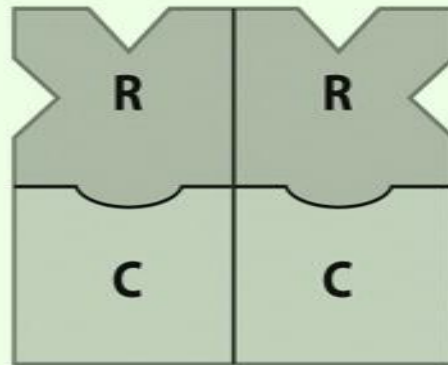


Activation of PKA by cAMP

Inactive PKA

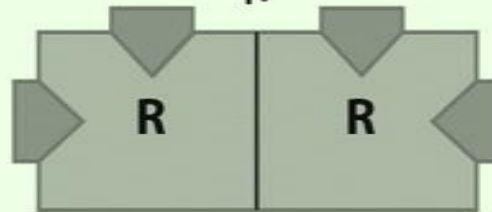
Regulatory subunits:
empty cAMP sites

Catalytic subunits:
substrate-binding
sites blocked by
autoinhibitory
domains of R subunits



4 cAMP

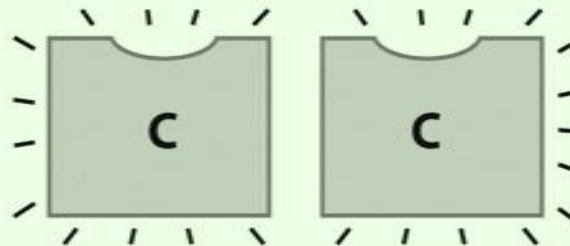
Regulatory subunits:
autoinhibitory
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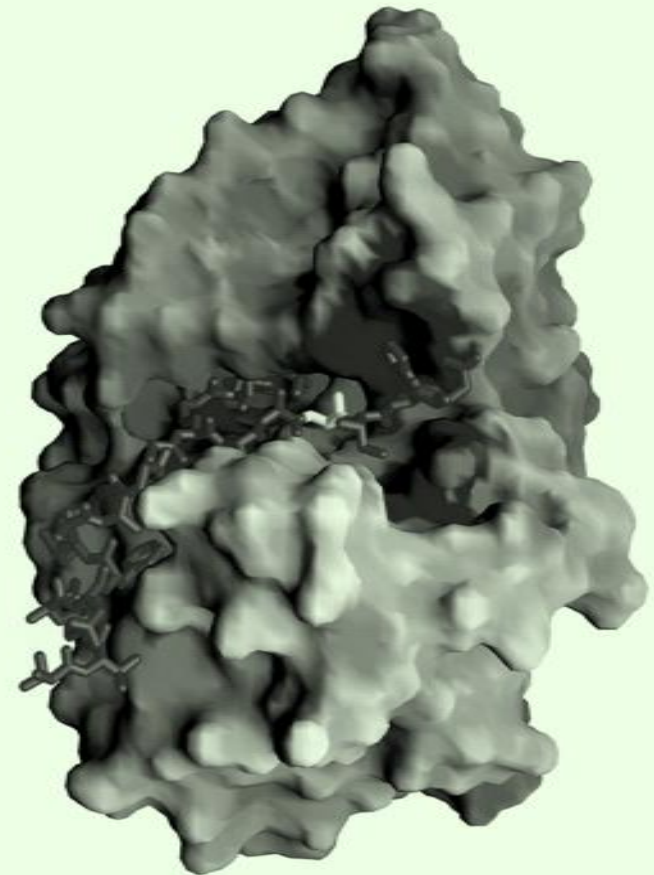
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Active PKA

Catalytic subunits:
open substrate-
binding sites



(a)



