

Personal Health Series Nervous System

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Quiz

Instructions: Answer each question.

1. Your ______ is the boss of your body and controls everything you do.

2. The nervous system is made up of the brain, spinal cord, and ______.

- 3. The spinal cord helps carry ______ back and forth between your body and brain.
- 4. How many nerves are in your body to send messages to brain and back?
 - a. millions
 - b. billions
- 5. What kinds of things are your brain and nervous system in charge of?
 - a. walking and running
 - b. thinking and talking
 - c. feeling and sleeping
 - d. breathing and growing
 - e. all of the above
- 6. How much does the average brain weigh?

7. A neuron is another name for a _____ cell.

8. Name one part of the brain and one of its functions:

9. Both the brain and spinal cord are protected by ______.

10. Name one function of cerebrospinal fluid: