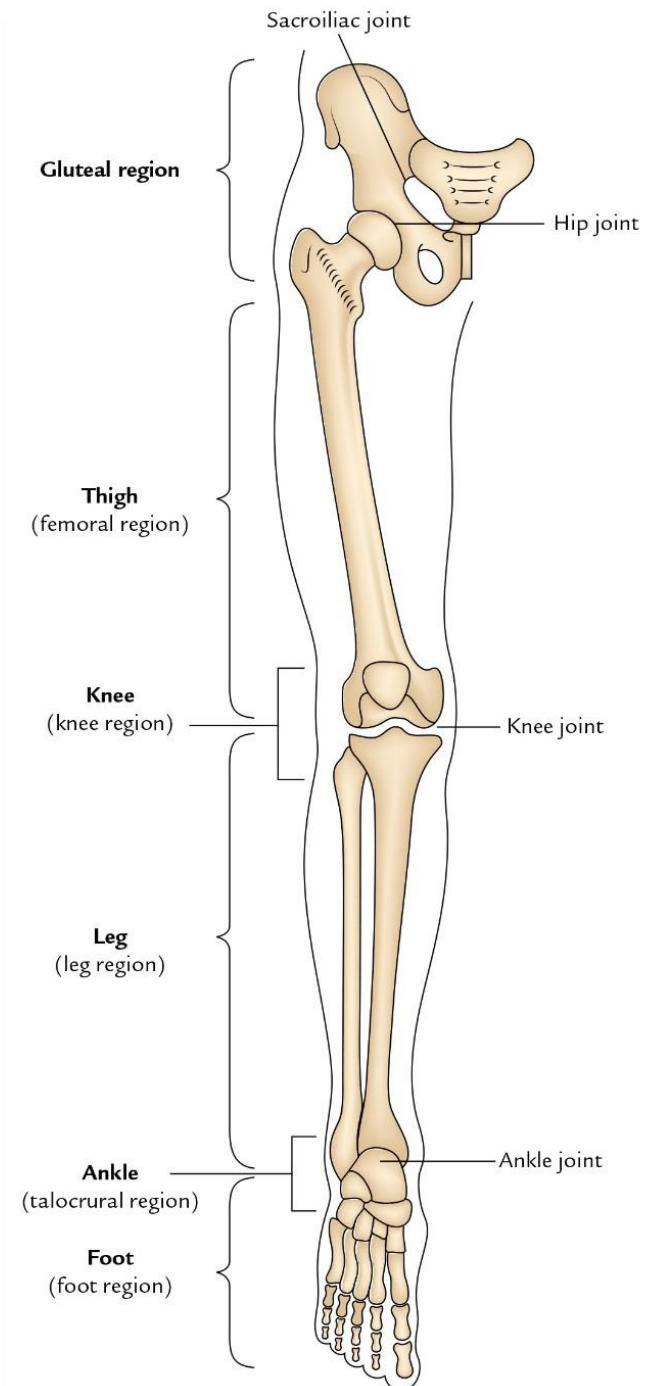
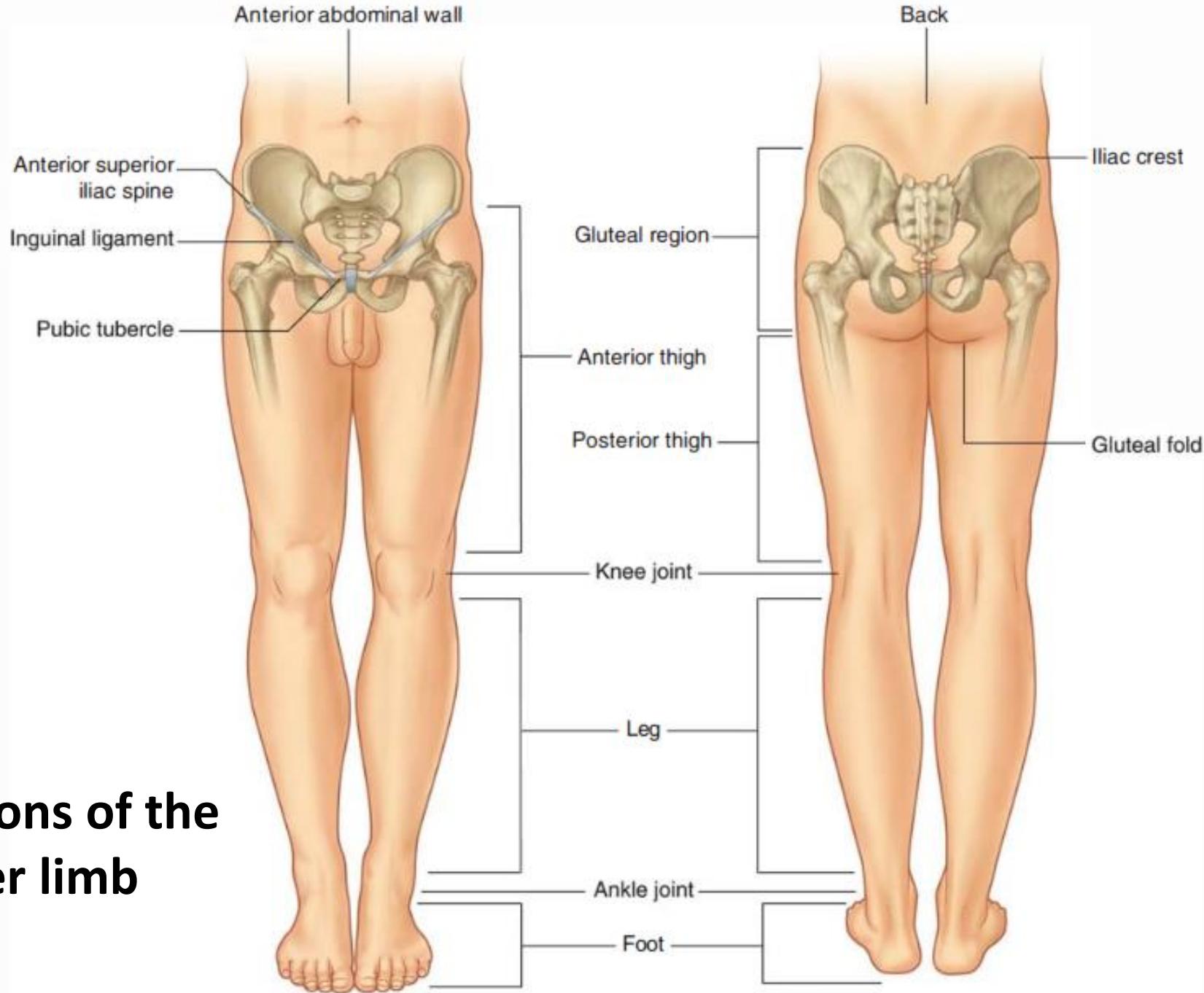


# The Lower Limb

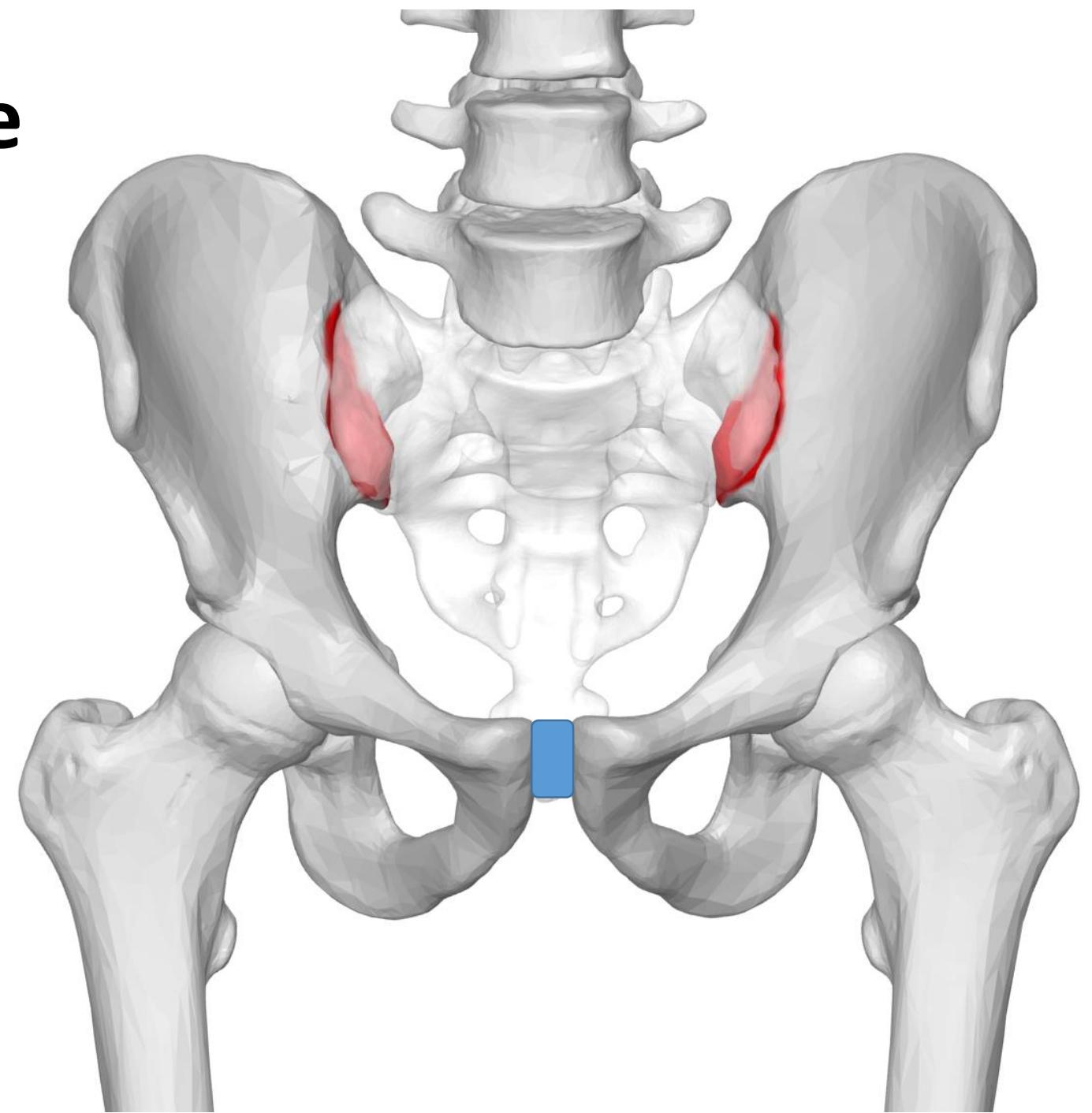
## Lecture objectives

- Identify the major regions of the lower limb
- Name the main bony features of the bones of the pelvic girdle
- Study the arrangement of the lumbar & sacral plexuses and the nerves of the lower limb

