Today we will...

Learn about the male reproductive system.

By the end of class...

You will be able to explain the male reproductive system parts and functions.



Reproductive System

Function: to produce egg cells and nourish baby until birth.

That is why it is SOOO important to protect and take care of our reproductive systems. We control the future.

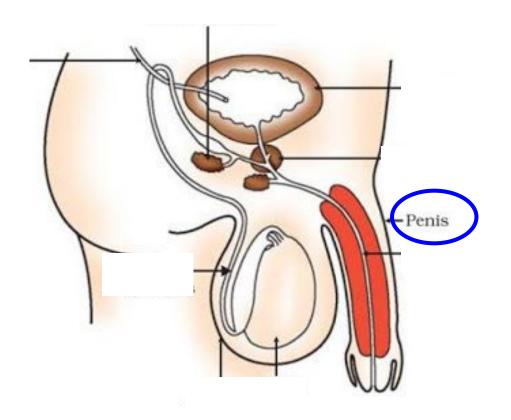
Male Reproductive System





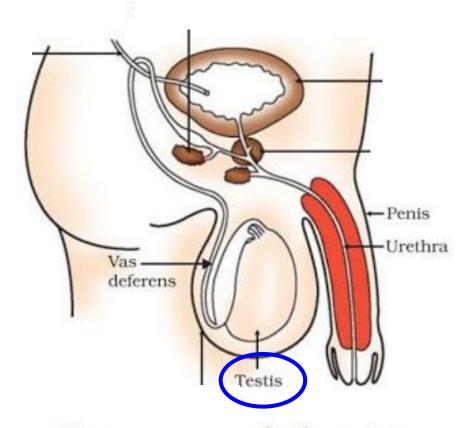
Penis

- Male reproductive organ



Testicle (Testes)

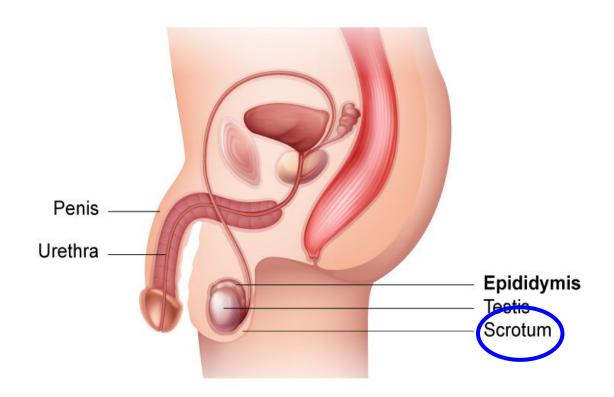
- This is where sperm (male sex cells) are created.
- Need to be at lower temperature than rest of body to develop healthy sperm.



Human-male reproductive system

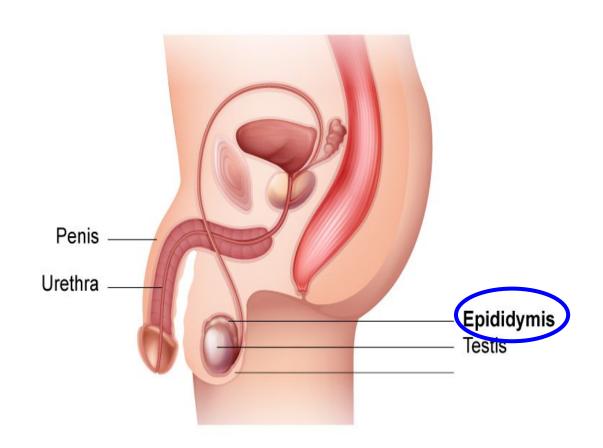
Scrotum

- Holds testes.



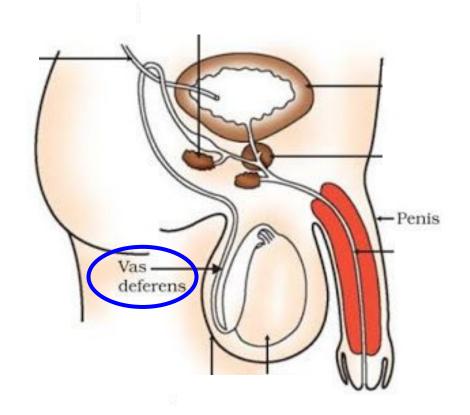
Epididymis

 Allows passing of sperm to vas deferens.



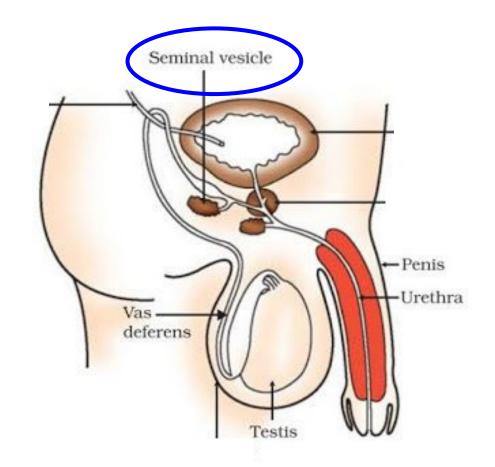
Vas Deferens

- Takes sperm (male sex cell) from testicle to urethra



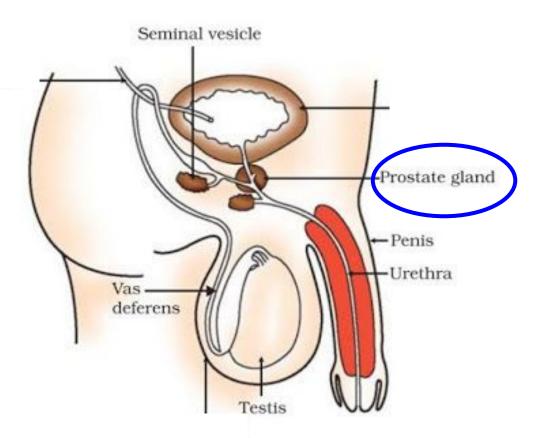
Seminal Vesicle

- Secretes components of semen.
- Opens into vas deferens.



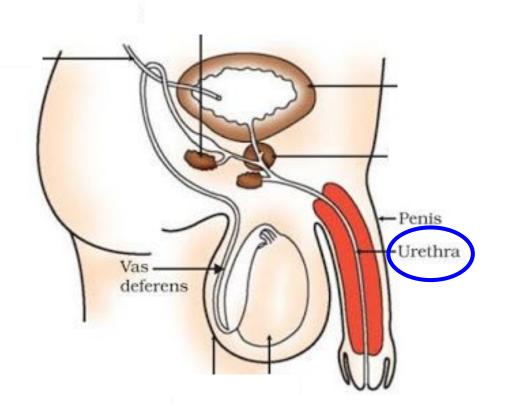
Prostate Gland

Releases fluid to create semen.



Urethra

- Transports urine and semen out of body.



Reproductive Health Terms

Epididymitis- inflamed epididymis

Circumcision- removal of foreskin (penis works the same)

Testicular Injury- pain, bruising, swelling

Testicular Torsion- twist of testicle

Testicular Cancer- self-examination helps with early detection

Nocturnal Emission ("Wet dream") - ejaculation during sleep due to rise in testosterone!



Journey of Sperm (use back of your notes page)

Starting with where sperm is produced...and ending with ejaculation, how does the sperm become semen and travel through the male reproductive system?

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