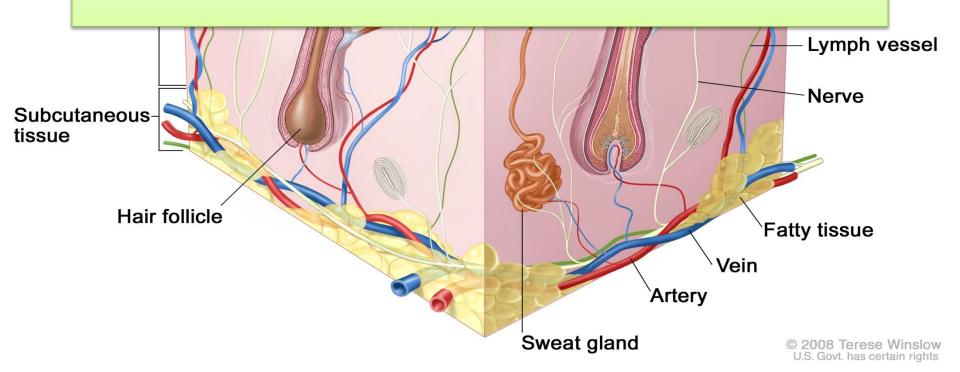
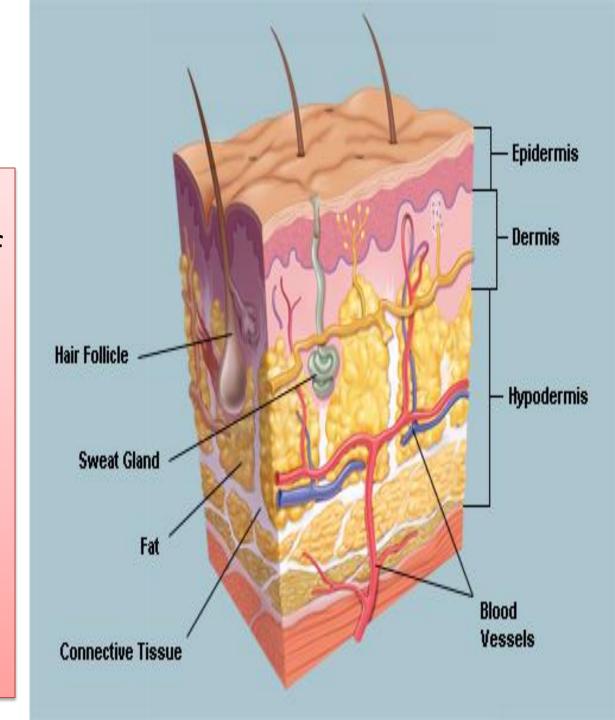


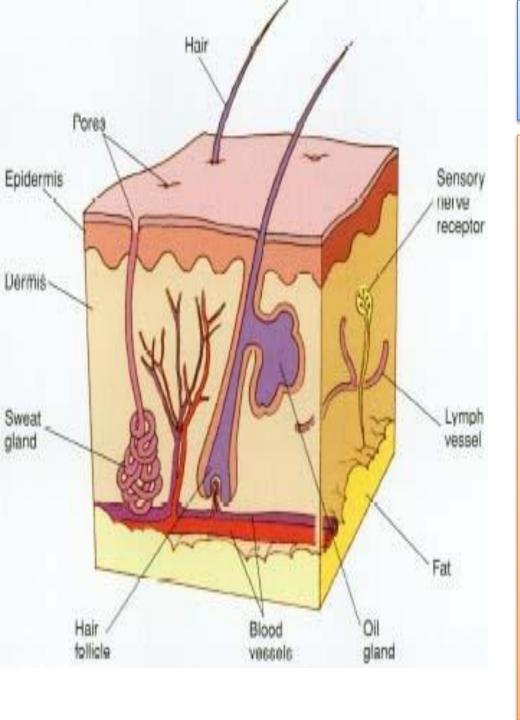
Human integumentary system (SKIN)



SKIN

- Humans have a skin composed of one or more layers
- The skin functions as a protective layer



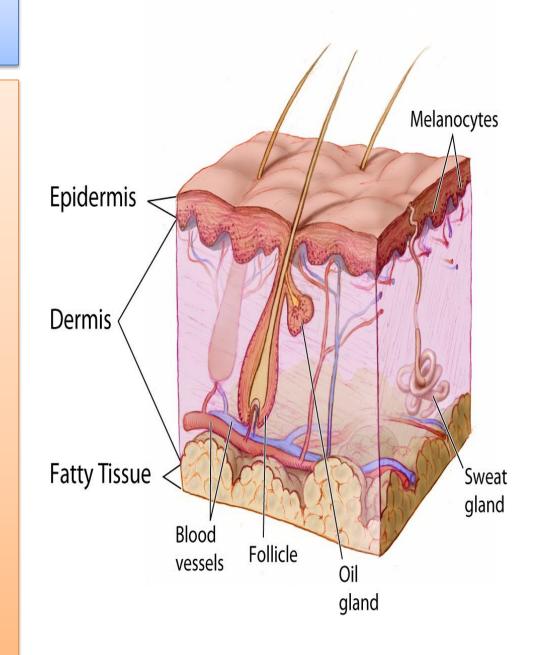


The functions of skin

- protection of the body from physical and chemical effects, ultraviolet, microbes
- prevention of water loss
- regulation of body temperature
- In <u>hot conditions</u>, capillaries in the skin dilate and radiate heat.
- The same capillaries constrict in <u>cold</u> <u>conditions</u> to prevent heat loss

