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# **Analgesic Agents**

- analgesic r medications used to relieve pain wout reducing the consciousness of the patient.
- they work by reducing the amount of the pain felt, not treat the cause of the pain.



# Within these classes of pain there are different levels of pain or categories of pain includes





# Opioid receptors group G-protein coupled receptors with opioids as ligands



#### **Opiod Receptor Activation**

Response	Mu-1	Mu-2	Карра	Delta	Sigma
Analgesia	X	X	X		
Respiratory depression		$\Rightarrow$			
Euphoria		X	×	X	
Dysphoria			X		
Decrease GI motility					
Physical Dependence		$\sim$			<u> </u>
Mania, hallucination					X

# **Opioid drugs**



smooth muscle (has little effect on the nervous system) 1- Morphine and related compounds:- there are compounds first obtained from opium alkaloid used for severe pain or postoperative pain and cancer pain. These drugs produce wide range of side effect like, constipation, respiratory depressant, and addiction liability.



# **SAR of morphine**



7,8-dehydro-4,5-epoxy-17-methyl morphinan-3,6-diol

#### SAR

1- Replacement of hydroxyl group at position 3 (phenolic) (codeine) or ethoxy (ethylmorphine) groups , results in by methoxy compound but less than morphine and act as cough depressant (antitussive effect



Codeine analgesic effect less than morphine cough depressant(antitussive effect) 7,8-dehydro-4,5-epoxy- 3-methoxy-17-methyl morphinan-6-ol 2- Esterfication of the phenolic and/ or alcoholic hydroxyl groups give cpds with greater activity than morphine but also with greater toxicity and addiction potential.

**C6-OH to OAc ↑ activity C3 and C6-OH to OAc ↑ activity** 



Heroin 7,8-dehydro-4,5-epoxy- 17-methyl-3,6-diacetyl morphinan

**3-** Reduction 7,8-double bond with replacement of alcoholic OH of morphine by C=O(ketone) give compound known as dilaudid (dihydromorphinone) which is more potent than morphine.



Dilaudid(dihydomorphinone, hydromorphone)) 4,5-epoxy- 3-hydroxy-17-methyl morphinan-6-one 4- Reduction of 7,8-double bond with replacement of alcoholic 6-OH of codiene by C=O (ketone) give compound known as <u>dicodid</u>.



Dicodid(dihydrocodeinone, hydrocodone) 4,5-epoxy- 3-methoxy-17-methyl morphinan-6-one more potent than codeine less potent than morphine Addition of hydroxyl group at position 5- 14dihydromorphinone to give dihydrohydroxymorphinone which is as effective as morphine in one-eighth to one-tenth the dosage.



Dihydrohydroxymorphinone(oxymorphone) 4,5-epoxy- 3,14-dihydroxy-17-methyl morphinan-6-one more potent than morphine Addition of hydroxyl group at position 14 dihydrocodeinone to give dihydrohydroxycodeinone which is more active than codeine and morphine.



Dihydrohydroxycodeinone analgesic and cough depressant more active than codeine and morphine

## 1929 Modification at by Small and Eddy G- Replacement of hydroxyl group at position 6 by H. ↑ activity

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dihydrodesoxymorphine

Replacement of the N-methyl group in morphine by larger alkyl groups not only lowers analgesic activity, but also confers morphine-antagonistic properties on the molecule

17- CH3 grp. replacement by - CH2CH=CH2, -CH2-cyclopropyl . isobutyl, result compound that act as antagonists (reversal of activity



Replacement of methyl group at position 17 by phenyl ethyl • group, ethyl furane ( $CH_2CH_2$  furan), and  $CH_2C=O$ phenyl, result in increase in activity which is an exception to the above rule.



Quaternization of nitrogen or replacement of N-methyl group by • result in decrease in activity.N-H group,



↓ Activty

Cl or Br substitution at position 1 • . NH<sub>2</sub> substitution at position 2 • result in decrease in activity•