

# visceral muscle *(vis-cer-al-mus-cle)*

## Definition

n. Muscle tissue that is found in the internal organs and is responsible for involuntary movements, such as those in the intestines and blood vessels.

## Example Sentence

**Visceral muscle** contractions help move food through the digestive system.

## More Example Sentences

The doctor explained how **visceral muscle** functions differently from skeletal muscle.

## Synonyms

smooth muscle; involuntary muscle; non-striated muscle

## Antonyms

skeletal muscle; voluntary muscle; striated muscle

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