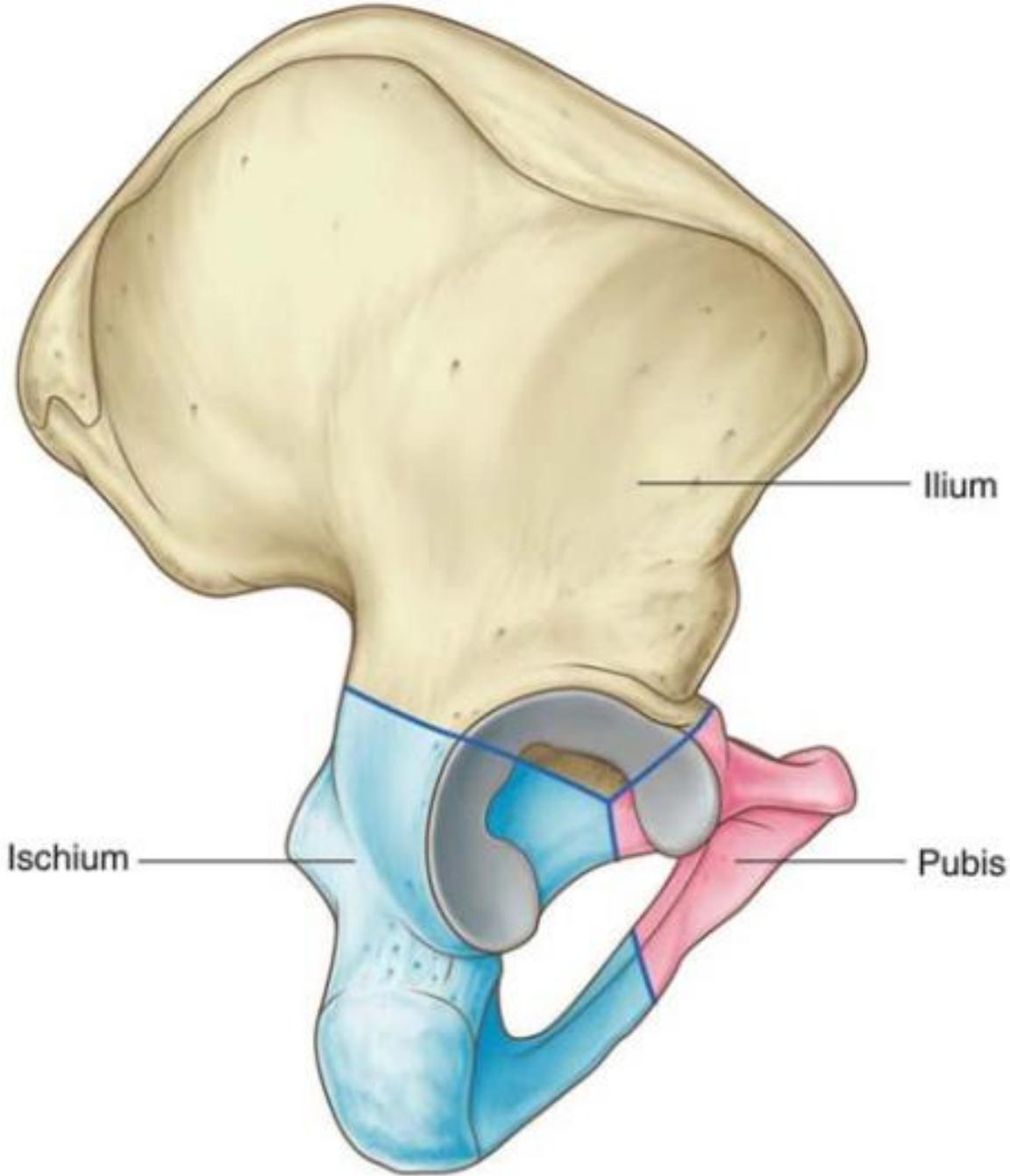
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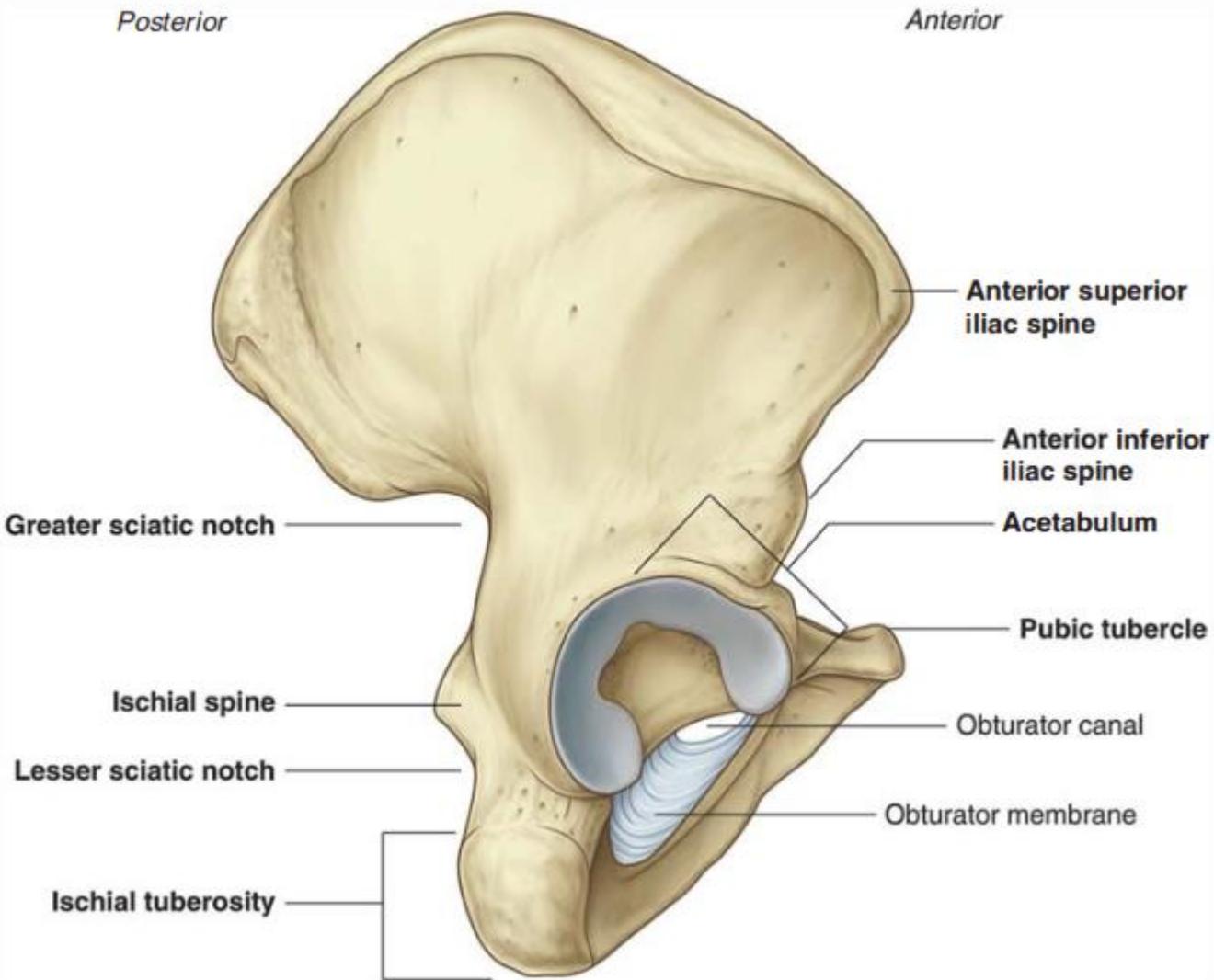
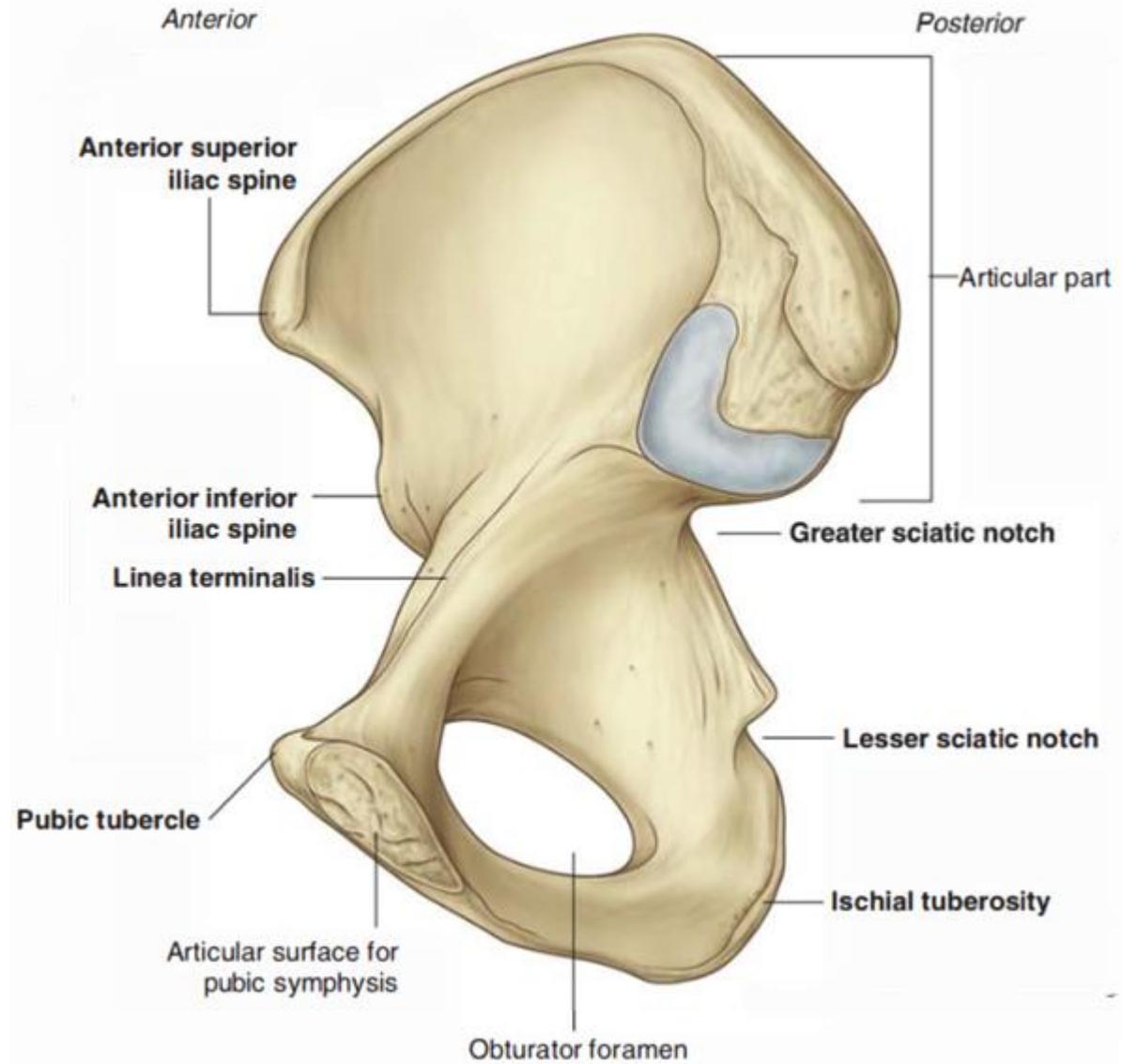