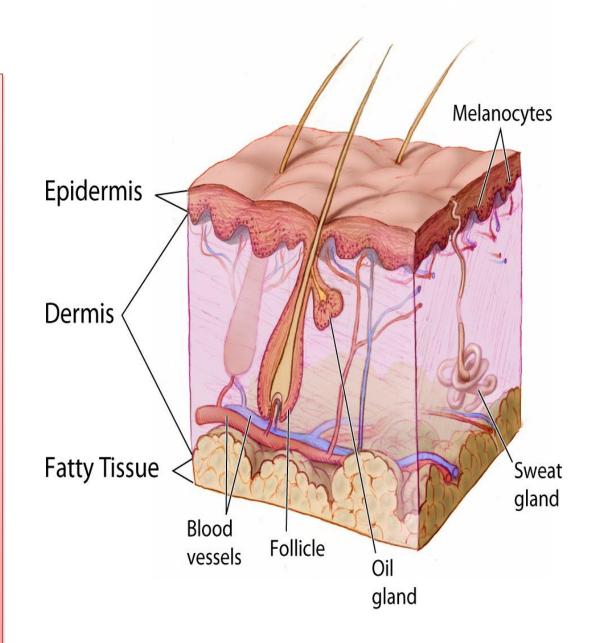
The functions of skin

- gas exchange
- sensory reception (temperature, pain, pressure and touch)
- excretion of metabolic wastes via sweat glands
- maintenance of a moist body surface
- secretion of fat
- absorption of some medicines



Layers of skin

- Skin is composed of two completely different layers:
- Epidermis –
 outermost layer
 of body
- Dermis



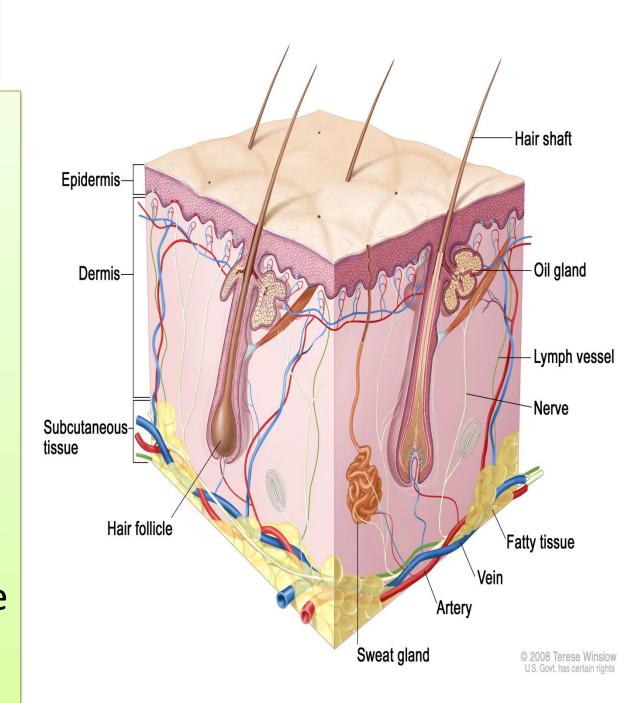
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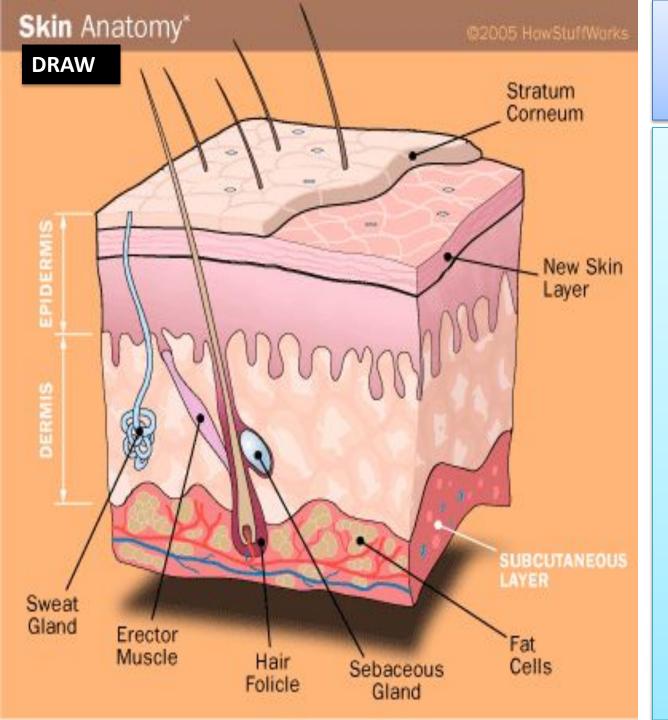
Epidermis

