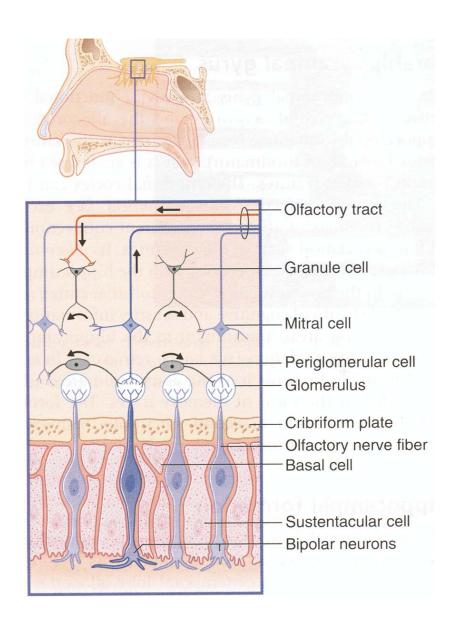


## LIMBIC SYSTEM

## **CONSTITUENTS**

- Hippocampus and dentate gyrus
- Uncus (Ento-Rhinal Cortex)
- Cingulate Gyrus
- Indusium Griseum
- Paraterminal Gyrus
- Amygdaloid Body
- Olfactory Nerves, tract and striae
- Fornix
- Siria terminalis
- Anterior Commissure



## **OLFACTORY SYSTEM**

- 1. Cell bodies are located in suface epithelium.
- 2. Axons of primary afferents enter cerebral cortex directly.
- 3. Primary neurons are replaced continuously.
- 4. Olfactory pathway is ipsilateral.

## **Functions**

- Integration of olfactory, visceral and somatic impulses
- Hunger, food and eating behaviour
- Sexual behaviour
- Emotional behaviour (cingulate gyrus)
- Recent memory (hippocampus)
- Perception of fear (amygdaloid)
- Drug dependence (septal nucleus)