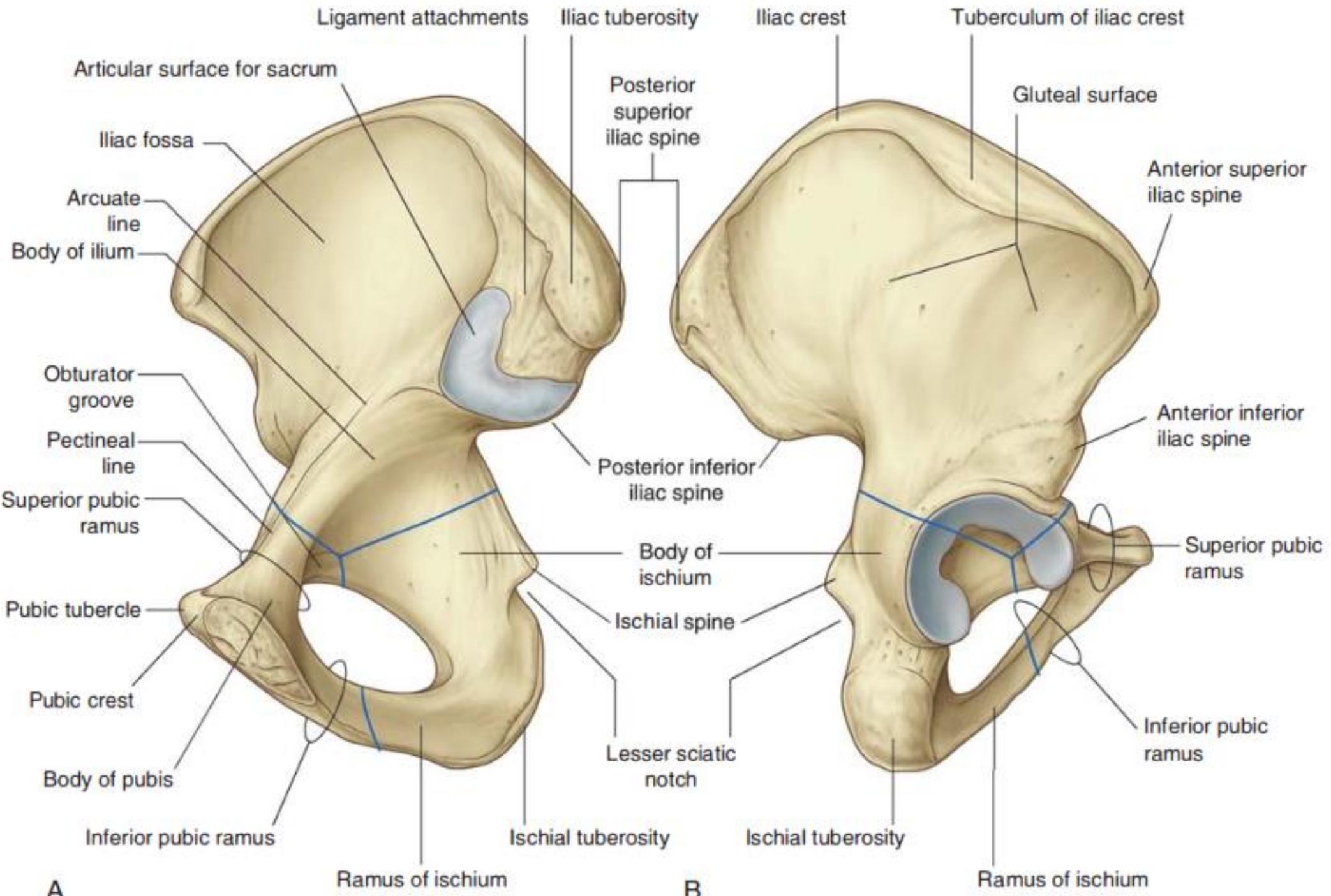
# Bones of pelvic girdle



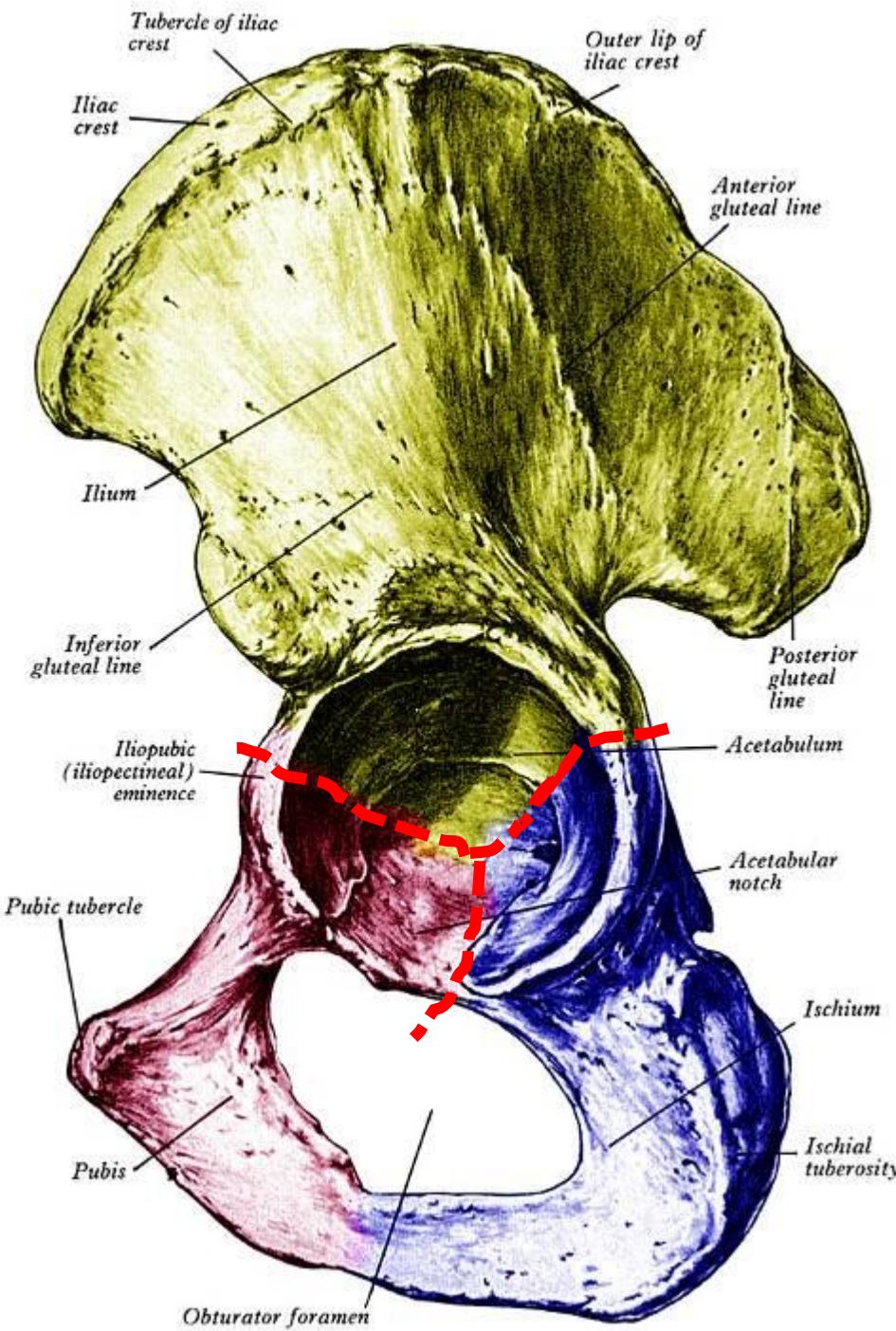
# The hip bone





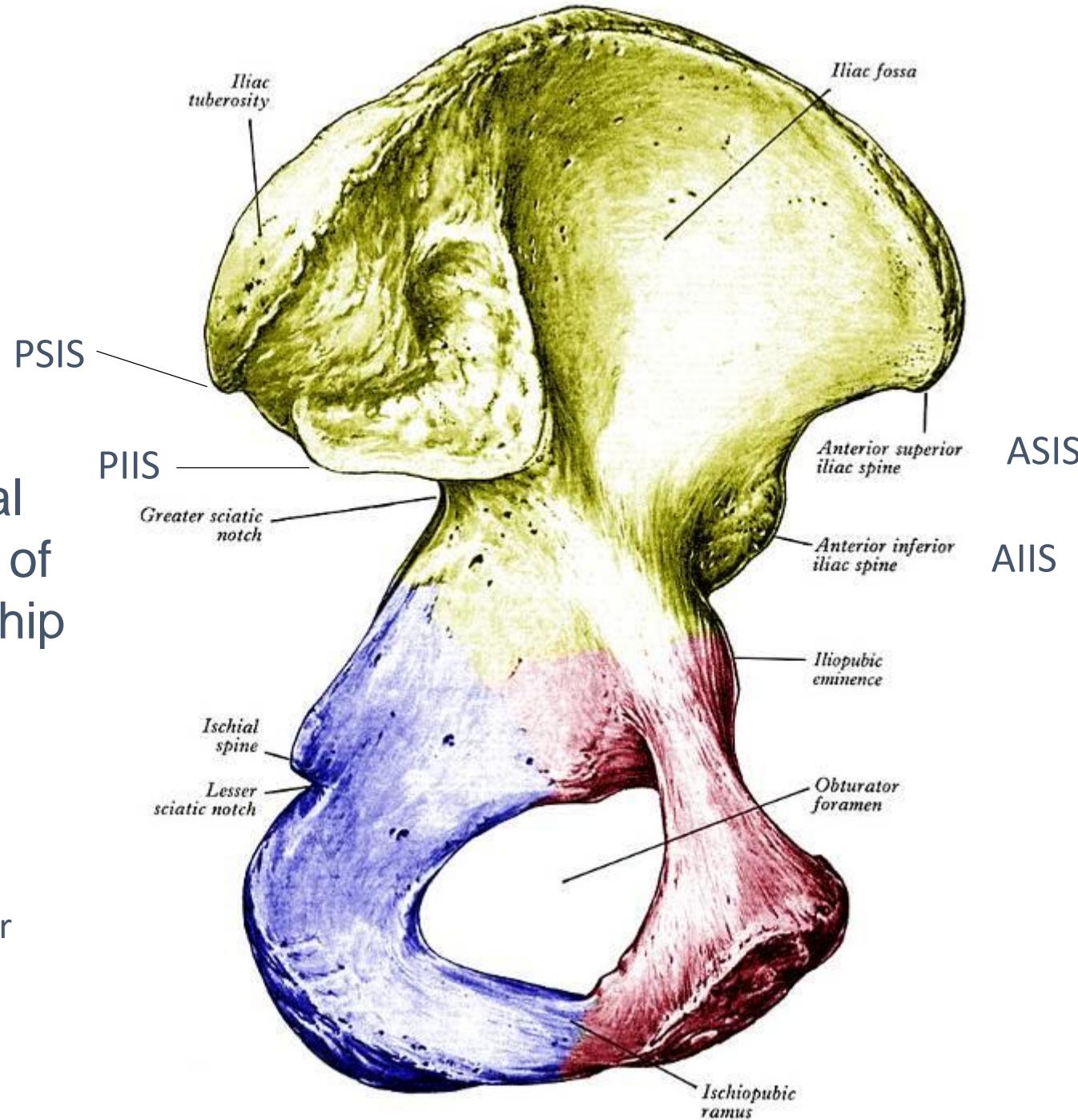


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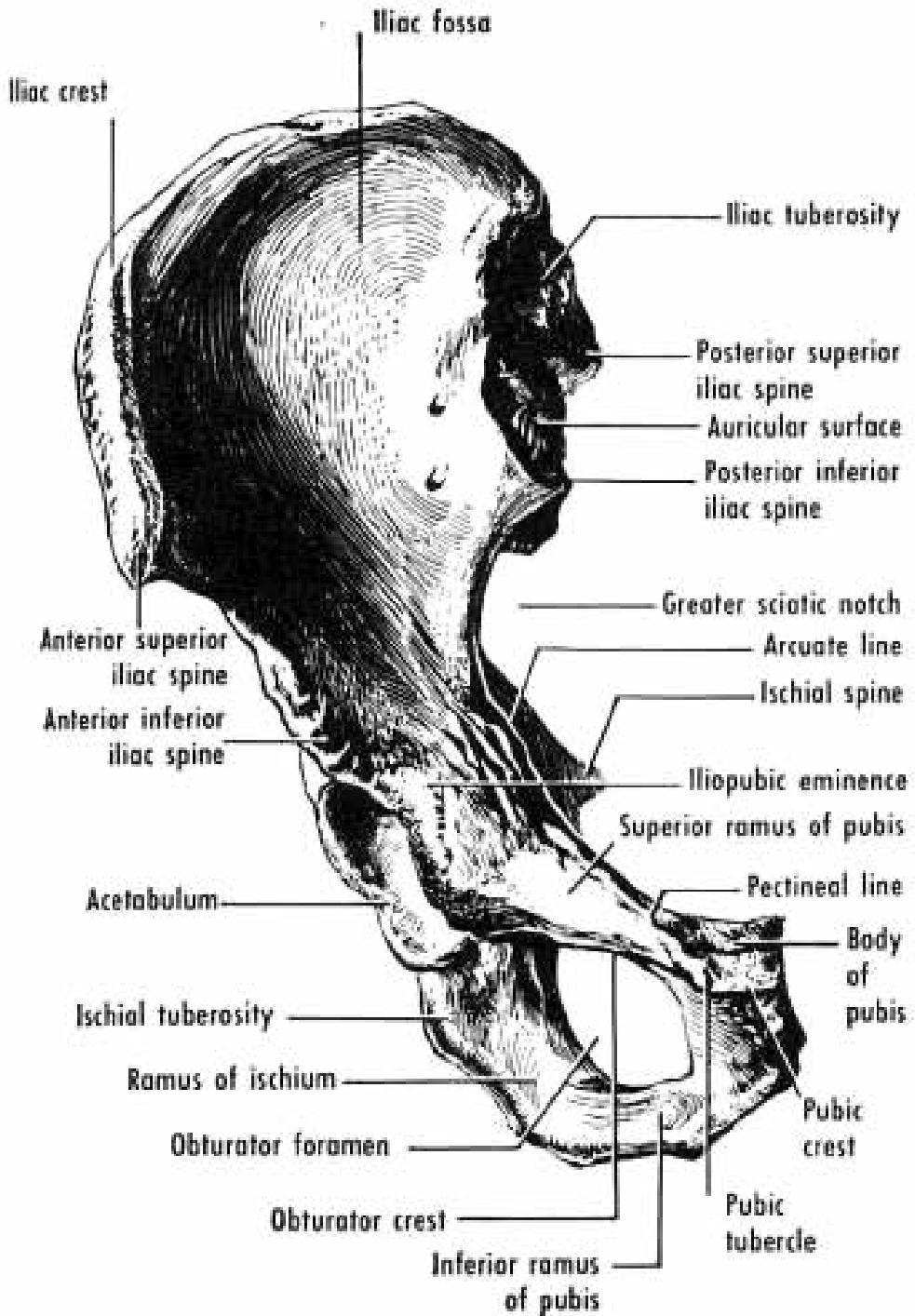


