod.com

https://www.restoringbreathing.com

Anat Baniel TedX Berkeley

Accessing the Healing Power of the Vagus Nerve by Stanley Rosenberg





lateral rectus m.

inferior oblique m.



Rotatores Brevis & Longus Intertransversarii Interspinalis Short Rotator

















Changing the Way the ground talks to the person



Breakout Session References

Interestingly, these are all programs that use developmental and reflex models to addressing the management of neuromusculoskeletal conditions. www.rehabps.com www.AnatBanielMethod.com www.masgutovamethod.com http://phillipbeach.com



Somatosensory vs Proprioception

Meissner's corpusclesMerkel's discsRuffini endingsPacinian corpusclesFree nerve endingsMuscle spindlesGolgi tendon organs



receptors in skin, muscle, bone, connective tissue, internal organs

There are no "Proprioceptors"

Proprioceptive information comes largely from mechanoreceptors in muscles and joints

Receptor information contributes to sense of position of self and body parts, and movement of body parts Areas that provide a disproportionately large amount of proprioceptive input





Why we are stiff

Trauma, and treatment, can disrupt proprioception



Breakout Session References

Therapeutic Tape and Courses

RockTape.com

Kinesiotaping.com



Breakout Session 1 midline reflexogenic systems

Extraocular muscle exercises and cervical motion Tongue exercises and cervical motion Posture and cervical motion Balance and cervical motion

Breakout Session 2 walking and transitional movements

Walking and standing upright at it's best centrated joints transitional movements falls risk and tweak risk sit to stand [stand to sit] supine to prone supine to standing

Breakout Session 3

position sense and kinesthetic awareness

Somatosensory:

skin/mm/bone/connective tissue/guts

therapeutic approaches

touch tape brush skin slide suction

Proprioception:

position sense kinesthetic awareness