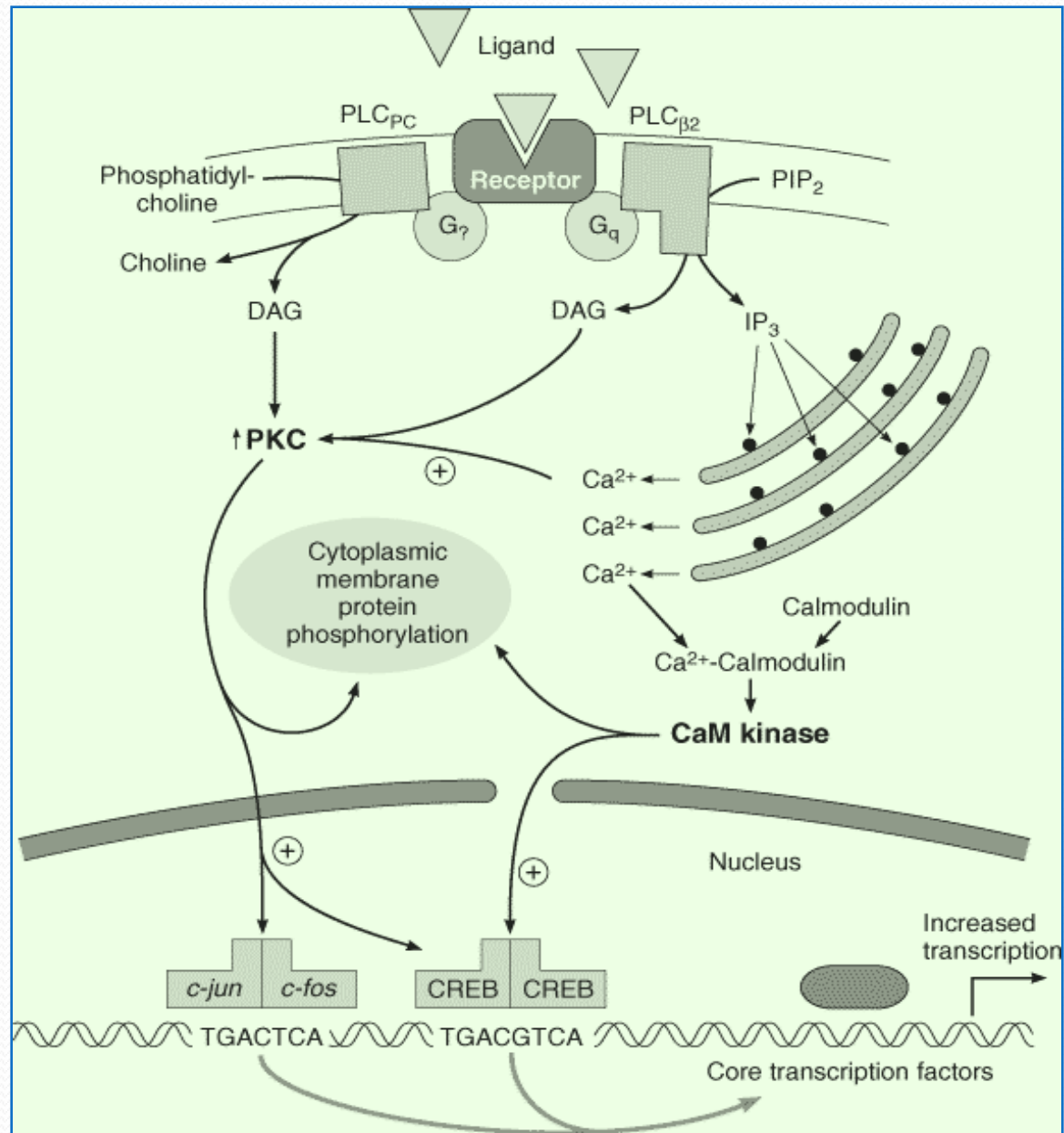
(b)

G protein Transducers (2)