Medial aspect of the left hip

Superior  
Posterior  
Inferior  
Anterior

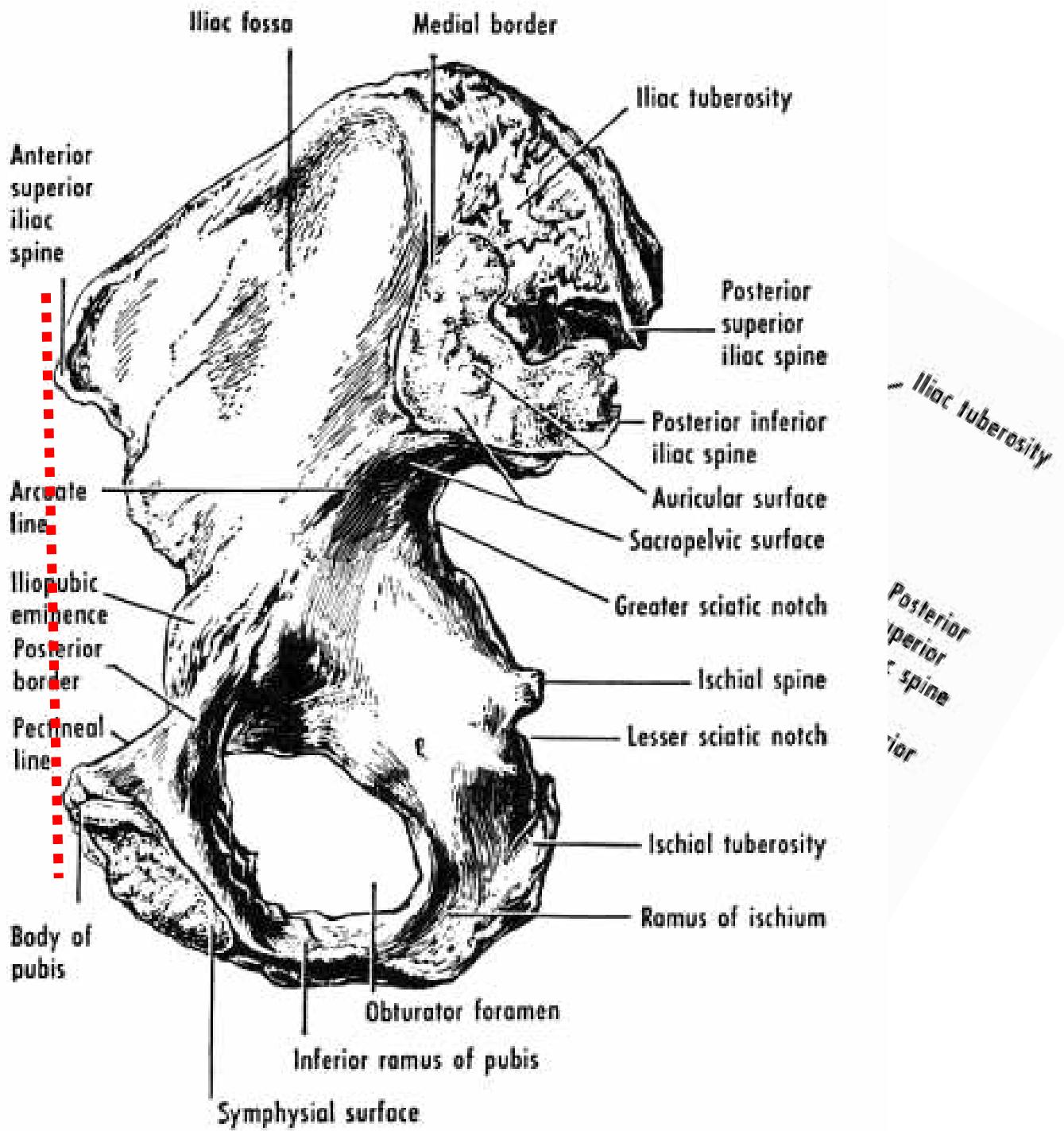
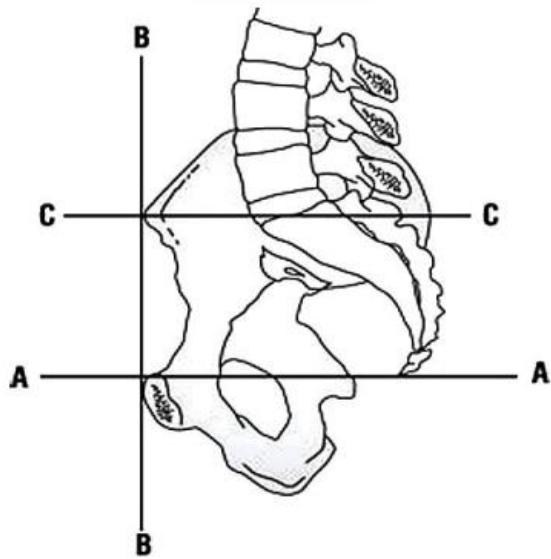


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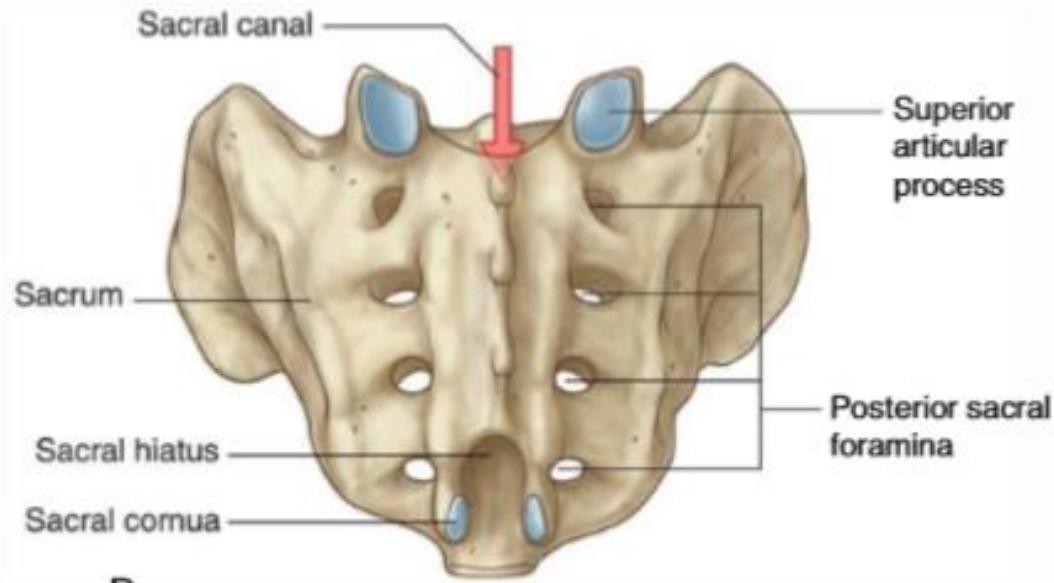
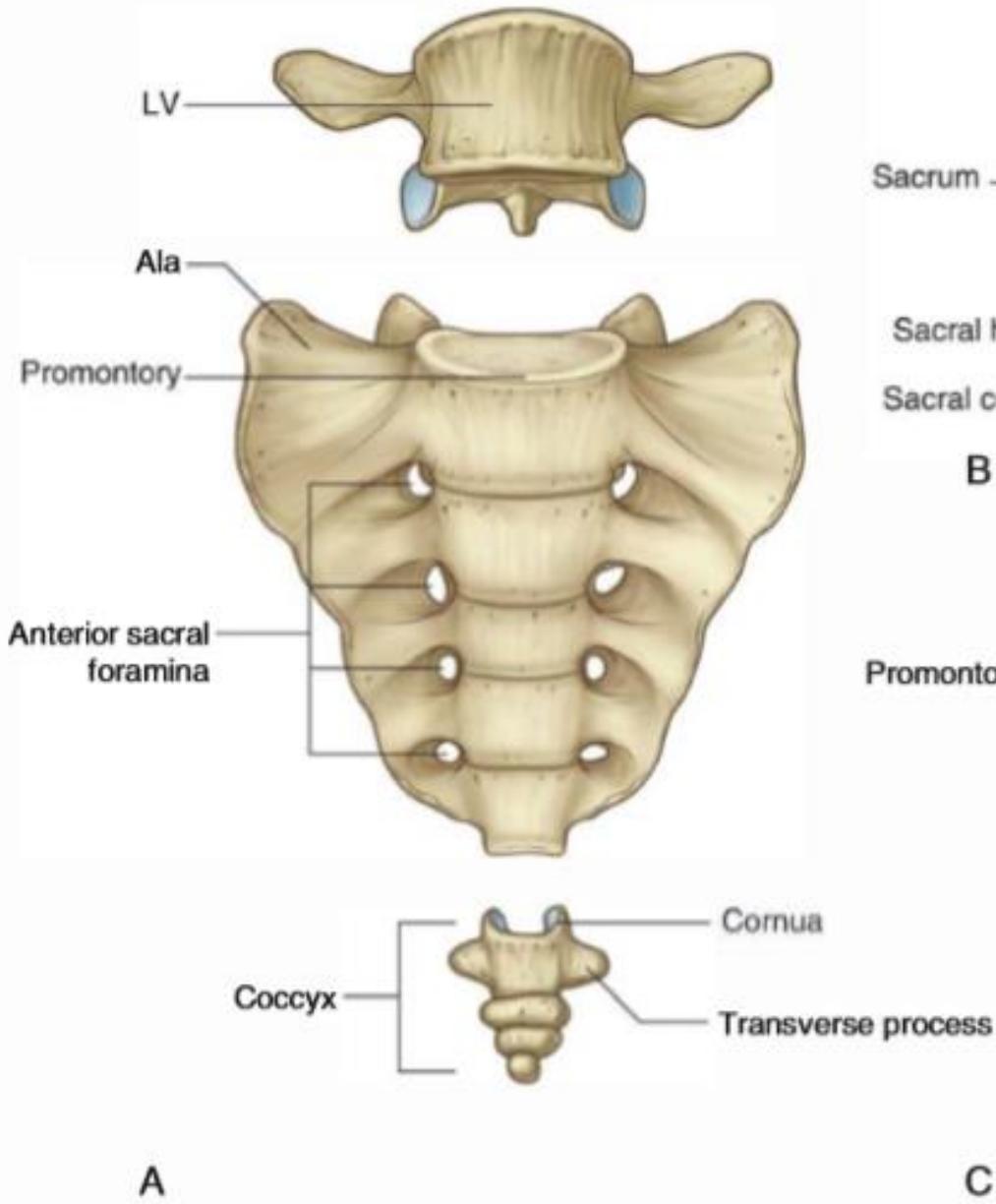


