

#### Water – soluble vitamins:

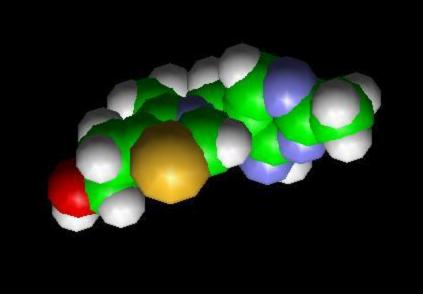
VITAMIN B1 (THIAMINE) – Thiamine, known as vitamin B1, – thiamine is soluble in water and partly soluble in alcohol.

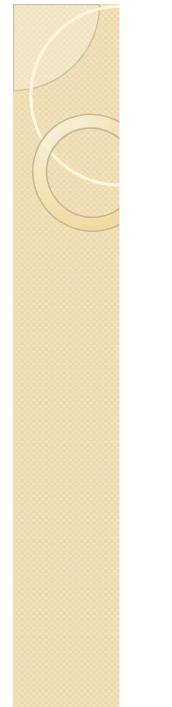
Vitamin B1 (Thiamine) is found in fortified breads and cereals, fish, lean meats and milk

Metabolism — Thiamine is absorbed in the small intestine. The maximal absorption of thiamine is in the jejunum and ileum . Thiamine passes through the mucosal cells to enter the blood stream, Bound to albumin, it is carried by the portal circulation to the liver. . –

The highest concentrations are found in the skeletal muscles, the liver, the heart, the kidneys, and the brain.

Thiamine's biologic half-life is – approximately 10 to 20 days; due to limited tissue storage, continuous supplementation is required . Thiamine and all of its metabolites are excreted in the urine.





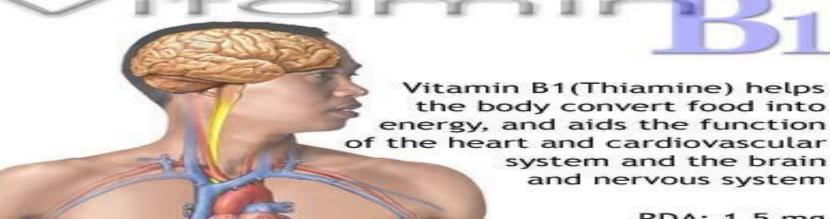
#### Function :

It form part of the coenzyme – thiamine pyrophosphate (TPP) which is involved in major decarboxilation steps. initiation of nerve impulse – propagation that is independent of its coenzyme functions. also it needed for the metabolism of fat, CHO, and alcohol.

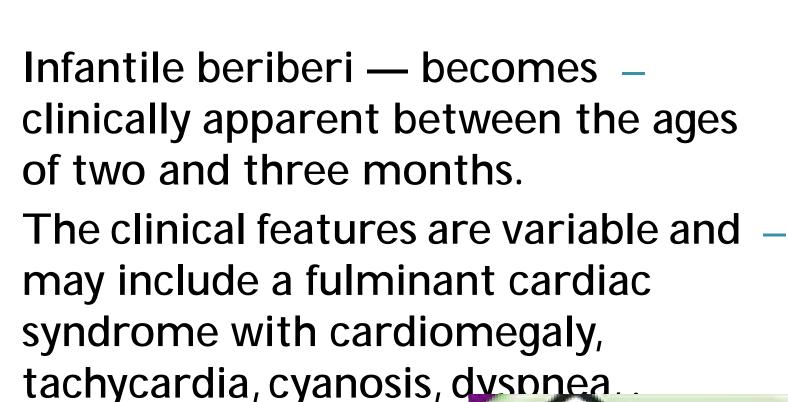




Thiamine deficiency has been – associated with three disorders: Beriberi (infantile and adult) Wernicke-Korsakoff syndrome & Leigh's syndrome



RDA: 1.5 mg Water-soluble



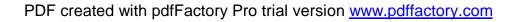


#### Adult beriberi — Adult beriberi is – described as dry or wet. Dry beriberi is the development of a symmetrical peripheral neuropathy and vomiting



