

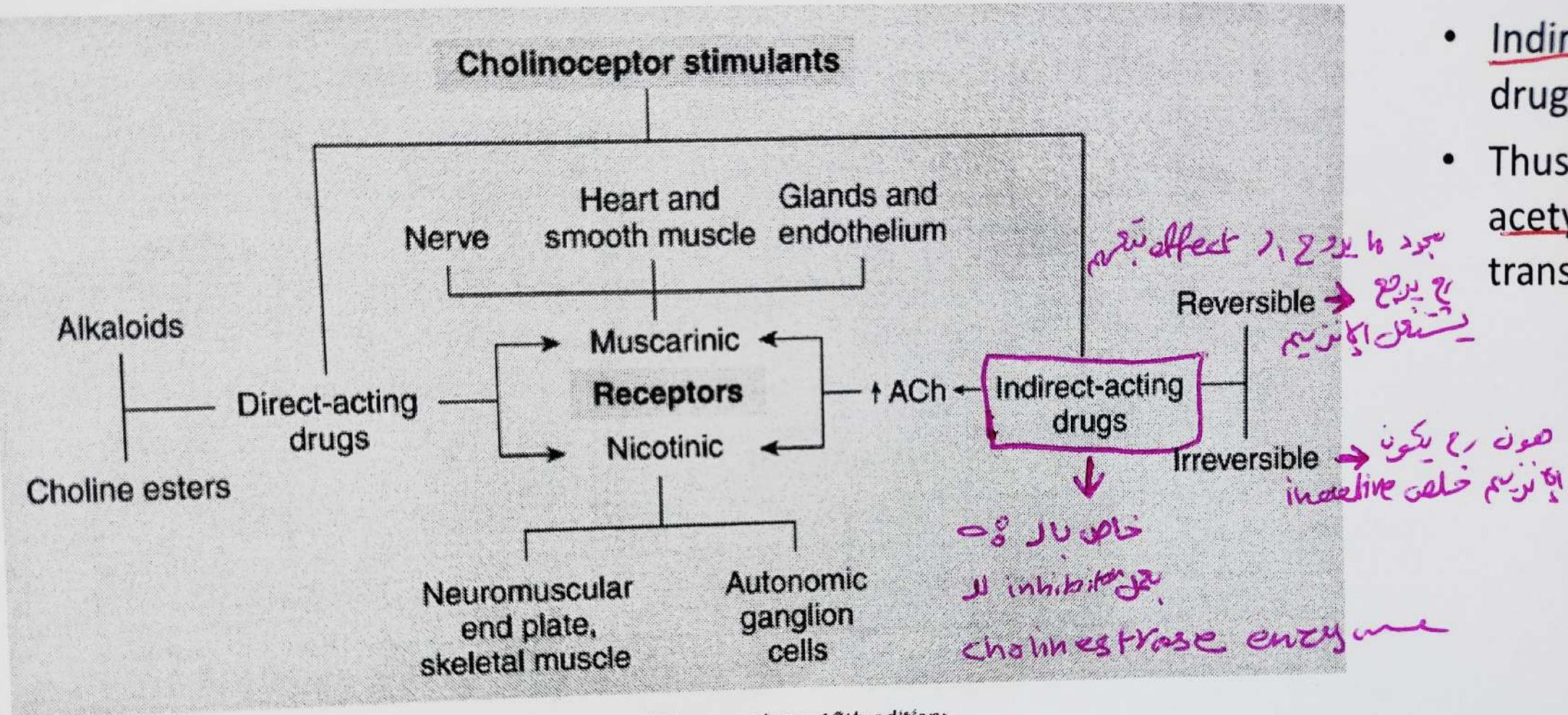


# Artery Academy

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# Indirect-acting Cholinomimetic Drugs