# Orientation of the hip bone

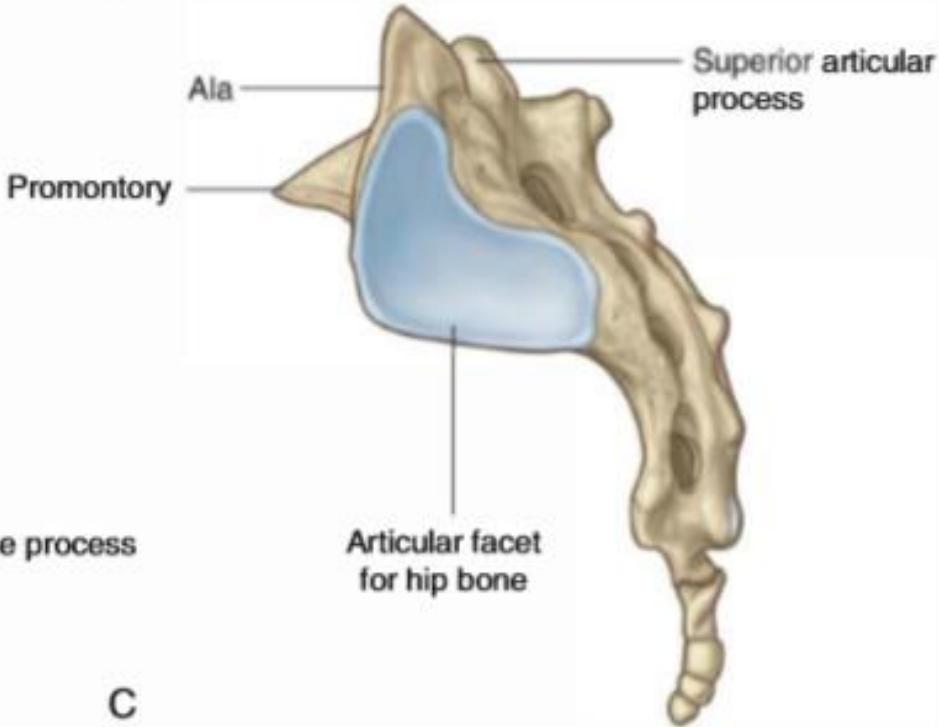
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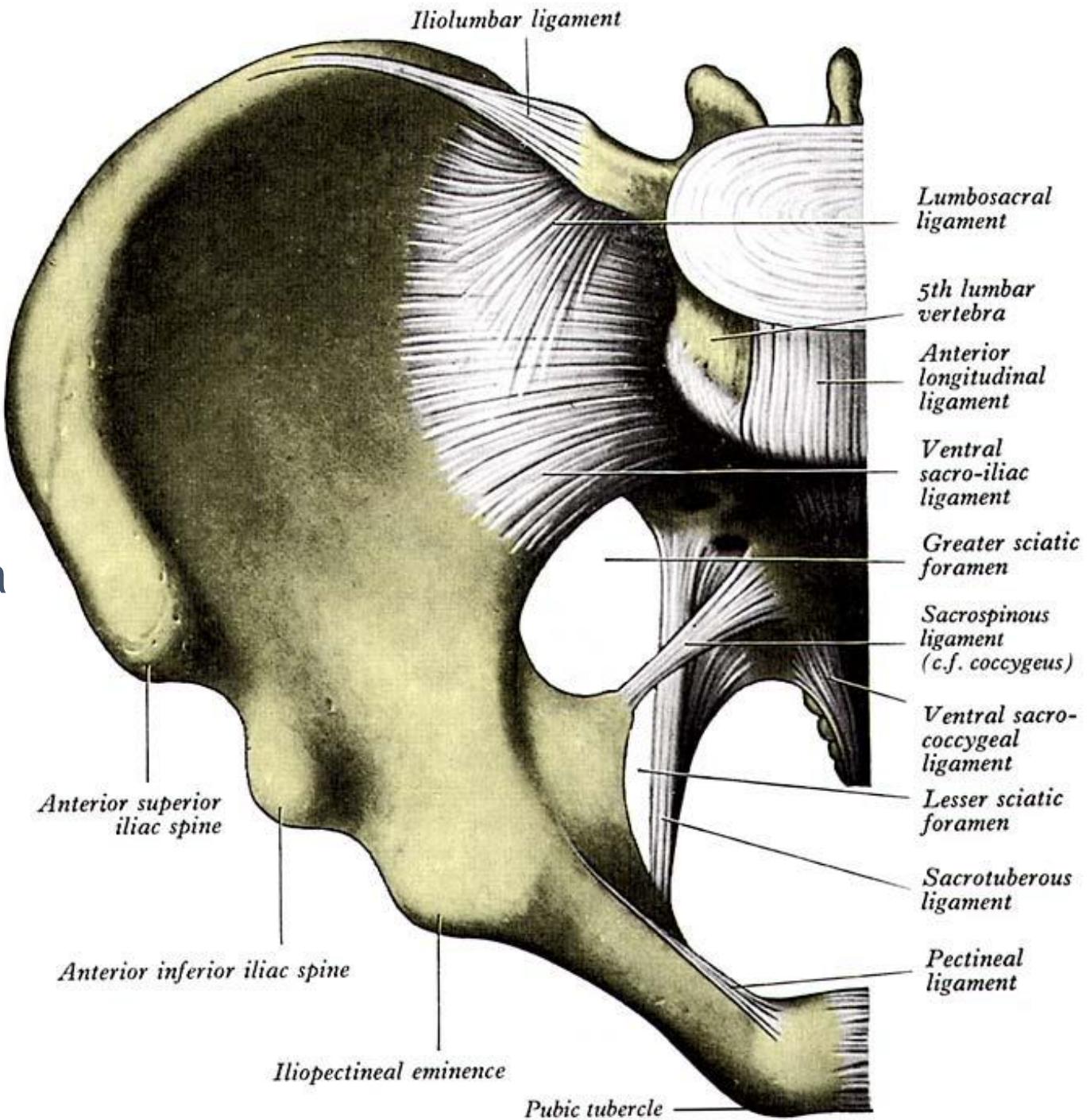
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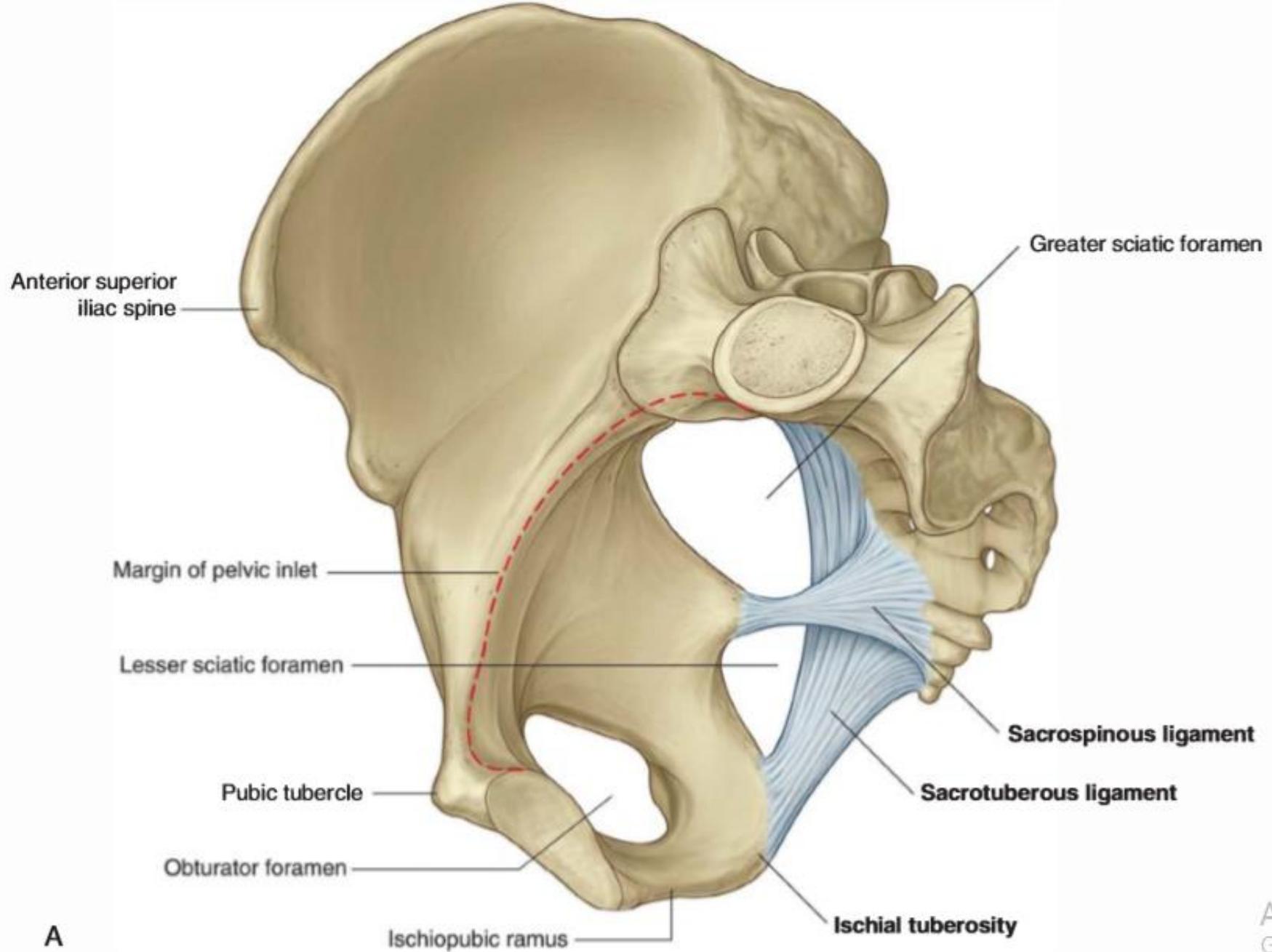


