

# efferent *(ef-fer-ent)*

## Definition

adj. carrying away from a central point or organ.

## Example Sentence

The doctor explained that the **efferent** nerves carry signals from the brain to the muscles.

## More Example Sentences

**Efferent** pathways carry signals away.

## Synonyms

outgoing; departing; excretory

## Antonyms

afferent; incoming; sensory

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