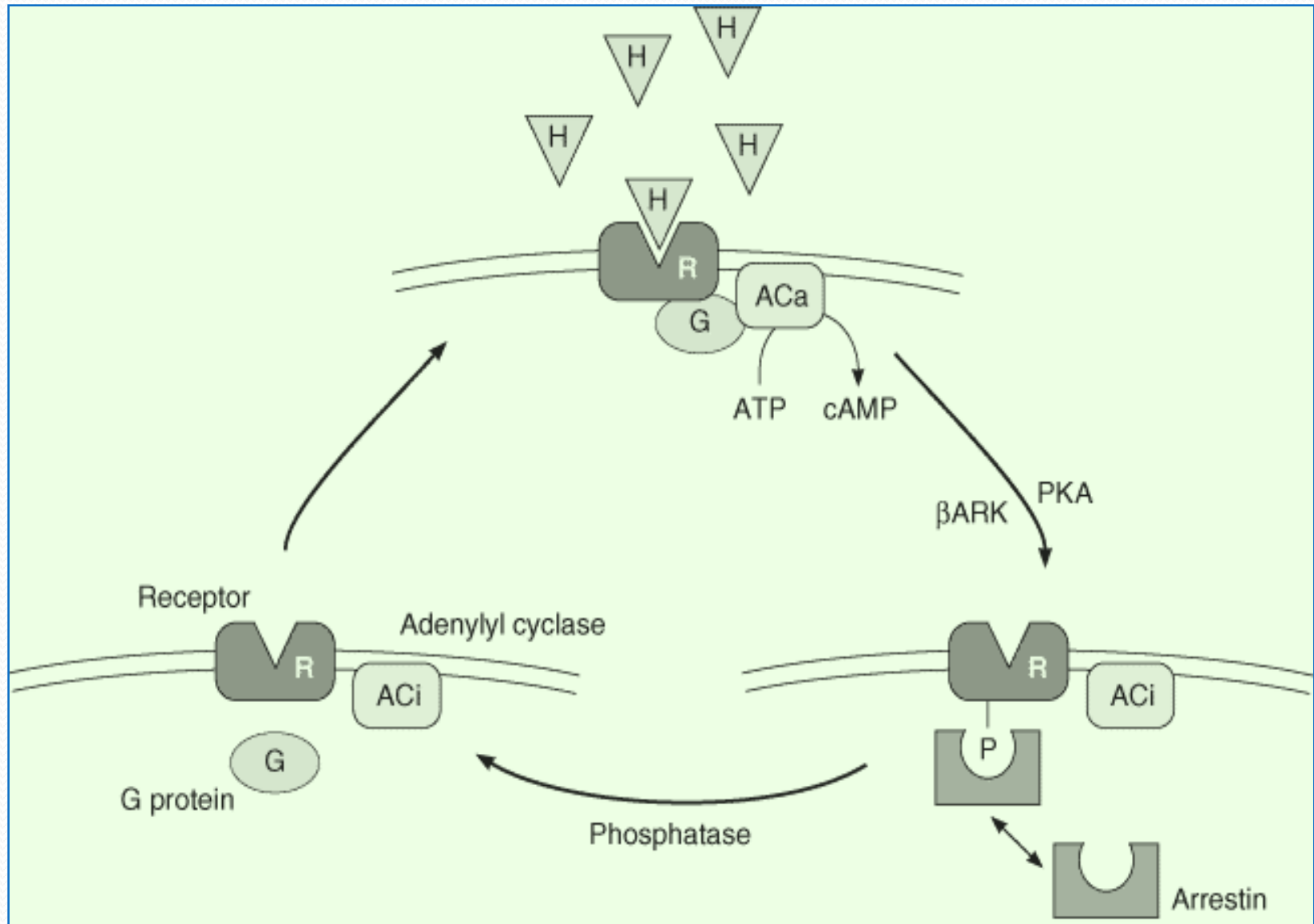
G protein disorders

- **Cholera toxin:** Covalent modification inhibits GTPase $\rightarrow \uparrow$ CAMP.
- **Pertussis toxin:** covalent modification of $G_i \rightarrow$ inactivation.