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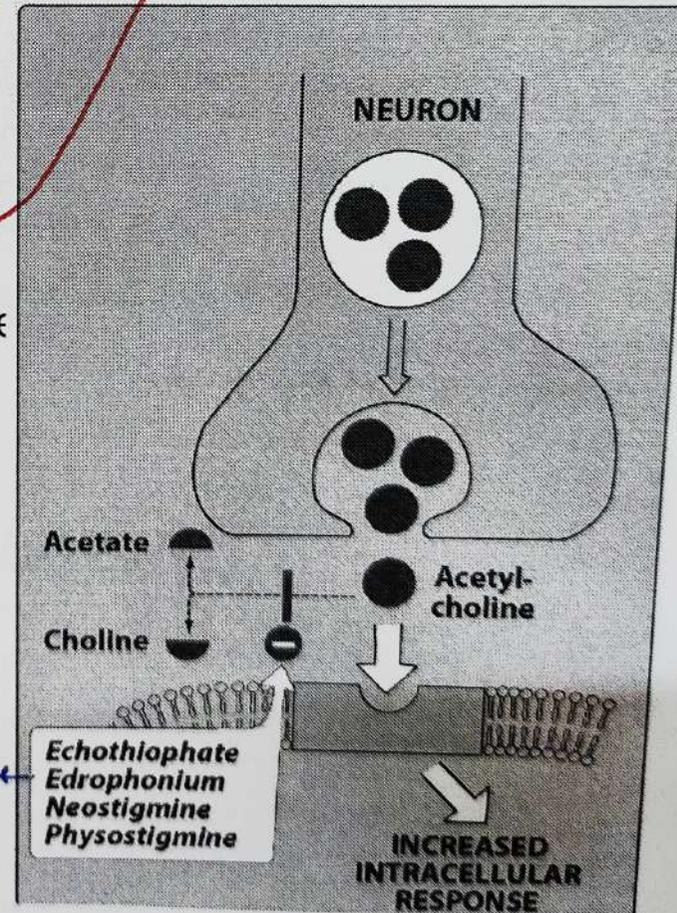
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های آدریج رح تحمل و amplifying در acetylcholine action  
 یعنی اینه اکسین کولین هون هو ای رح یستعمل و رح تدریج  
 سده و تدریجه بار Synaps ~~و~~ و من ما حکینا سابقاً اینه های  
 اکسین کولین امولوده بار Synaps رح رضن ترتیب بار effector و تدریج  
 اثرکستن تبعه

## 2) Indirect acting cholinomimetic drugs

نیشنل علی ایندیم لفسه (بترتیب علیه).

- Indirect acting cholinomimetics drugs inhibit acetylcholinesterase
- Thus, these drugs **amplify** acetylcholine effects wherever the transmitter is released.



fast acting +

## 2) Indirect acting cholinomimetic drugs

chemical duration → Classification  
دائمی در می افتد های الی و غیره

▶ The chief differences between members of this group are chemical and pharmacokinetic (their pharmacodynamic properties are almost identical)

▶ Based on their chemical structure:

- **Edrophonium** (short acting; minutes)  
Simple alcohol bearing a quaternary group.
- **Carbamates** (intermediate to long acting; hours)  
Carbamic acid esters.
- **Organophosphates** (very long acting; days)  
Phosphoric acid esters.

▶ The duration of action depends on how strongly these agents interact with cholinesterase.

بیمه کردید در duration بنا بر روی قوی ارتباط های در agents  
acetylcholinesterase ← که با کان در binding است. چون duration

های الی و غیره  
شکل الی گستر  
بعضی و نسبتاً  
عکس کیوان همان  
مستقیم است

## 2) Indirect acting cholinomimetic drugs

# Pharmacodynamics

## Mechanism of Action

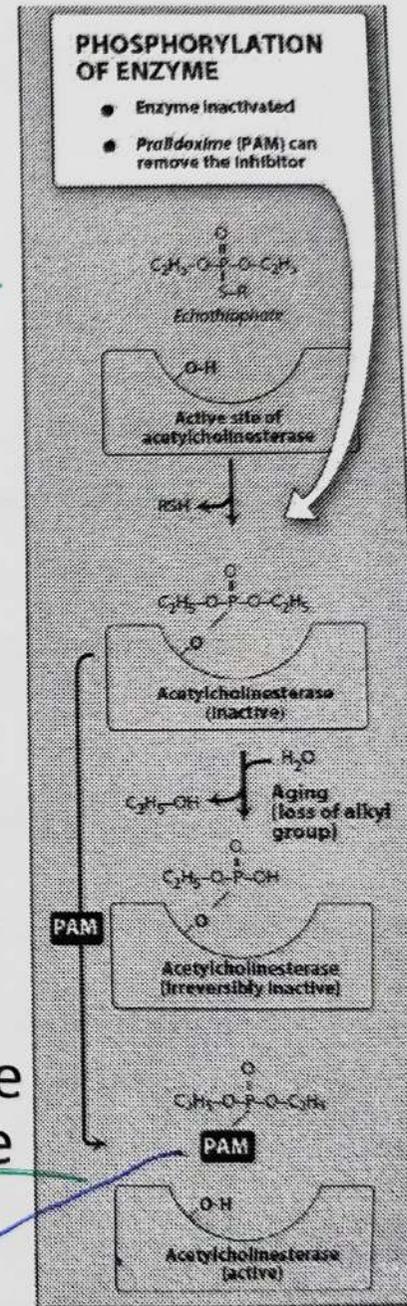
▶ Both carbamate and organophosphate bind to cholinesterase and undergo prompt hydrolysis. The alcohol portion of the molecule is then released. The acidic portion (carbamate ion or phosphate ion) is released much more slowly, preventing the binding and hydrolysis of endogenous acetylcholine. As a result, **these drugs amplify acetylcholine effects wherever the transmitter is released.**

• short duration is because of this

▶ Edrophonium, though not an ester, has sufficient affinity for the enzyme active site to similarly prevent access of acetylcholine for 5-15 min.

