#### Sensory Receptors (page 146)

1. Who am I? Match each part of the sensory circuit with one of the descriptions that follow:

Analyzer	Receptor		
Conductor	Stimulus		
Nerve impulse	Processor		

- a) I am an integration centre that gathers information needed to make a decision. *Analyzer*
- b) I am information that travels like an electrical current and is transmitted from neuron to neuron. Nerve impulse
- c) I am an external agent that evokes a response bearing information.
   Stimulus
- d) I am a structure that can receive stimuli from outside the body, which means I can receive information. Receptor
- e) I am a structure that conveys information. *Conductor*
- f) I convert stimuli nerve impulses. *Processor*

## Anatomy of the Eye (pages 146 to 150)

**2.** Who am I? Who are we? Match each part of the eye with one of the descriptions that follow:

Eyelashes and	Vitreous
eyebrows	humour
Conjunctiva	Iris
Cornea	Choroid
Lens	Sclera
Lacrimal gland	Eyelid
Aqueous humour	Retina

- a) I am a structure in the eye that makes visual accommodation possible. *Lens*
- b) I am the first transparent membrane of the eye that light passes through. *Cornea*

- c) I am a transparent jelly that fills most of the eyeball and holds the retina in place. *Vitreous humour*
- d) I am a liquid on the surface of the lens that is constantly being replenished. Aqueous humour
- e) We prevent dust and sweat from falling into the eye. Eyelashes and eyebrows
- f) I am a coloured ring that controls the quantity of light reaching the retina. *Iris*
- g) I am a structure that secretes tears. Lacrimal gland
- *h)* I spread tears over the eye surface with my movements. *Eyelid*
- i) I am a membrane covered with light-receptor nerve cells. Retina
- *j)* I am a thick membrane that forms the white of the eye. *Sclera*
- *k)* I am the membrane of the eye that contains the most blood vessels. *Choroid*
- I am a transparent extension of the eyelid on the surface of the eye. Conjunctiva

## Physiology of the Eye (pages 150 to 154)

- **3.** List, in the correct order, the structures light passes through when it enters the eye. *Cornea, aqueous humour, lens, vitreous humour*
- **4.** Name the two causes of myopia. *Slightly elongated eyeball and overly curved lens*
- **5.** Name the two causes of hypermetropia. *Slightly shortened eyeball and insufficiently curved lens*
- **6.** Name the vision defect associated with aging. *Presbyopia*

7. Use the terms below to complete the sentences that follow:

In front of	Diverging
Converging	Hypermetropia
Behind	Myopia

- a) In myopia, the clear image is formed in front of the retina, and distant objects appear to be blurred.
   Diverging lenses are used to correct this defect.
- b) In hypermetropia, the clear image is formed behind the retina and nearby objects appear to be blurred. Converging lenses are used to correct this defect.

8. Fill in the following table:

Receptor organ	Stimulus	Processor	Signal	Conduc- tor	Analyzer
Eye	Light	Retina	Nerve impulse	Optic nerve	Visual area of the brain

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# Anatomy and Physiology of the Ear (pages 156 to 160)

- 1. Indicate whether each part belongs to the *outer ear*, *middle ear* or *inner ear*.
  - a) The three ossicles Middle ear
  - b) The pinna Outer ear
  - c) The cochlea Inner ear
  - d) The auditory canal Outer ear
  - e) The Eustachian tube Middle ear
  - f) The semicircular canals Inner ear
  - g) The eardrum Middle ear
  - h) The vestibule Inner ear
- **2.** Indicate which part of the ear matches each of the following descriptions:
  - a) I am a simple tube that conveys sound to the eardrum. *Auditory* canal
  - b) I am a channel that ends at the throat and balances air pressure on both sides of the eardrum.

    Eustachian tube
  - c) We are small bones that vibrate to the rhythm of sound. *Ossicles*

- d) I am a flexible membrane that vibrates. *Eardrum*
- e) I am made of folds of cartilage covered with skin and I capture sounds. *Pinna*
- f) I am a structure that carries auditory sensations to the brain. Auditory nerve
- g) We are rings that contain movement receptors. Semicircular canals
- h) I am shaped like a snail and I contain ciliary cells that turn sound into nerve impulses. *Cochlea*
- **3.** Name the structures in the ear that sound vibrations pass through, in order. *Pinna, auditory canal, eardrum, ossicles, vestibule, cochlea*
- **4.** Fill in the following table:

Receptor organ	Stimulus	Processor	Signal	Conduc- tor	Analyzer
Ear	Sound	Cochlea	Nerve impulse	Auditory nerve	Auditory area of the brain