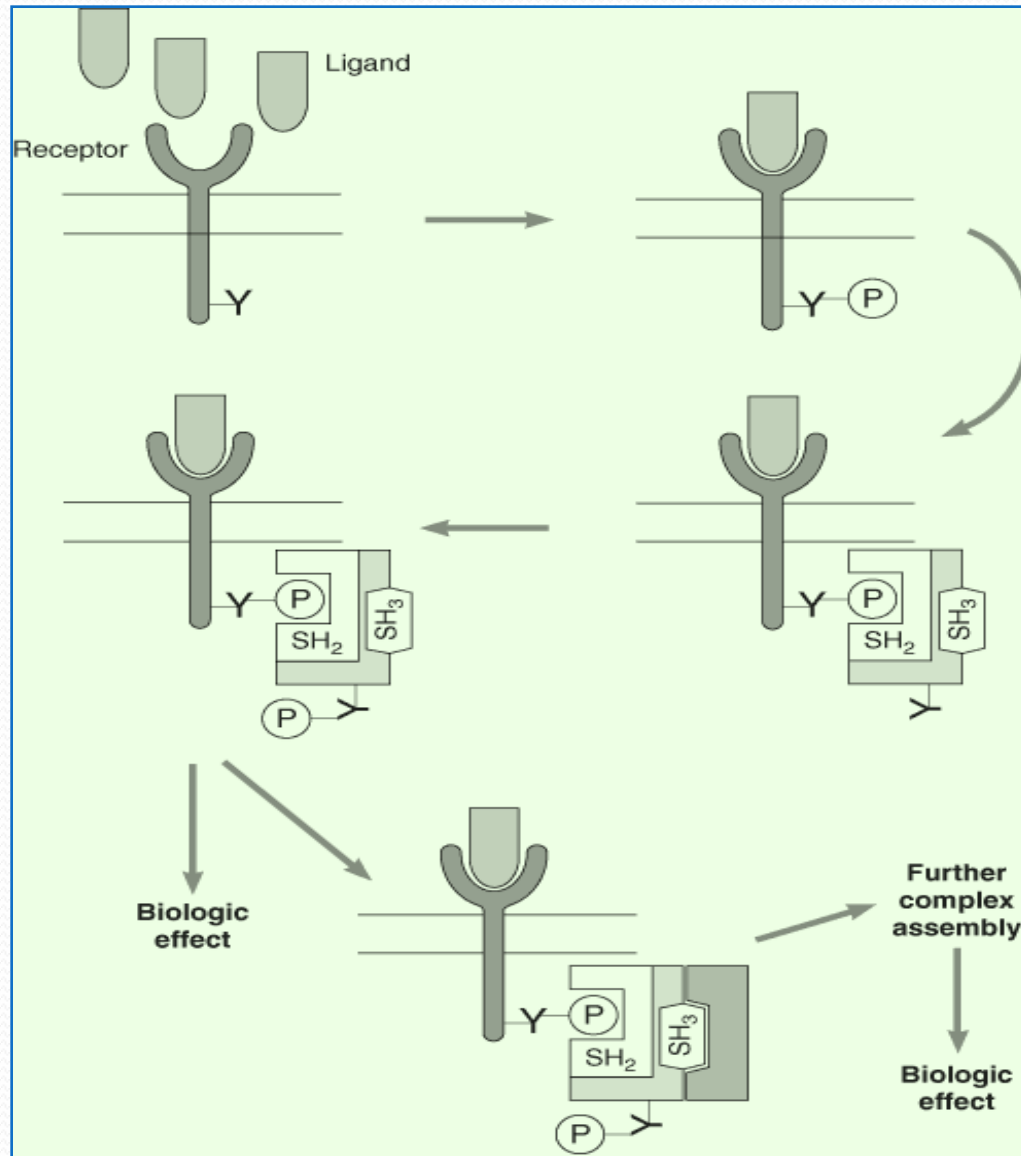
Signal Transduction-PLC