• PAM is not a substrate, active site

• active site linkage is broken



انزيم

حکينا سابقاً انه ابى سئل کولين استرین جباره

عن پروتین و حکينا هاي اب انزيمات انها ما

بتدخل بار reaction وانما فقط بجملوا

excitation or inhibition of reaction

موصول اب انزيمات يكون active site

يرتبط فيه substrate وان يصير active وبتدخل

تفاه على reaction .

هناك اب active site الموجود على ال اكتيسين کولين

المجد (OH group) وهاي اب OH بتلزم

ال اكتيسين کولين كى يرتبط فيه اب substrate

و يصير له Hydrolysis .

## 2) Indirect acting cholinomimetic drugs Edrophonium

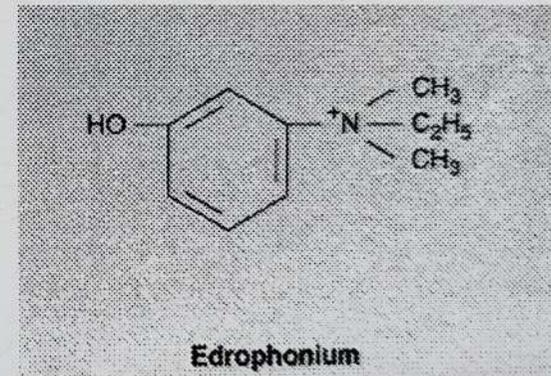
– **Edrophonium**

Simple alcohol bearing a quaternary group.

بجی کلی ر active site لل الإنزیم  
و منع ارتباط الأستین کولین و سلج

"inhibition"

absorption  
and  
distribution  
اقت



## 2) Indirect acting cholinomimetic drugs

### Carbamates

- Edrophonium
- Carbamates
  - Quaternary amines: neostigmine and pyridostigmine.
  - Tertiary amines: physostigmine and carbaryl.

absorption <sup>جيد</sup> of Tertiary and distribution  
Quaternary is <sup>ليس</sup>

Quaternary vs. tertiary ✓  
amines  
regarding  
absorption  
and  
distribution?



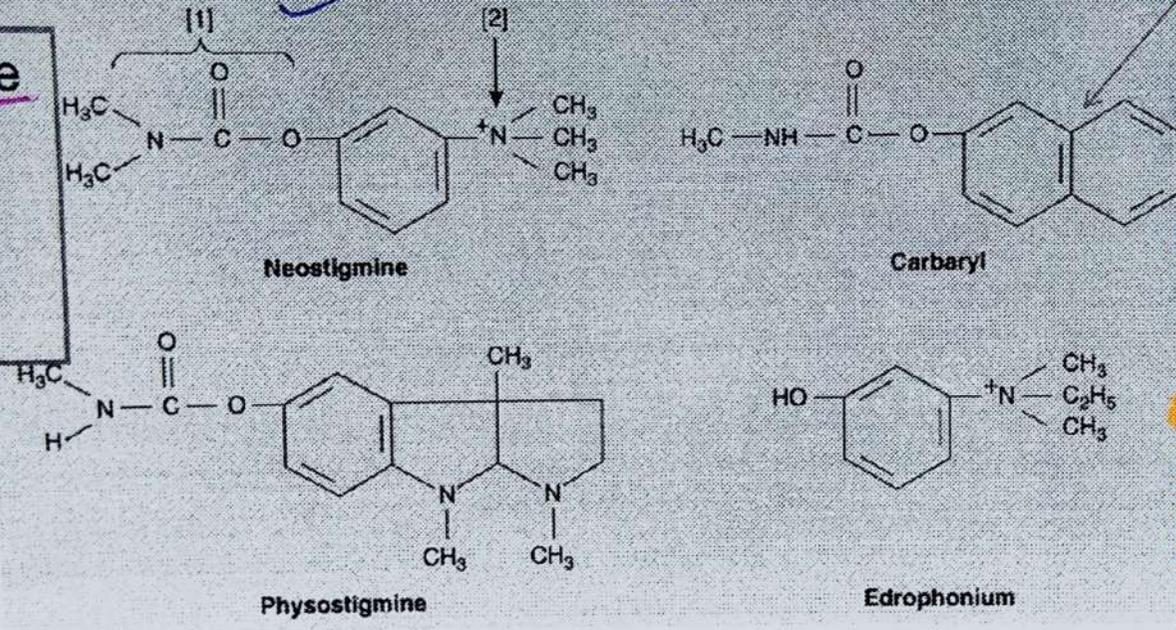
## 2) Indirect acting cholinomimetic drugs

### Carbamates

- Edrophonium
- Carbamates (Neostigmine, pyridostigmine, physostigmine and carbaryl) → (CNS) استعمال کے لیے ضعیف (CNS)

Carbaryl is a carbamate insecticides designed for very high lipid solubility, so that absorption into the insect and distribution to its central nervous system are very rapid.