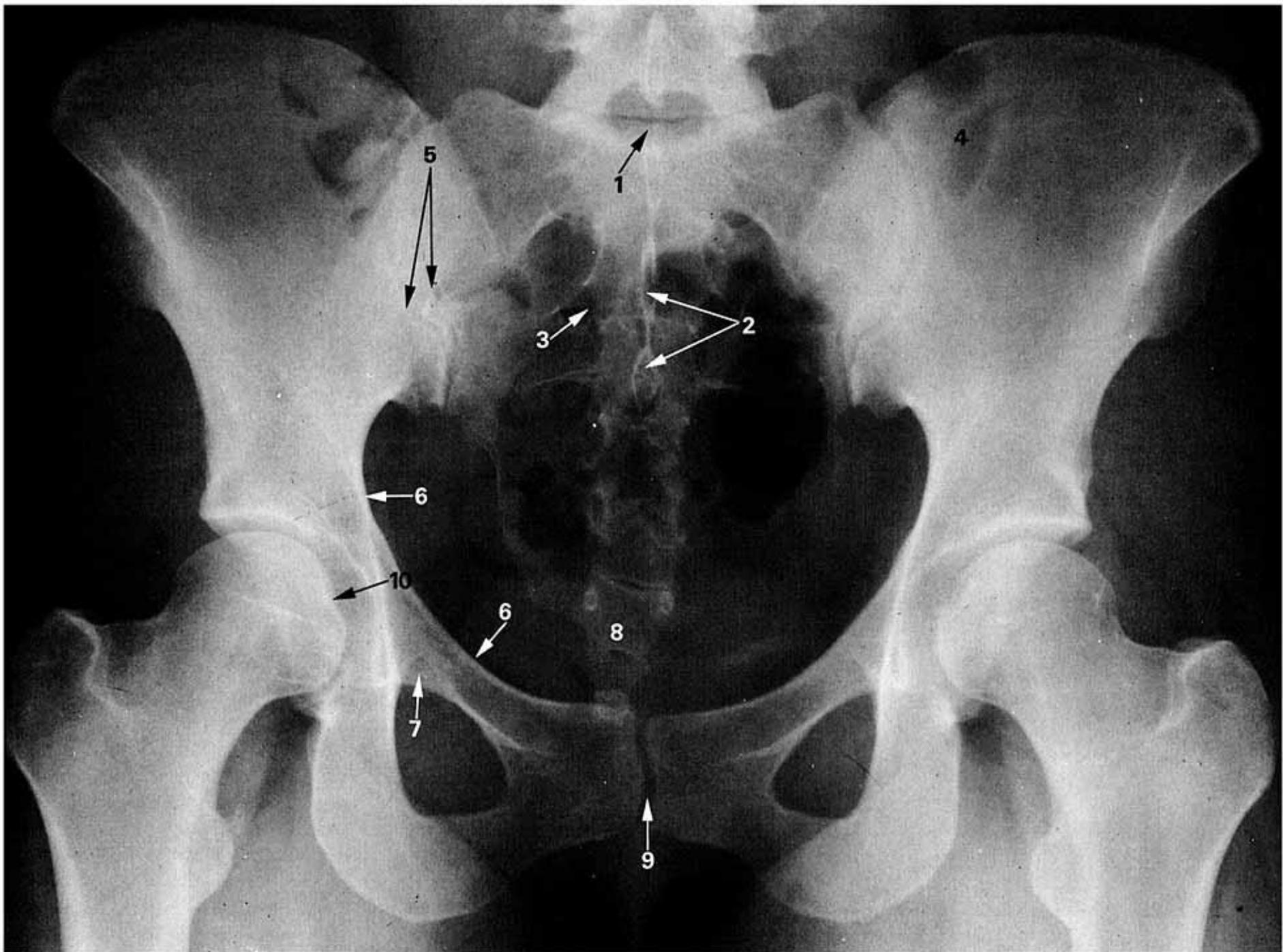
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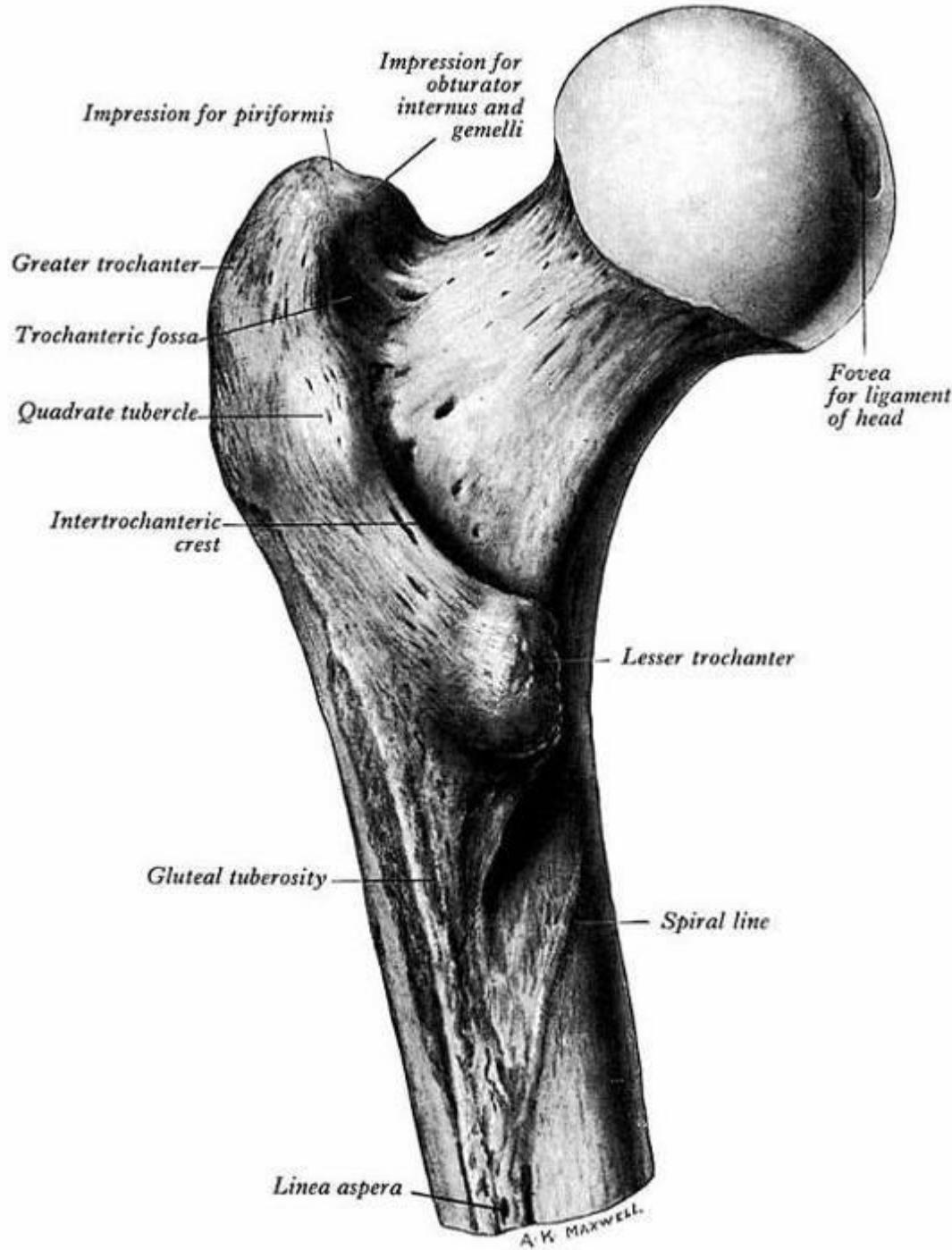
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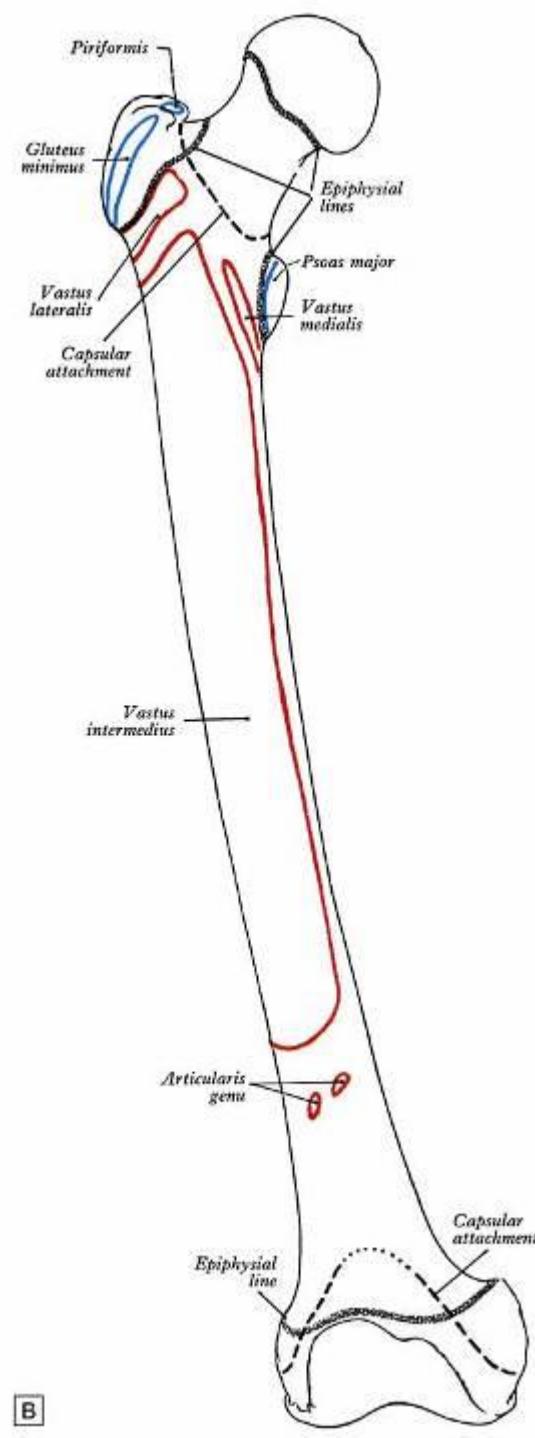
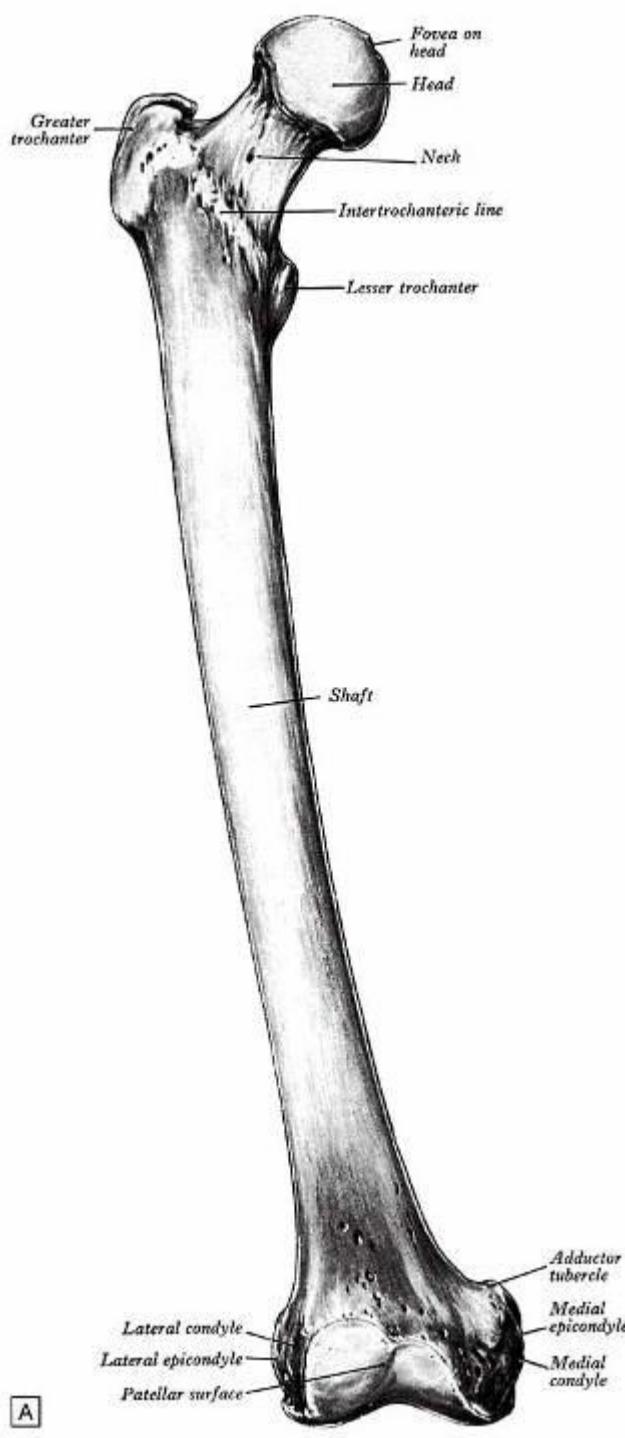




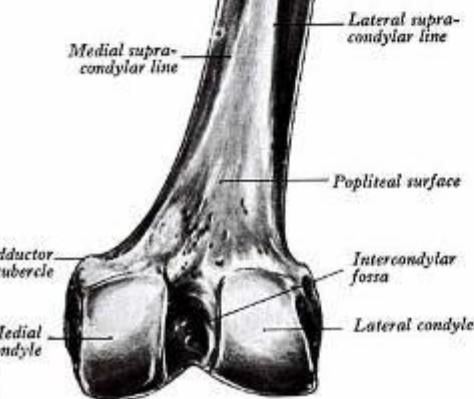
Posterior aspect of the proximal end of the femur



