

Glymphatics

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- “glymphatic” system represents a **brain-wide intraparenchymal pathway** which *mediates clearance of brain metabolites* via convective interstitial fluid – CSF exchange.
- in the absence of its own lymphatic system, the brain parenchyma is dependent on ***paravascular (glymphatic) routes*** and the recently (re)discovered ***meningeal lymphatics*** for removal of metabolic waste and toxic metabolites.

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