Wet beriberi includes a neuropathy, – as well as signs of cardiac involvement with cardiomegaly, cardiomyopathy, congestive heart failure, peripheral edema, and tachycardia

Wernicke-Korsakoff syndrome — – Wernicke's disease is a triad of nystagmus, ophthalmoplegia, and ataxia, along with confusion. Korsakoff's psychosis is – impaired short-term memory. This combination is almost exclusiv described in chronic alcoholics with thiamine deficiency –



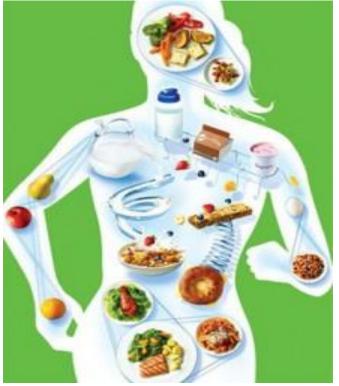


Leigh's syndrome — Leigh's – subacute necrotizing encephalomyopathy It is manifested with ataxia, – dysarthria, movement disorders, muscle atrophy, and weakness.

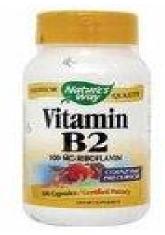


Toxicity — No real syndrome of excess – thiamine exists since the kidneys can rapidly clear almost all excess thiamine Daily Values — 2mg/d for men & 1.54 – mg/d for woman .

Good food sources : – cereal products – (breakfast cereals – and bread ), yeast, nuts, pork & other meats, – vegetables& milk . –



# Riboflavin (vitamin B2)



#### FUNCTION : -

\* promotion of normal growth .

\* assist synthesis of steroid , red blood cell and – glycogen \*maintenance of mucous membranes , skin , eyes and nervous system

\*aiding Fe absorption -

Deficiency : –

Lesions of the mucosal surfaces of mouth , – angular stomatitis

Glossitis, surface lesions of genitalia, – seborrhoeic skin lesion & vascularization of the cornea

# Good food sources of Riboflavin : – Eggs , milk and milk product , liver – and kidney

,Yeast extract , fortified breakfast – cereals

Average daily intake men is 2.11mg\d & female 1.60 mg\d –

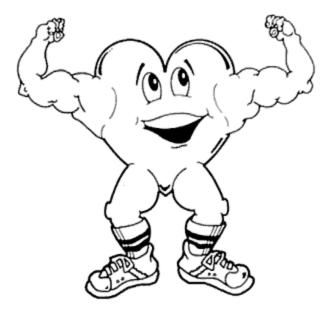
Cereal, nuts, milk, eggs, green leafy vegetables and lean meat

Food sources of Riboflavin (vitamin B2):

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#### Vitamin B6 pyridoxine



Function : -

\*Transamination of amino acids to – produce Ketoacids and synthesis of non – essential amino acids

\*decarboxylation to yield biologically – active amines , e.g, neurotransmitters

\* synthesis haemoglobin. –

Vitamin B6 is also involved in the – conversion of glycogen to glucose in muscle, and in hormone metabolism.





Vitamin B6 (pyridoxine) is important for maintaining healthy brain function, the formation of red blood cells, the breakdown of protein and the synthesis of antibodies in support of the immune system

> Adult RDA: 2 mg Water-soluble

Deficiency : –

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Sever deficiency of vitamin B6 is rare . patient – suffering malabsorption , receiving dialysis or alcoholic are at risk to deficiency . clinical signs include :

Lesion of the lips and corners of the mouth and – inflammation of the tongue, Neuropathy, anaemia (due to poor haem synthesis)

Due to the importance of vitaminB6 in amino – acid metabolism requirement are linked to protein intake ..

