

Olivocochlear

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Glossary Item
Synonymous names:	Olivocochlear system; Olivocochlear bundle
METEOR identifier:	574918
Registration status:	Indigenous , Standard 05/12/2017
Definition:	A fibre tract in the ear called the olivocochlear bundle. It constitutes an efferent system, or feedback loop, by which nerve impulses, thought to be inhibitory, reach the hair cells. This system, which uses acetylcholine as a neurotransmitter, is presumably involved in sharpening, or otherwise modifying hearing.

Source and reference attributes

Reference documents:	The Editors of Encyclopædia of Britannica. Encyclopædia Britannica Online, s. v. "olivocochlear bundle". Viewed 22 May, 2014, http://www.britannica.com/EBchecked/topic/427818/olivocochlear-bundle .
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Relational attributes

Metadata items which use this glossary item:	Closing the Gap/Child Health Check Initiative: Ear, nose and throat operation summary form DSS Indigenous , Standard 05/12/2017
	Olivocochlear intact indicator Indigenous , Standard 05/12/2017
	Olivocochlear mobile indicator Indigenous , Standard 05/12/2017
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