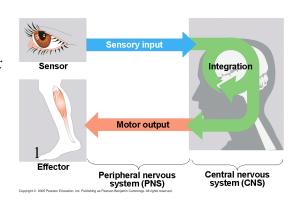
Organization of the Nervous system	
Overview	
 The human brain contains about billion nerve cells, or 	
 Each neuron may communicate with <u>of other neurons</u> 	
All animals except have a ne system	ervous
The central nervous system consists of a and	
The peripheral nervous system contains all the to relay information from the to the	
It also controls body	Copyright © 2005 Pearson Education, Inc. Publishing as Pearson Benjamin Cummings. All rig
responses such as and	
breathing.	
Nerve tissue is made up of cells called	·
• in the human brain	
• Conduct	(nerve impulses) from one area to another
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Nervous systems process information in three stages:

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Sensory Receptors Special cells or tissues that receive input from the and send signals along the ______ nervous system to the _____nervous system. _____ and ____ have sensory receptors. Information goes to______ of the brain. Parts of the Brain that process certain information Reflexes Reflexes are actions that do not require involvement of the _____. Examples: **Diseases of the Nervous System**