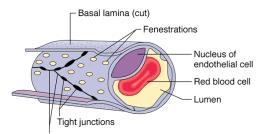
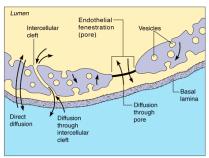
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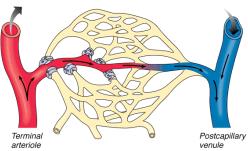
Intercellular clefts

(a)

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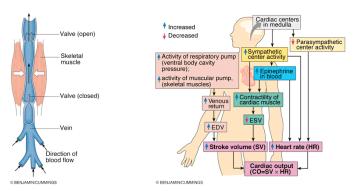


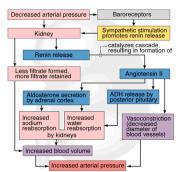
(b)



(b) Sphincters closed

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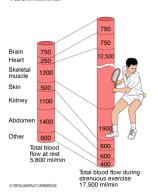


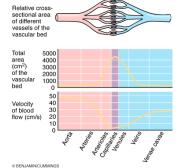


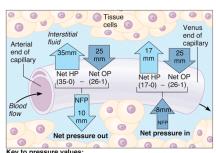
Diastolic pressure

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Key to pressure values: HP_c at arterial end = 35 mmHg HP_g = 0 mmHg HP_c at venous end = 17 mmHg HP_c = 26 mmHg HP_c = 26 mmHg

