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Which artery supplies blood to the posterior compartment of the lower leg?

- Anterior tibialis artery
- Posterior tibialis artery
- Fibular artery
- Popliteal artery

Which muscle is NOT part of the lateral compartment of the lower leg?

- Fibularis Longus
- Fibularis Brevis
- Tibialis Anterior
- Fibularis Tertius

Which muscle is primarily responsible for dorsiflexions of the foot?

- Gastrocnemius
- Tibialis Anterior
- Soleus
- Fibularis Longus

Describe the functional differences between the anterior and posterior compartments of the lower leg.

- Anterior compartment dorsiflexes, posterior plantarflexes
- Anterior compartment plantarflexes, posterior dorsiflexes
- Both compartments plantarflex
- Both compartments dorsiflex

Which conditions can result from overuse or injury to the lower leg muscles? (Select all that apply)

- Compartment syndrome

- Achilles tendinitis
- Carpal tunnel syndrome
- Shin splints

Describe the role of the fibularis longus muscle in foot movement.

- Eversion and arch stabilization
- Dorsiflexions
- Plantarflexions
- Toe flexions

Which of the following muscles are innervated by the tibialis nerve? (Select all that apply)

- Soleus
- Fibularis Brevis
- Gastrocnemius
- Tibialis Anterior

Which muscles contribute to the flexions of the toes? (Select all that apply)

- Flexor Digitorum Longus
- Extensor Hallux Longus
- Flexor Hallux Longus
- Tibialis Posterior

Discuss how the tibialis anterior muscle contributes to balance and movement.

- Assists in dorsiflexions
- Aids in plantarflexions
- Stabilizes the knee
- Flexes the toes

Which condition is commonly associated with overuse of the tibialis anterior muscle?

- Achilles tendinitis
- Plantar fasciitis
- Shin splints
- Compartment syndrome

Which muscles are located in the anterior compartment of the lower leg? (Select all that apply)

- Extensor Digitorum Longus
- Fibularis Longus
- Tibialis Anterior
- Flexor Hallux Longus

What are the potential consequences of an injury to the Achilles tendon?

- Pain and swelling
- Increased flexibility
- Improved balance
- Enhanced strength

Which of the following muscles are part of the posterior compartment of the lower leg? (Select all that apply)

- Gastrocnemius
- Tibialis Anterior
- Soleus
- Fibularis Brevis

Explain the symptoms and potential causes of compartment syndrome in the lower leg.

- Severe pain and swelling
- Numbness and tingling
- Muscle atrophy
- Joint dislocation

Which muscle assists in knee flexions?

- Soleus
- Plantaris
- Gastrocnemius
- Tibialis Posterior

Identify the muscles involved in dorsiflexions and explain their importance in walking.

- Tibialis anterior
- Soleus
- Gastrocnemius
- Flexor Hallux Longus

Explain how the posterior tibialis artery supports the function of the lower leg muscles.

- Supplies blood to the anterior compartment
- Supplies blood to the posterior compartment
- Supplies blood to the lateral compartment
- Supplies blood to the foot

Which muscles are responsible for plantarflexions of the foot? (Select all that apply)

- Tibialis Anterior
- Soleus
- Gastrocnemius
- Extensor Digitorum Longus

Which nerve innervates the anterior compartment of the lower leg?

- Tibia nerve
- Superficially fibular nerve
- Deep fibular nerve
- Sural nerve

What is the primary function of the gastrocnemius muscle?

- Dorsiflexions of the foot
- Plantarflexions of the foot
- Eversion of the foot
- Flexions of the toes