• Neostigmine also has a direct nicotinic activity



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very high lipid soluble insecticides carbaryl CNS penetration بہت زیادہ

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## 2) Indirect acting cholinomimetic drugs

### Carbamates

Pharmacokinetics: → (neostigmine and pyridostigmine).

#### Quaternary carbamates and edrophonium:

- Absorption from the conjunctiva, skin, gut and lungs is predictably poor, since their permanent charge renders them relatively insoluble in lipids. Thus, much larger doses are required for oral administration than for parenteral injection.
- Distribution into the central nervous system is negligible.

هدوء، بمرور بين امتصاصهم في حاي الأماكن :-

conjunctiva, skin, gut, lungs

كثير قليل، ليس في بينهم insoluble in lipids

لهذا وقت العلاج oral يعطي جرعات جدا عالية مقارنة

Parenteral int.

## 2) Indirect acting cholinomimetic drugs

### Carbamates

- Pharmacokinetics:

- Physostigmine (tertiary amine)**, in contrast,

– is well absorbed from all sites and can be used topically in the eye.

– It is distributed into the central nervous system and is more toxic than the more polar quaternary carbamates.

*more absorbed and distribution in CNS and more toxic.*

• The duration of carbamates effect is determined chiefly by the stability of the inhibitor-enzyme complex, (not by metabolism or excretion.)

*ما يتأثر به بالmetabolism و excretion*

*وإنما يتأثر به stability of the inhibitor-enzyme complex.*

*skin, gut (.....)*

*well absorbed في هذا المكان*

*مقارنة بالquaternary بالسمية الخاصة في CNS distribution أعلى بار*

*تستخدمه لعلاج  
الذي الزرقا بالعين  
glaucoma*

*بنيته عن طريق*

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ماخوذ من اسٹیجیڈ  
کله حکیناه (٢١)

# ↳ Indirect acting cholinomimetic drugs

## Organophosphates (irreversible)

- Organophosphates are long-acting drugs; they form an extremely stable phosphate complex with the enzyme. After initial hydrolysis, the phosphoric acid residue is released over periods of days to weeks. Recovery is due in part to synthesis of new enzyme.

antidote رخصت  
for organo

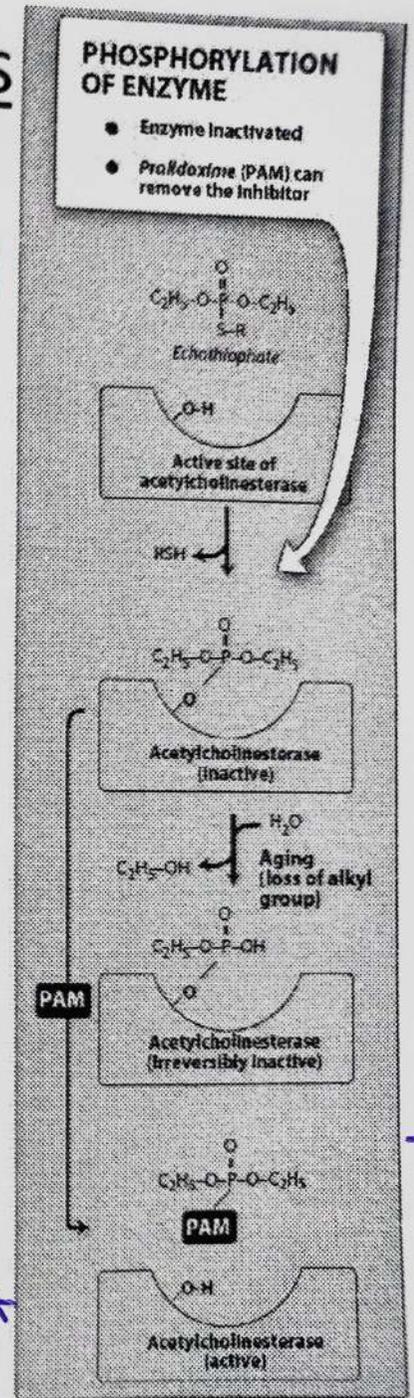
pralidoxime (2-PAM), if used before the aging process, is able to break the phosphorus-enzyme bond and can be used as "cholinesterase regenerator" drugs for organophosphate insecticide poisoning

re activation for acetylcholin esterase.

