

Q1. Explain Neurohumoral Transmission.
 ⇒ Neurohumoral transmission may be defined as transmission of nerve impulse across the synapses and neuromuscular junction by release of humoral (chemical) messenger.

Steps of Neurohumoral transmission: -

- ① Impulse Conduction
- ② Release of transmitter
- ③ Transmitter action on postjunctional membrane.
- ④ Postjunctional activity.
- ⑤ Termination of transmitter action.

i) Impulse Conduction: -

RMP (-70mv) is achieved by unequal distribution of ion (high permeability of K^+ & low permeability of Na^+) in extracellular fluid & cytosol.
 → stimulation of electrical impulse cause certain (rise in Na^+ conductance) → and depolarisation occurs.

(2) → And K^+ ion moves out towards their concentration gradient and repolarisation occurs.

→ The ionic distribution is normalized during refractory period by activation of $Na^+ - K^+$ pump.

→ And then action potential generate local circuit current which activate next excitable part of membrane and A.P propagated without decrement.

ii) Release of Transmitter :-

→ Neurotransmitter (both excitatory & inhibitory) are stored in presynaptic nerve ending within synaptic vesicles.

→ They are released by fusion of vesicular membrane through entry of Ca^{2+} which fluidized membrane and then all contents of vesicles are released in synaptic cleft by exocytosis.

~~iii) Transmission~~

iii) Transmitter action on post-junctional membrane :-

→ The release of N.T. binds with its specific receptor on post-junctional membrane and depending upon its nature induces excitatory post synaptic potential (EPSP) and inhibitory post synaptic potential (IPSP).

EPSP \rightarrow (\uparrow) se permeability of cation.
IPSP \rightarrow (\uparrow) se permeability of anion.

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(iv) Post-junctional activity :-

- \rightarrow A superthreshold EPSP generates a postjunctional action potential which results in
- nerve impulse (in neuron)
 - secretion (in gland)
 - contraction (in muscle)
- \rightarrow The IPSP stabilizes postjunctional membrane and depolarisation.

v.) Termination of transmitter action :-

- \rightarrow After binding with its specific receptor, the neurotransmitter is either locally degraded or is drawn back to parasympathetic neuron by specific transporter like
- NA transporter
 - dopamine
 - serotonin

Ans

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2. Define pharmacokinetics and its steps involved.

- Pharmacokinetics is derived from two greek word *pharmakon* means "drug" and *kinesis* means "movement".
- It is defined as the movement of drug in and alteration of drug by body.
- It includes the ADME with their relationship pharmacological or toxicological or therapeutic response in man & animals.
- In other word it is the study of what the body does to drug or fate of drug.
 - eg → Paracetamol → orally absorbed in 30-60 mint.
 - 25% bound to plasma protein and distributed throughout the body (volume of distribution ~ 1L/kg)
 - Metabolised through in liver
 - Excreted through urine

Steps

- ① Absorption: -
 - The main factor which relates to absorption of drug is route of administration.
 - Physiological consideration in absorption are blood flow, total surface area, time of arrival of drug and

time of drug at absorption site. (5)
→ other consideration for absorption are solubility, chemical stability & how soluble the drug.

(ii) Distribution:-

→ Drugs are distributed into major body fluid of plasma

→ specific tissue may take up certain drug.
eg → Iodine is taken up by thyroid gland.

→ It is affected by the extent that drug binds to plasma protein

→ Drug distribution is affected by barrier.
eg:- Placenta & BBB.

(iii) Biotransformation / Metabolism:-

→ It occurs mainly in liver & so called hepatic metabolism.

→ Drug metabolism is split into two phase in liver.

Example of Phase I → Oxidation
" Phase II → Conjugation

from

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(iii) Excretion :-

→ It includes renal stimulation elimination and fecal elimination.
→ Drug can also be eliminated from the body bile & removed in feces

Medicine of site of administration

1.) Absorption (uptake)

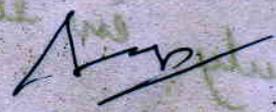
Medicine in plasma

2.) Distribution (medicine in tissue)

3.) Metabolism

Medicine and/or metabolite in urine, bile or faeces

4.) Excretion



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Q 3. Define Pharmacodynamics with example. (7)

→ It is derived from two greek word "pharmacos — drug" & "dynamis — power".

→ It is defined as the effect of drug on what the drug does to the body

eg:- Non-adrenaline raises Blood pressure

- ii) Adrenaline
- stimulation of cardiac muscle
 - hepatic glycogenolysis
 - hyperglycaemia & etc.

Q.4 Define Pharmacology:

→ It is defined as the study of drugs, their sources, nature and property.

→ It deals with exogenously administered chemical with living system.

→ Pharmacology is divided into two parts :-

- (i) Pharmacokinetics
 - (ii) Pharmacodynamics.
- Ans

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Q 5. What are Routes of administration
Give its examples.

Routes of administration

1) local

i) Topical
eg:- Cream powder
drop etc

ii) Deeper tissue
eg:- intra-articular
injection

iii) Arterial supply
eg:- anti-cancer
drugs.

2) systemic

i) GI T
a) oral :-
eg:- emulsion,
elixir,
mixture of syrup
etc

ii) Sublingual
route :-
eg:- Tablet

iii) Rectal :-
eg:- Ergotamine,
Dicyclanil
etc.

→ 2) Injection

i) IV

ii) IM

iii) SC

→ 3) Inhalation
eg:- Volatile
liquid.

→ 4) Nasal :-
eg:- OMRH agonist.

Q. Define General Anaesthesia: (9)

→ GAs are the drugs that have the ability to bring about a reversible loss of consciousness, immobility and muscle relaxation sleep amnesia (memory loss).

Classification

Inhalation

i) Gas: NO₂ Nitrous Oxide

ii) Volatile liquid:-
eg:- ether →
Dimethylether
Divinyl ether

(iii) Halogenated Hydrocarbon
eg:- Chloroform,
Halothane

(iv) Halogenated ether
eg:- Enflurane,
Isoflurane,
Desflurane.

Intravenous

(i) Inducing agent:-
eg:- Thiopentone sodium,
Methohexitone,
sodium propofol,
Etomidate.

(ii) slower acting agent:-
Benzodiazepines
eg:- Diazepam,
Midazolam.

(iii) opioid analgesia
Fentanyl.

(iv) Dissociative anaesthesia → ketamine

Q8.) Define Adverse drug reaction & its types :-

→ "Undesirable clinical manifestations".

→ A/c to WHO, it is results of undesirable or unintended consequences of drug administration

→ All drugs are able to produce adverse drug effect.

The effects may be trivial or some time fatal.

→ ADR's may developed promptly or only after prolonged medication or even after stoppage of drug.

Type of adverse drug Rxn's.

i) Side effect

ii) Secondary effect

iii) Toxic effect

iv) Idiosyncrasy

v) Intolerance

vi) Hypersensitivity
Drug allergy.

vii) Photosensitivity

viii) Drug dependence
or Drug addiction

ix) Drug withdrawal
syndrome

x) Teratogenicity

Mutagenicity or (carcinogenicity)

xii) Drug induced disease

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 others drug overdoses
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 consequences of drug administration
 of undesirable or unwanted
 A/c to WHO it is results

- i) Side effect
- ii) Secondary effect
- iii) Toxic effect
- iv) Adversely
- v) Intolerance
- vi) Type of adverse drug Rx
- vii) Dependence
- viii) Allergy
- ix) Hypersensitivity
- x) Drug interaction
- xi) Drug withdrawal
- xii) Tolerance