### Good food sources of vitamin B6 :

Meat , cereals , fortified cereals , – bananas , nuts ,eggs,fish

Food sources of vitamin B6 (pyridoxine) include beans, legumes, nuts, eggs, meats, fish breads and cereals





### Cobalamin B12

\* recycling of folate coenzymes \_\_\_\_\_\_
\*Normal myelination of nerves \_\_\_\_\_



Synthesis of methionine from homocystein – Deficiency : pernicious anaemia ( – megaloblastic) & \ or neurologic problem . The most common cause of deficiency is – malabsorption due to atrophy of the gastric mucosa Good food sources of vitamin B12: – vitamin B12 does not found in plant food . meat and meat product , eggs ,milk and dairy products , fish ,yeast products , breakfast cereals ( fortified)



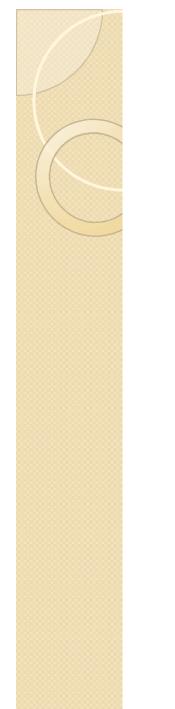
## VITAMIN C (ASCORBIC ACID)

Ascorbic acid is absorbed in the – distal small intestine

Vitamin

Citrus fruits, green peppers, strawberries, tomatoes, broccoli and sweet and white potatoes are all excellent sources of vitamin C





# Actions

anti-oxidant capabilities also – stabilize a number of other compounds, including vitamin E and folic acid.

- \* Fatty acid transport –
- \* Neurotransmitters –
- \* Prostaglandin –
  metabolism –
  \*Collagen synthesis –



#### Deficiency

A deficiency of vitamin C may lead to a condition called scurvy, characterized by weakness, anemia, bruising, bleeding gums and loose teeth

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ascorbic acid deficiency occurs mostly in severely malnourished individuals, drug alcohol abusers, or those living in poverty. Scurvy : largely due to impaired collagen synthesis with disordered connective tissue. Symptoms (ecchymoses, bleeding gums, petechiae, coiled hairs, hyperkeratosis, , arthralgias, and impaired wound healing. weakness, malaise, joint swelling, arthralgias, edema, depression,

Daily Value — The DV for ascorbic acid is 60 mg per day for most adults; pregnant or lactating women and the elderly have requirements up to 125 mg/day.

Good food sources of vitamin C : Kiwi – fruit, citrus fruit, sweet potato, broccoli, mango.





## Folate (folic acid)

\*it is essential for the synthesis of -**DNA & RNA**, folate supplement in early pregnancy has been show to

production of red blood

Folate aids in the synthesis of DNA



Cell

Folate works with B12 and vitamin C to help the body digest and utilize proteins



#### Good food sources of folate : -

Brussels sprouts , spinach, fortified –
 bread and breakfast cereals, cabbage ,
 cauliflower , kidneys ,beans , peas ,most nuts , brown rice , milk . average daily intake = 200 Mg\day for adults . to prevent NTD in pregnancy = 400Mg\day until 12 week of pregnancy . to prevent

Food sources of folate include beans and legumes, citrus fruits and juices, whole grains, dark green leafy vegetables, poultry, pork, shellfish and liver

Vitamin B3 NIACIN (nicotinamide, – nicotinic acid Function : are involve in numerous oxidoreductase reaction including glycolysis, fatty acid metabolism, tissue respiration and detoxification.

- <u>Deficiency</u> : pellagra characterize by 3D: dermatitis , diarrhea , dementia.
- Food sources :beef,chicken,eggs,milk and \_ wheat flour, seeds.
- 15 to 20 mg per day for adult males, and 13 –
   to 15 mg per day for adult females

An inability to absorb niacin (vitamin B3) or the amino acid tryptophan may cause pellagra, a disease characterized by scaly sores, mucosal changes and mental symptoms

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Food sources of Niacin (vitamin B3) include dairy, poultry, fish, lean meat, nuts and eggs

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