\* وجود ارتباط از organophosphate با آنزیم irreversible

\* اگر شخصه ای بتعرضه لده " مارح بصیرتیم recovery غیر نهایی

تاکونف با آنزیم جدید

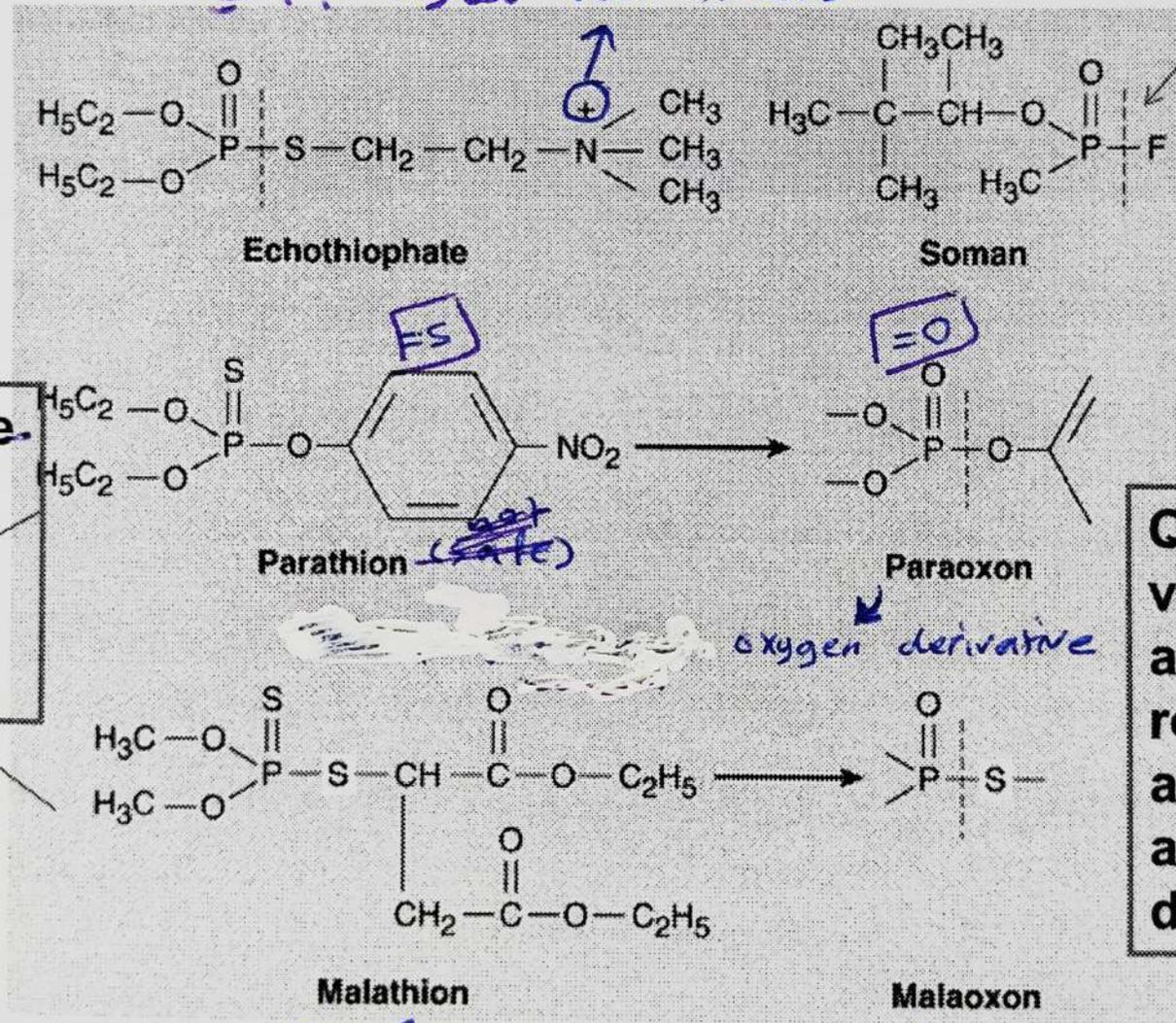


## 2) Indirect acting cholinomimetic drugs Organophosphates

Nerve gas

poor absorb مقارنه بالباقي

لثقله و عذوبه



thiophosphate (sulfur-containing phosphate) prodrugs

Quaternary vs. tertiary amines regarding absorption and distribution?

