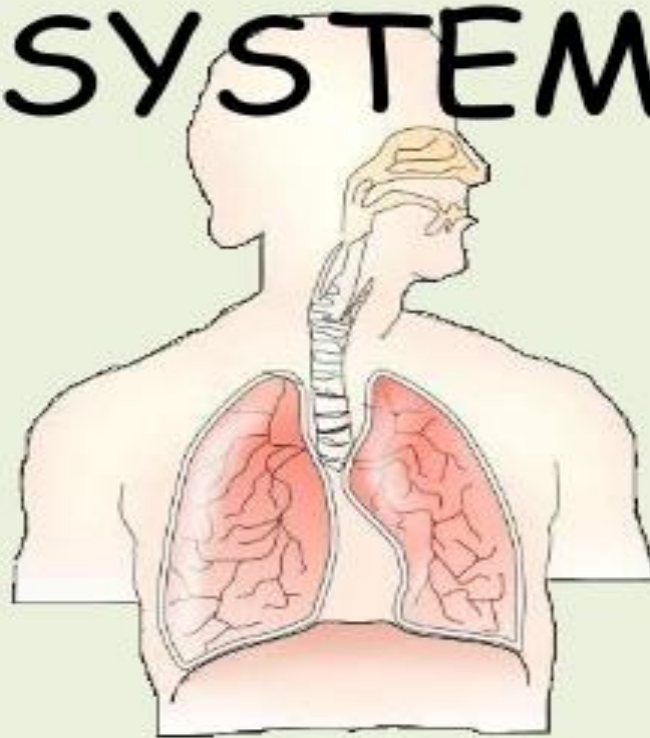




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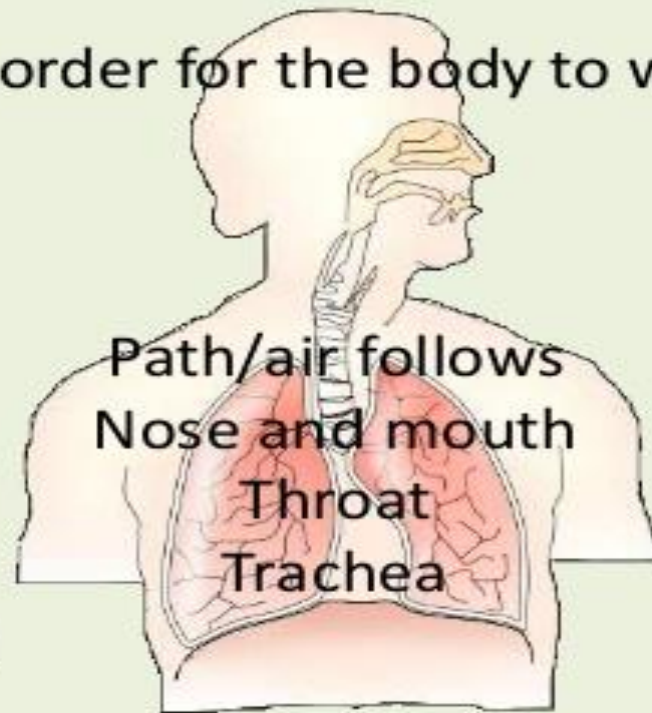
RESPIRATORY SYSTEM



Respiratory system

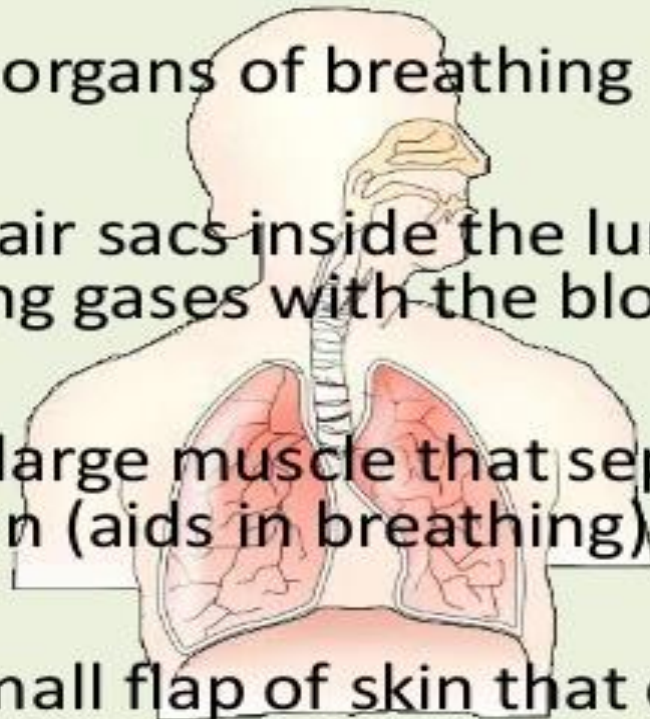
Changes gases in order for the body to work Properly

BREATHING:



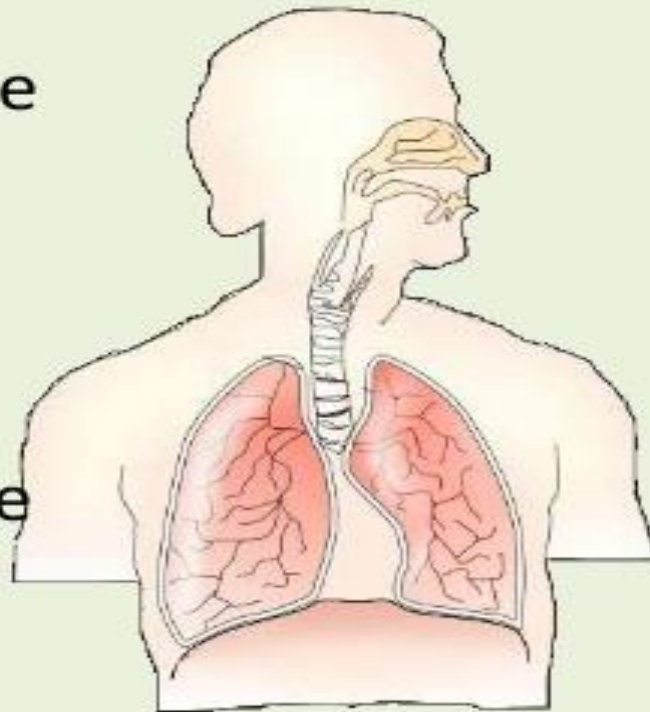
Respiratory system

- Lungs – main organs of breathing
- Alveoli – tiny air sacs inside the lungs that do the work of trading gases with the blood
- Diaphragm – large muscle that separates chest from abdomen (aids in breathing)
- Epiglottis – small flap of skin that covers trachea to keep food out



Care of the Respiratory system

- Do not smoke
- Exercise
- Good posture



Disorders of the Respiratory system

- Asthma – condition in which the bronchi swell and close up
- Bronchitis – swelling of the bronchi
- Emphysema – severe disease of the alveoli
- Pneumonia – infection of the lungs

