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Anatomy and Physiology II Lab, Summer C 2014
1) The structure in the brain that serves as the respiratory center is called the
MEDULLA OBLONGATA
2) The muscles that receive impulses from the respiratory center (via the spinal cord) are called the
EXTERNAL INTERCOSTAL MUSCLES
3) Impulses traveling down the phrenic nerve stimulate the to contract. DIAPHRAM
4) Inspiration occurs when the air pressure within the thoracic cavity and lungs is less than/greater than <i>(choose one)</i> atmospheric pressure. LESS THAN
5) When carbon dioxide levels within the blood are high, the pH of blood becomes more acidic/basic (choose one). ACIDIC