يعمل ما يصير لهم غير لها الاضطرار الى الكبد

oxygen derivative

oxygen derivatives

## 2) Indirect acting cholinomimetic drugs Organophosphates

- Pharmacokinetics:
- Organophosphates (except for echothiophate) are:
  - well absorbed from the skin, lung, gut, and conjunctiva—  
thereby making them dangerous to humans and highly effective as insecticides. Toxic for humans
- Echothiophate is <sup>①</sup> highly polar and <sup>②</sup> more stable than most <sup>③</sup> other organophosphates. When prepared in aqueous solution for ophthalmic use, it retains activity for weeks.

④ Poorly absorbed

## 2) Indirect acting cholinomimetic drugs

### Organophosphates

- Soman is an extremely potent "nerve gas."
- The thiophosphate insecticides (parathion, malathion, and related compounds) are:
  - quite lipid-soluble and are rapidly absorbed by all routes.
  - They are prodrugs that are inactive as such, they must be activated in the body by conversion to the oxygen analogs (malaoxon from malathion, paraoxon from parathion).

Prodrug بترکوب می شود thiophosphate insecticides له کیفی ار

active  
in the body

## 2) Indirect acting cholinomimetic drugs Organophosphates

▶ Malathion and a few other organophosphate insecticides are also rapidly metabolized by other pathways to inactive products in birds and mammals but not in insects; these agents are therefore considered safe enough for sale to the general public.

- Parathion is not detoxified effectively in vertebrates; thus, it is considerably more dangerous than malathion to humans and domestic animals and is not available for general public use in the USA.

\* Malathion → safe for general public use  
\* Parathion → more dangerous " " " "

• معایر السحابه حكيماها بيه ايه، لتفريخ

## 2) Indirect acting cholinomimetic drugs

### Organ system effects

- By inhibiting cholinesterase, indirect acting cholinomimetics cause an increase in the concentration, half-life, and actions of acetylcholine in synapses where acetylcholine is released physiologically. Therefore, the indirect agents have muscarinic or nicotinic effects depending on which organ system is under consideration.
- Cholinesterase inhibitors do not have significant actions at uninnervated sites where acetylcholine is not normally released (eg, vascular endothelial cells).

Indirect acting cholinomimetics



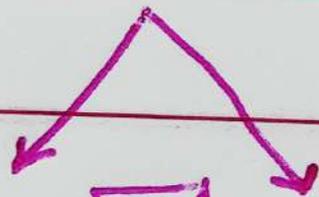
inhibiting cholinesterase



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muscarinic effect

or

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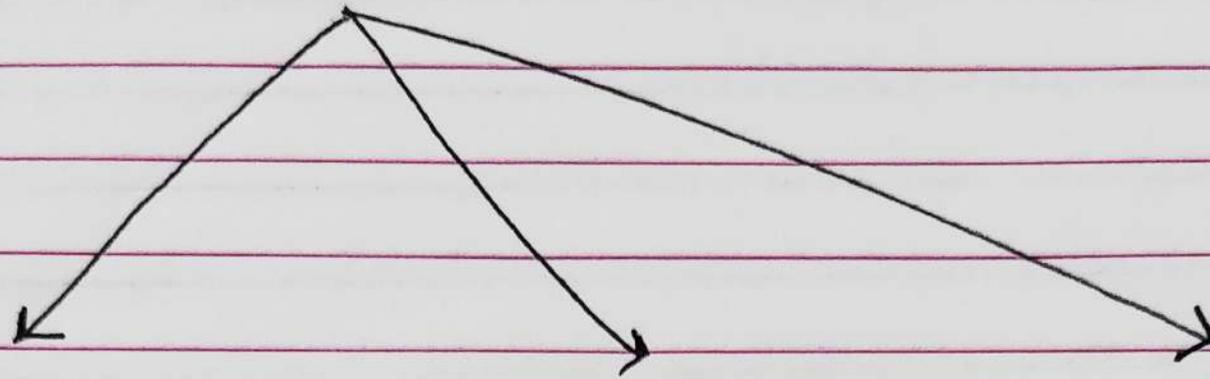
## 2) Indirect acting cholinomimetic drugs

### Organ system effects

- Major effects of cholinesterase inhibitors:
  1. Actions on the parasympathetic nervous system, may cause bradycardia, hypotension, hypersecretion, bronchoconstriction, GI tract hypermotility, and decrease intraocular pressure.
  2. Action on sympathetic nervous system may cause an increase in systemic vascular resistance and blood pressure
  3. Actions on the neuromuscular junction will result in prolonged muscle contraction.

عملت مخطط للسلايد يساعداكم بالحفظ

# Major effects of cholinesterase inhibitor 80



Parasympathetic

Nervous system



- bradycardia

- Hypotension

- Hypersecretion

- bronchoconstriction

- GI tract hypermotility

- decrease intraocular pressure.