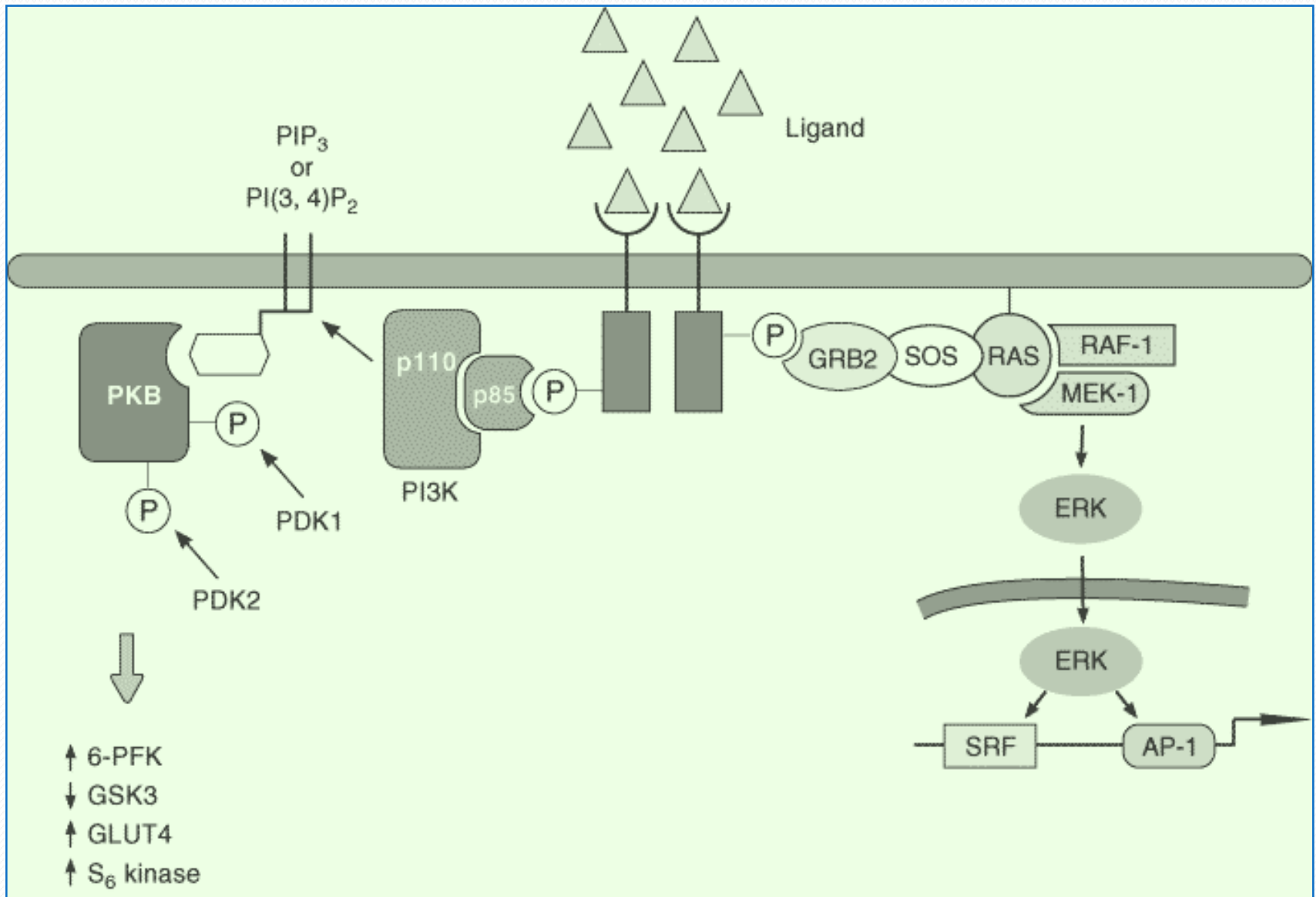
Desensitization of Ligand-Receptor Complex