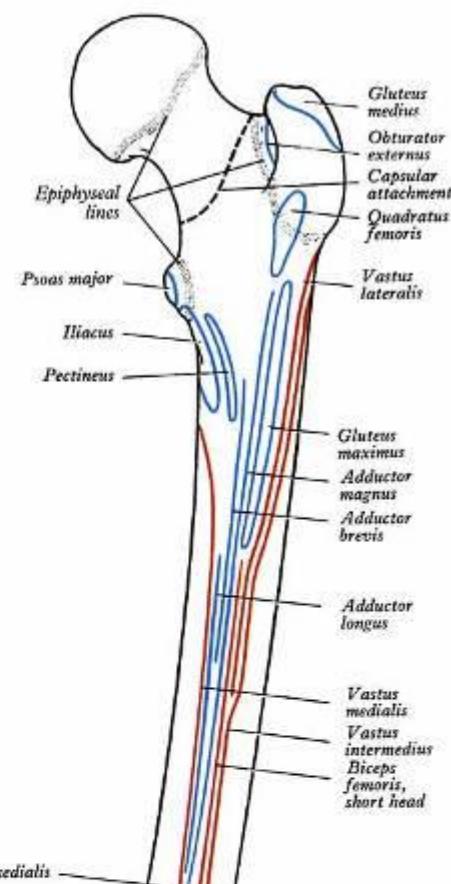
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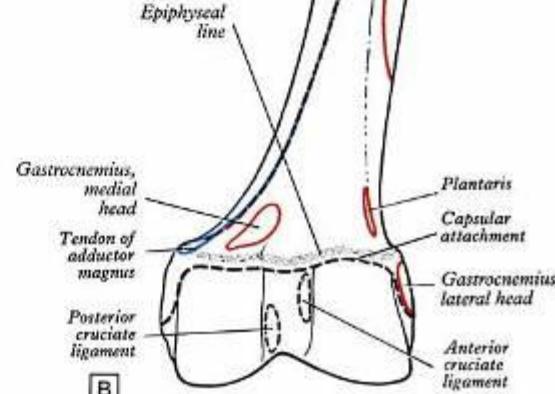
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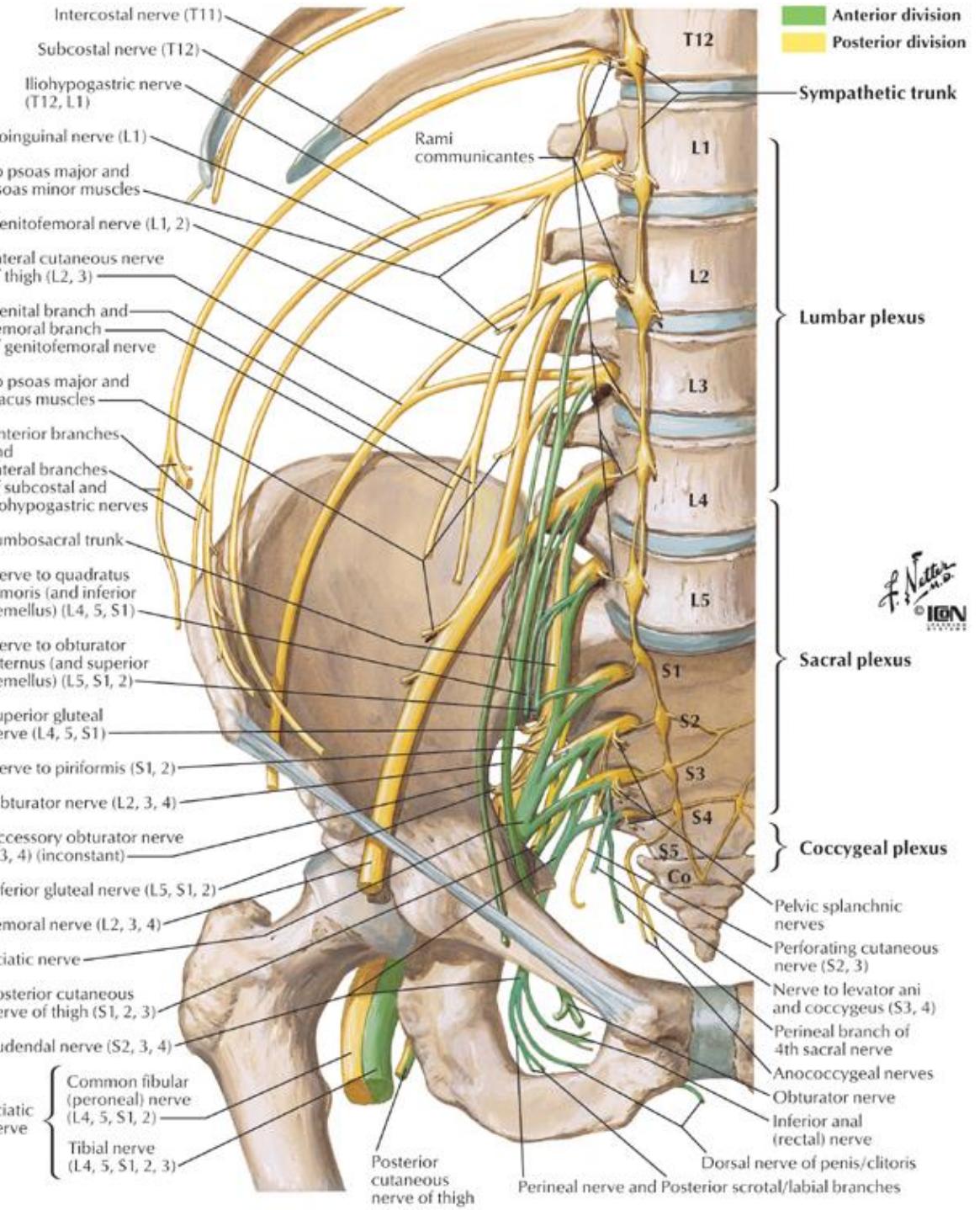
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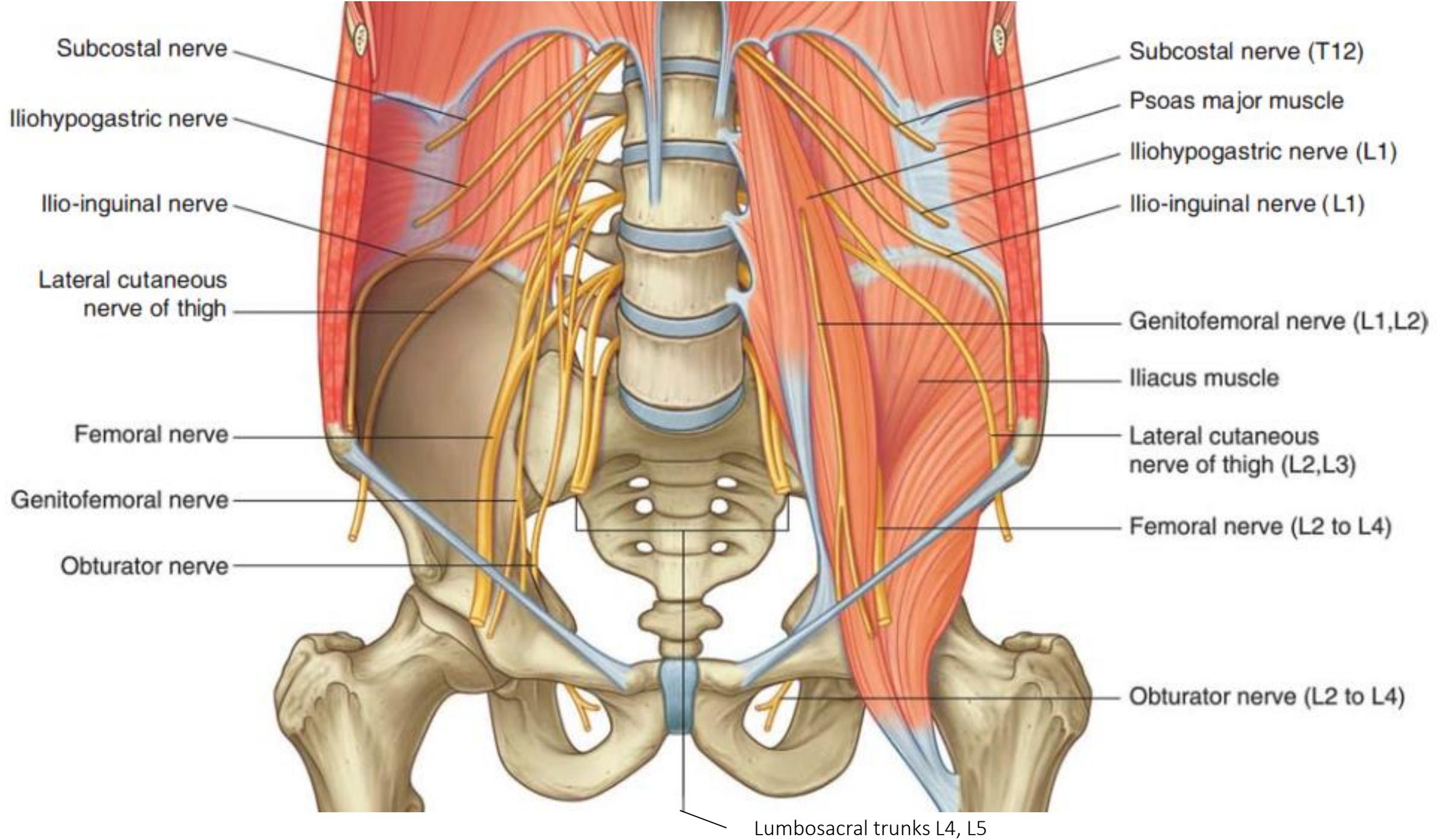


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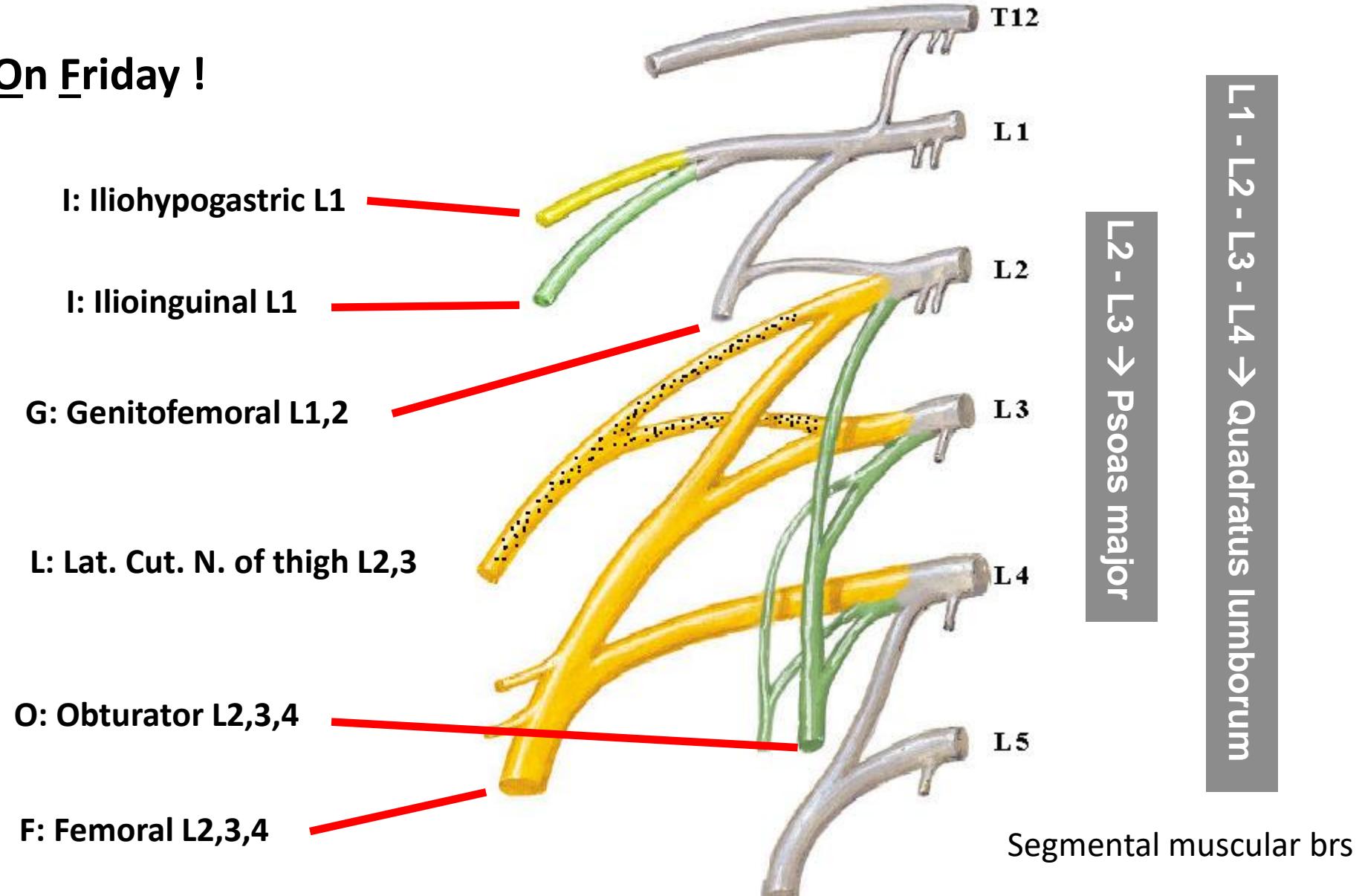
# The Lumbar Plexus