Sympathetic

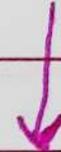
Nervous system



- increase in systemic vascular resistance and blood pressure.

Neuromuscular

Junction



- prolonged muscle contraction.

# Cholinomimetics Toxicity

سواء كانت  
direct or indirect

- **SLUDGE** syndrome:

→ syndrome معین  
که کلمه بتبشیر الی  
وإضافة عليهم حرف ال M

- Salivation
- Lacrimation
- Urination
- Defecation
- Gastrointestinal upset
- Emesis

- An extension is **SLUDGEM**, where the additional M indicates:

– Miosis: stimulation of the pupillary constrictor muscles

or

– Muscle spasm: stimulation of skeletal muscle.



# Clinical pharmacology of cholinomimetics

1. Glaucoma
2. Myasthenia gravis
3. Urinary retention
4. Sjogren's syndrome

سوجرين

رج فكي عنقه  
بالقنصل

# المياه الزرقاء

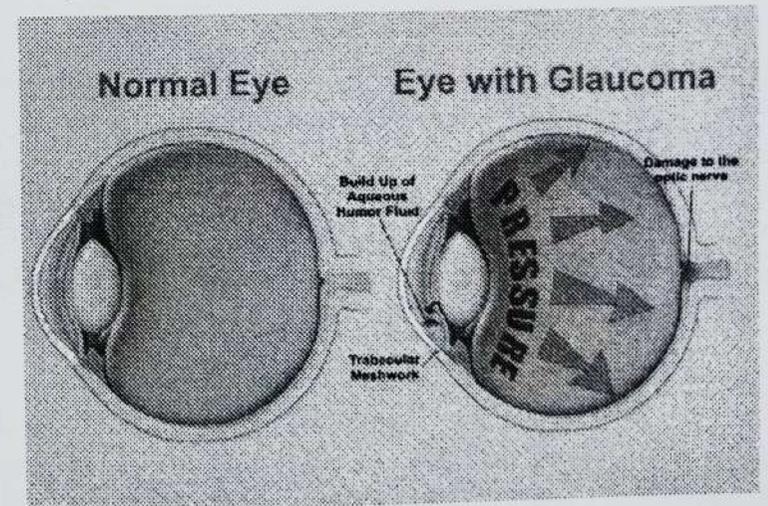
## 1. Glaucoma

- It is a group of ocular disorders united by a clinically characteristic increase in intraocular pressure (increase in fluid pressure in the eye (aqueous humor)).
- Cholinomimetics work by contracting of the ciliary muscle and increasing the outflow of the aqueous humor.
- In the past, glaucoma was treated with either direct agonists (pilocarpine, methacholine, carbachol) or cholinesterase inhibitors (physostigmine).
- For chronic glaucoma, these drugs have been largely replaced by prostaglandin derivatives and topical  $\beta$  blockers.

سببها

دور الـ cholinomimetics

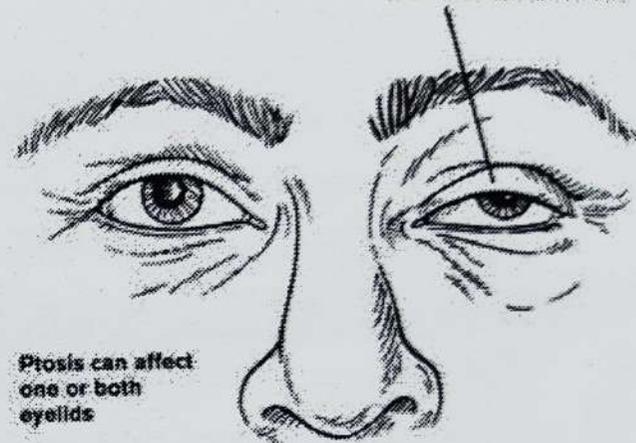
العلاج بين الكاين والكاين



① في الوقت الحالي  
استخدموا للعلاج  
② لأنه هائي أدوية استخدموها مستخدمين  
العلاج (الكاين) يمكن يعمل علاجاً

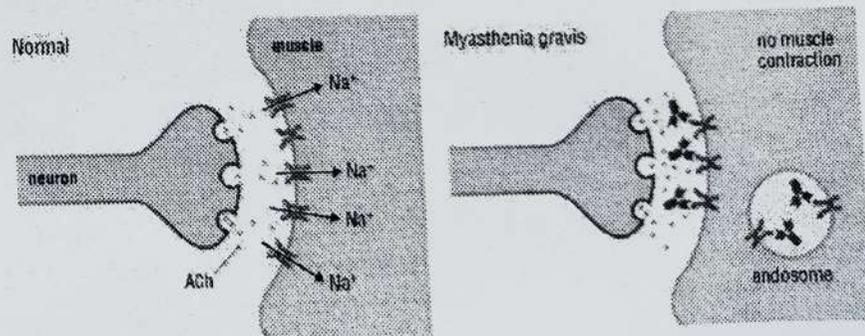
## 2. Myasthenia gravis الوهن العضلي الوبيل