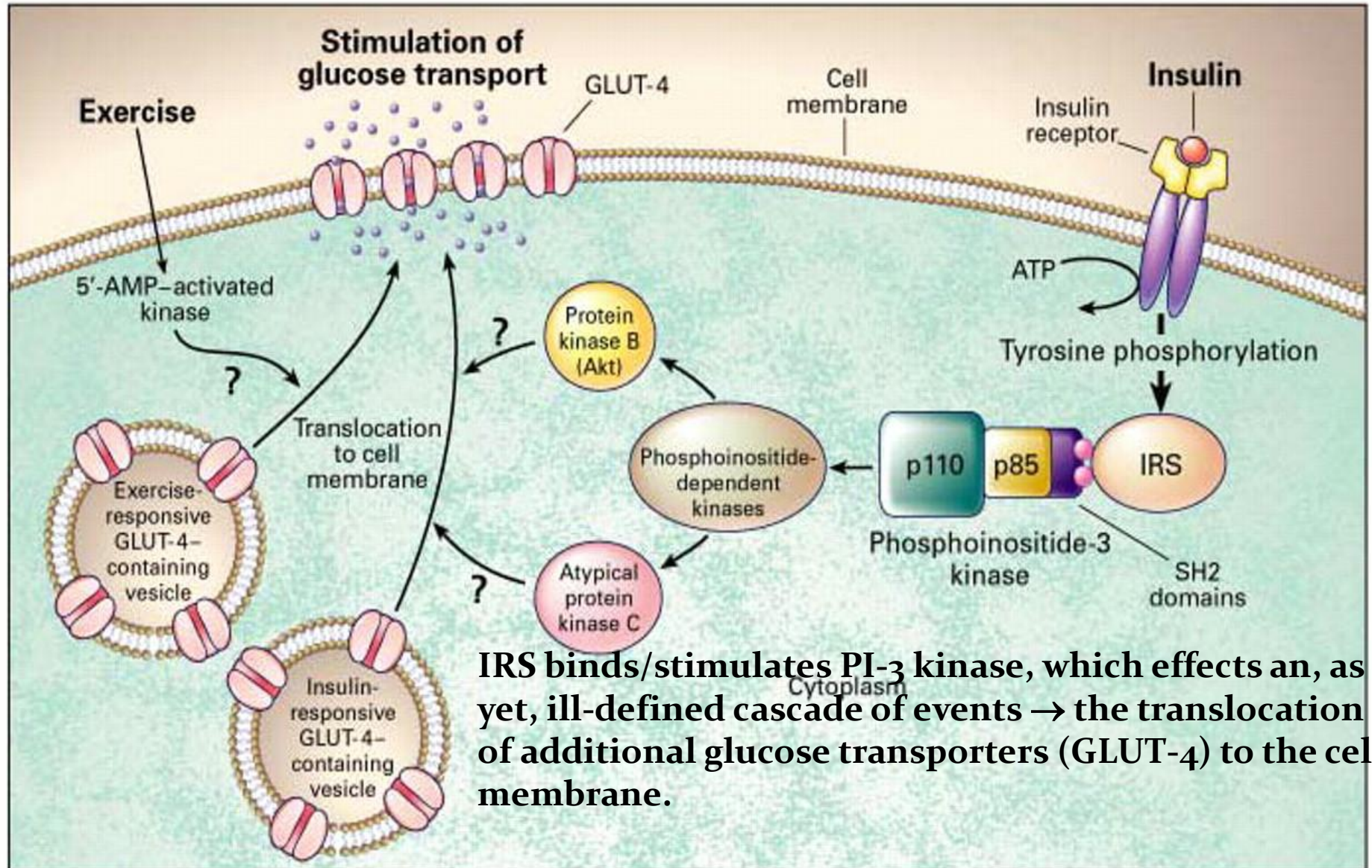
Signaling by Tyrosine Kinase-Containing Growth Factor Receptor