- It is composed of keratinized epithelial cells
- Do not contain blood vessels
- Upper section consists of non-living cells (contains protein *keratin*), about 0.7 mm
- This layer is shed over a period of time and is replaced by the dividing cells of the inner layer
- The color of the skin is conferred with melanin pigment

Dermis

- It consists of collagen and elastin proteins
- The dermis is rich in blood vessels and nerve endings
- The receptors located in the skin are connected to the nerve endings



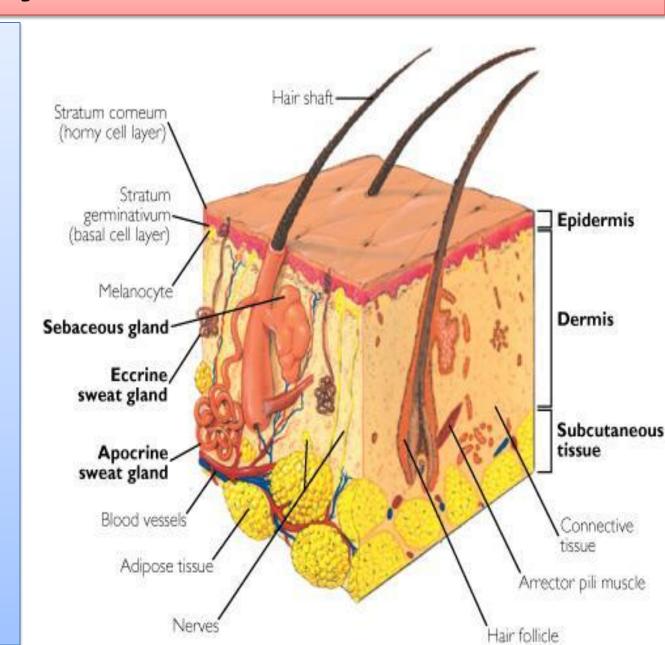


Dermis

• The dermis contains smooth muscles, sweat and sebaceous (oil) **glands**, hair follicles, touch receptors and lymph vessels

Accessory structures of the skin

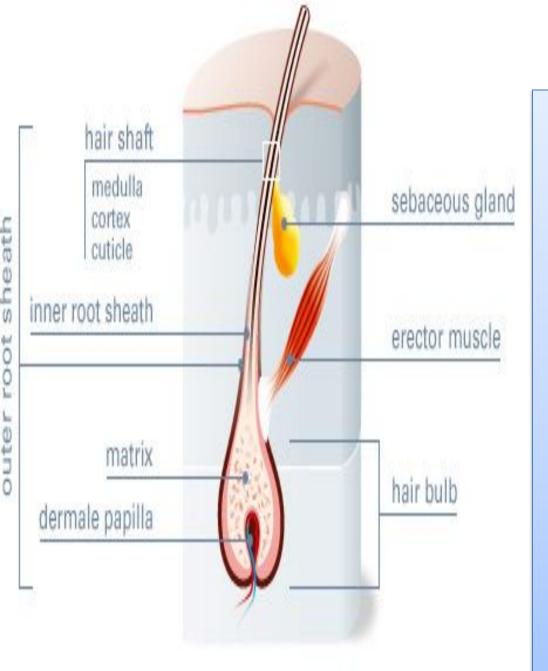
- The accessory organs are:
- Skin glands
- - Hair
- - Nails



Stratum comeum (horny cell layer) Stratum germinativum **Epidermis** (basal cell layer) Melanocyte **Dermis** Sebaceous gland-Eccrine/ sweat gland Subcutaneous Apocrine, tissue sweat gland Blood vessel Connective Adipose tissue Arrector pili muscle Hair follicle

Skin glands

- The skin includes two types of glands: sebaceous glands and sweat glands
- Sebaceous glands produce oily secretions in order to protect from microbes
- Mainly located near hair
- Not found on palm (ладонь) and sole (ступня)



Hair follicles

- The root of the hair in the dermis is termed the hair follicle, whereas the visible portion of it is termed the hair shaft
- Each hair follicle has a sebaceous gland (сальная железа) and smooth muscle
- Hair color is determined by pigment (melanin) produced by melanocytes located at the base of the hair follicle
- <u>Red color</u> is determined by pigment *trichosiderin*

Nails

- Each nail is composed of a nail plate (ногтевой пластины) and a nail bed (ногтевое ложе)
- The nail plate is a continuation of the epithelium of the skin
- The base of the plate resembles the shape of a half-moon and contains rapidly dividing epithelial cells
- After division, impregnation (пропитывание) with keratin forms a horny (роговой) structure