Ptosis (drooping eyelid)



Ptosis can affect one or both eyelids

From *Immunity: The Immune Response in Infectious and Inflammatory Disease* by DeFranco, Locksley and Robertson



\* واهن الحركه

Is an autoimmune neuromuscular disease leading to fluctuating muscle weakness and fatigue.

\* صبه

Muscle weakness is caused by circulating antibodies that block acetylcholine receptors at neuromuscular junction.

\* دورها عن العلاج

Cholinesterase inhibitors (neostigmine and pyridostigmine) - but not direct-acting acetylcholine receptor agonists - are extremely valuable as therapy for myasthenia.

### 3. Urinary retention

### احتباس البول

ممن بهيب و  
→

② بعد الولادة  
① بعد الجراحة

\* Urinary retention may occur postoperatively or postpartum or may be secondary to spinal cord injury or disease (neurogenic bladder).

العلاج  
→

\* In patients with urinary retention, bethanechol can be given subcutaneously in a dose of 5 mg and repeated in 30 minutes if necessary.

ينعطي bethanechol حقنة تحت الجلد  
بمقدار 5mg منه مع إمكانية تكرار الجرعة  
كل نصف ساعة عند الضرور

# 4. Sjogren's syndrome مرض متلازمة جوغرن

وهي أمراض

Is a systemic autoimmune disease in which immune cells attack and destroy the exocrine glands that produce tears and saliva.

تكون في ducts  
تقدر خارج الجسم

الحيوية

Pilocarpine is used to treat this syndrome.

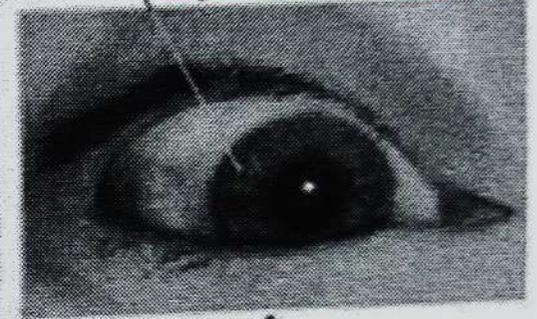
## Sjogren's Syndrome



Dry eyes, damage to eye surface

أعراضه

1



Dry mouth, increased tooth decay

2

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مرض مناعي يتهاجم فيه الخلايا المناعية ويتبدثر

الغدد الخارجية التي تنتج الدموع واللحاح ( tears and saliva )

# Case study

- In mid-afternoon, a coworker brings 43-year-old JM to the emergency department because he is unable to continue picking vegetables. His gait is unsteady and he walks with support from his colleague. JM has difficulty speaking and swallowing, his vision is blurred, and his eyes are filled with tears. His coworker notes that JM was working in a field that had been sprayed early in the morning with a material that had the odor of sulfur. Within 3 hours after starting his work, JM complained of tightness in his chest that made breathing difficult, and he called for help before becoming disoriented.
- How would you proceed to evaluate and treat JM? What should be done for his coworker?

case study ← التاريخ المرضي  
 ← علم هائلية اورنج  
 ← علم هائلية زهري  
 ← Patient history of

بعد ذلك نحدد المرض ← Poisoning by organophosphate cholinesterase inhibitors.

← وبناءً عليه العلاج ← علم هائلية اورنج بالسكره ايلاي

+ الإسعافات اللازمة

Questions???

- Decontaminate the patient by removal of clothing and washing affected areas
- Ensure an open airway and ventilate with oxygen.

# Case study answer

- The patient's presentation is characteristic of poisoning by organophosphate cholinesterase inhibitors. Ask the coworker if he can identify the agent used. Decontaminate the patient by removal of clothing and washing affected areas. Ensure an open airway and ventilate with oxygen. For muscarinic excess, administer atropine (0.5–5 mg) intravenously until signs of muscarinic excess (dyspnea, lacrimation, confusion) subside. To treat nicotinic excess, infuse 2-PAM (initially a 1–2% solution in 15–30 minutes) followed by infusion of 1% solution (200–500 mg/h) until muscle fasciculations cease. If needed, decontaminate the coworker and isolate all contaminated clothing.

→ muscarinic excess → atropine  
↳ nicotinic excess → 2-PAM