

Unit 1 — Human Anatomy I



adrenal glands

a pair of organs located above the kidneys responsible for producing various hormones and steroids, such as aldosterone and cortisol

"Overproduction of cortisol in the adrenal glands can lead to Cushing's syndrome."

antrum

the lower section of the stomach, that helps move food into the intestines

"Unlike the rest of the stomach, the antrum does not produce acid."

aorta

the largest artery in the body, carrying blood from the heart to the rest of the body

"The aorta is divided into five segments."

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