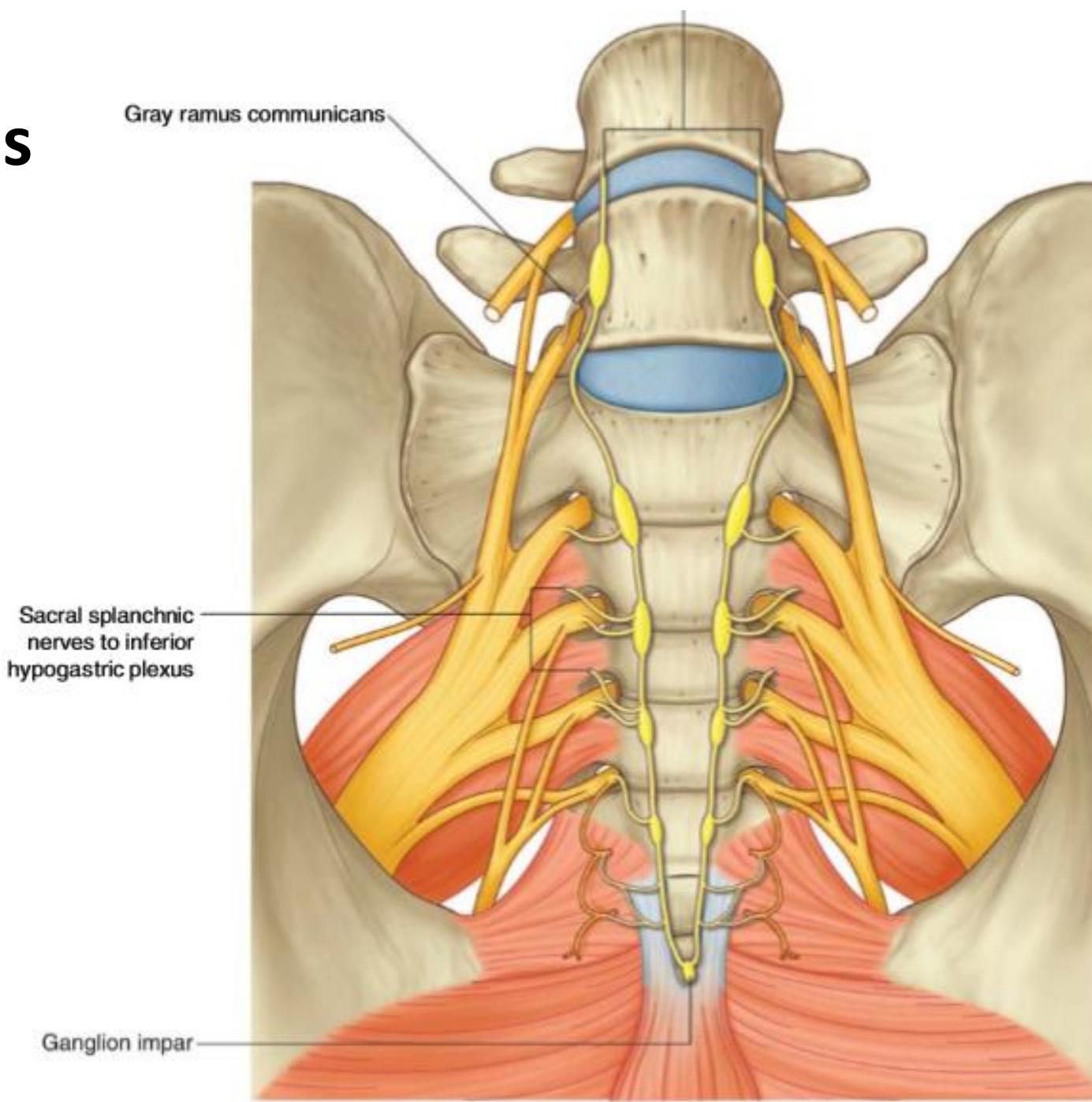


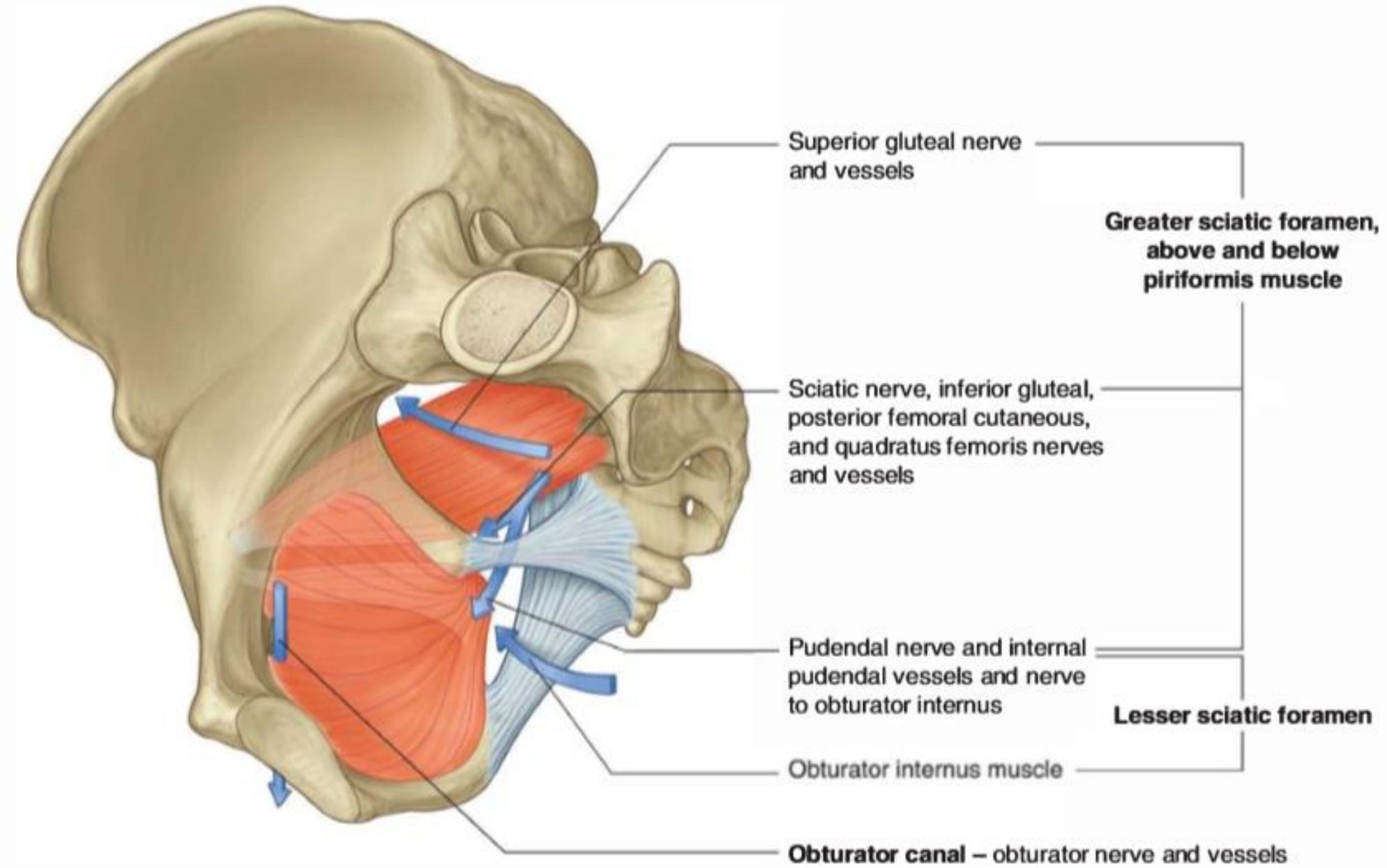


I (Twice) Get Lemon On Friday !



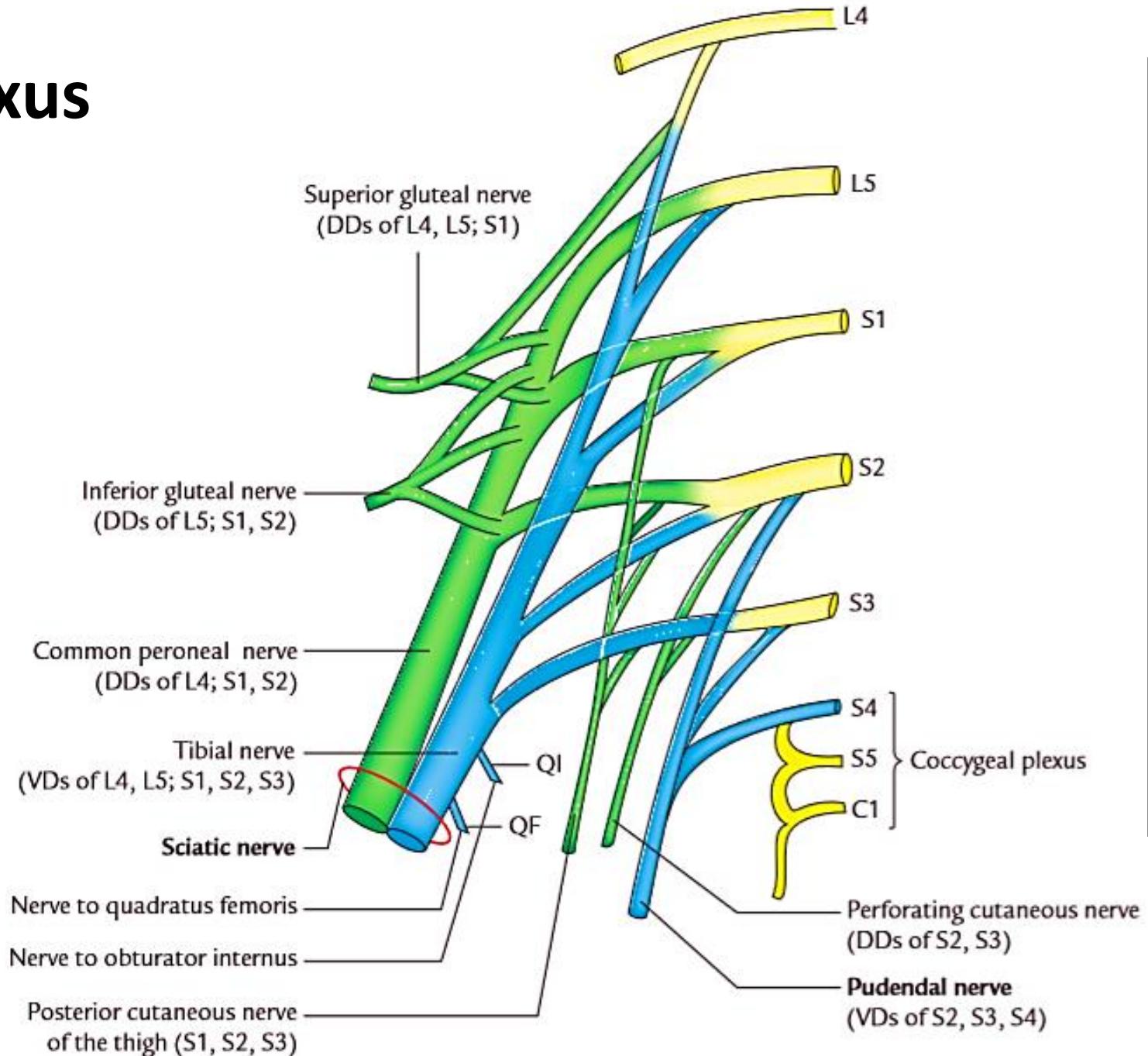
# The sacral plexus





# The sacral plexus

- Ventral branches
- Dorsal branches



S<sub>1</sub>, S<sub>2</sub> → Segmental branches to Piriformis

# **Sciatic nerve L4, L5, S1, S2, S3**

Tibial part L4, L5, S1, S2, S3 (ventral)

Common peroneal part L4, L5, S1, S2 (dorsal)