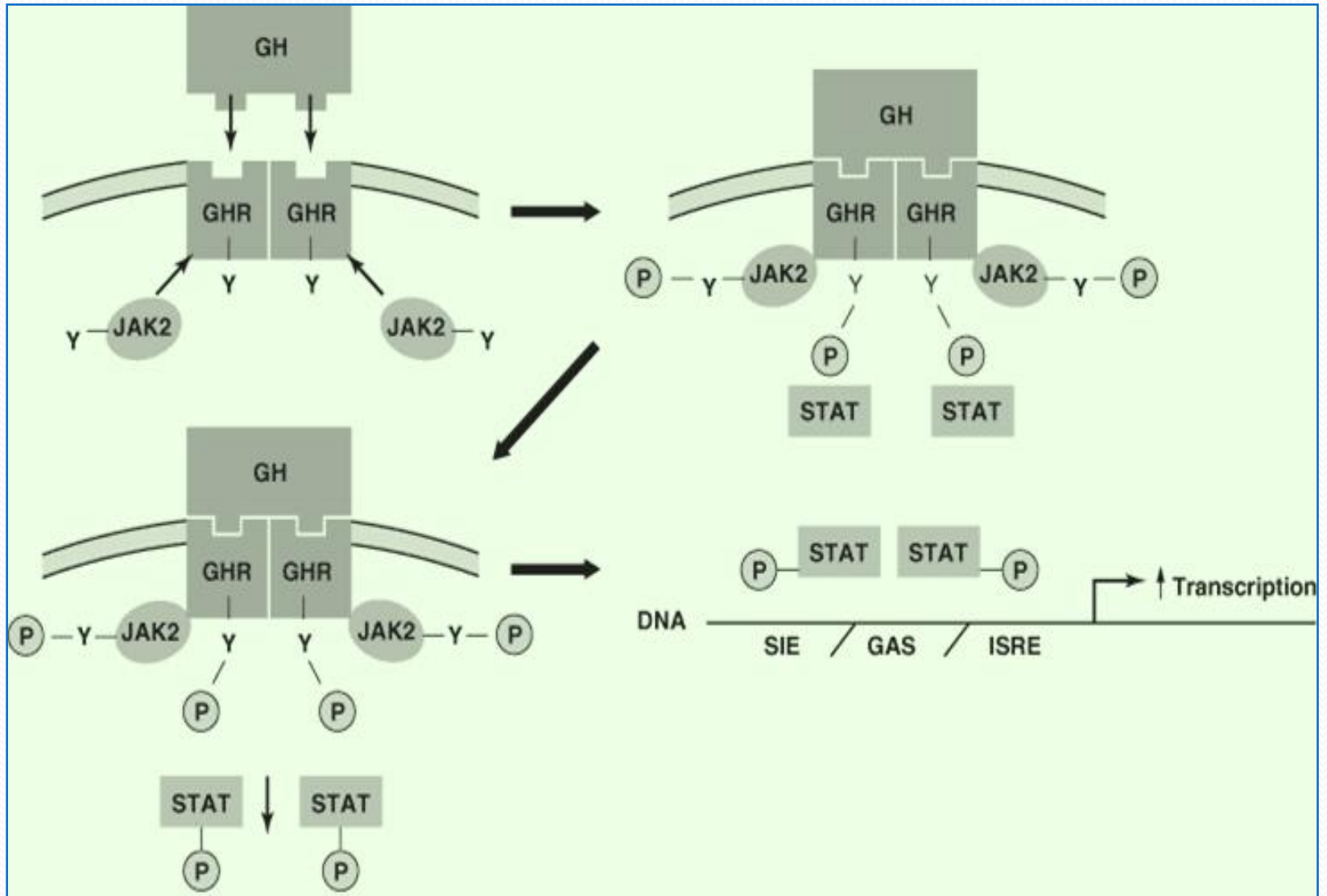
Growth Factor-Dependent Pathway



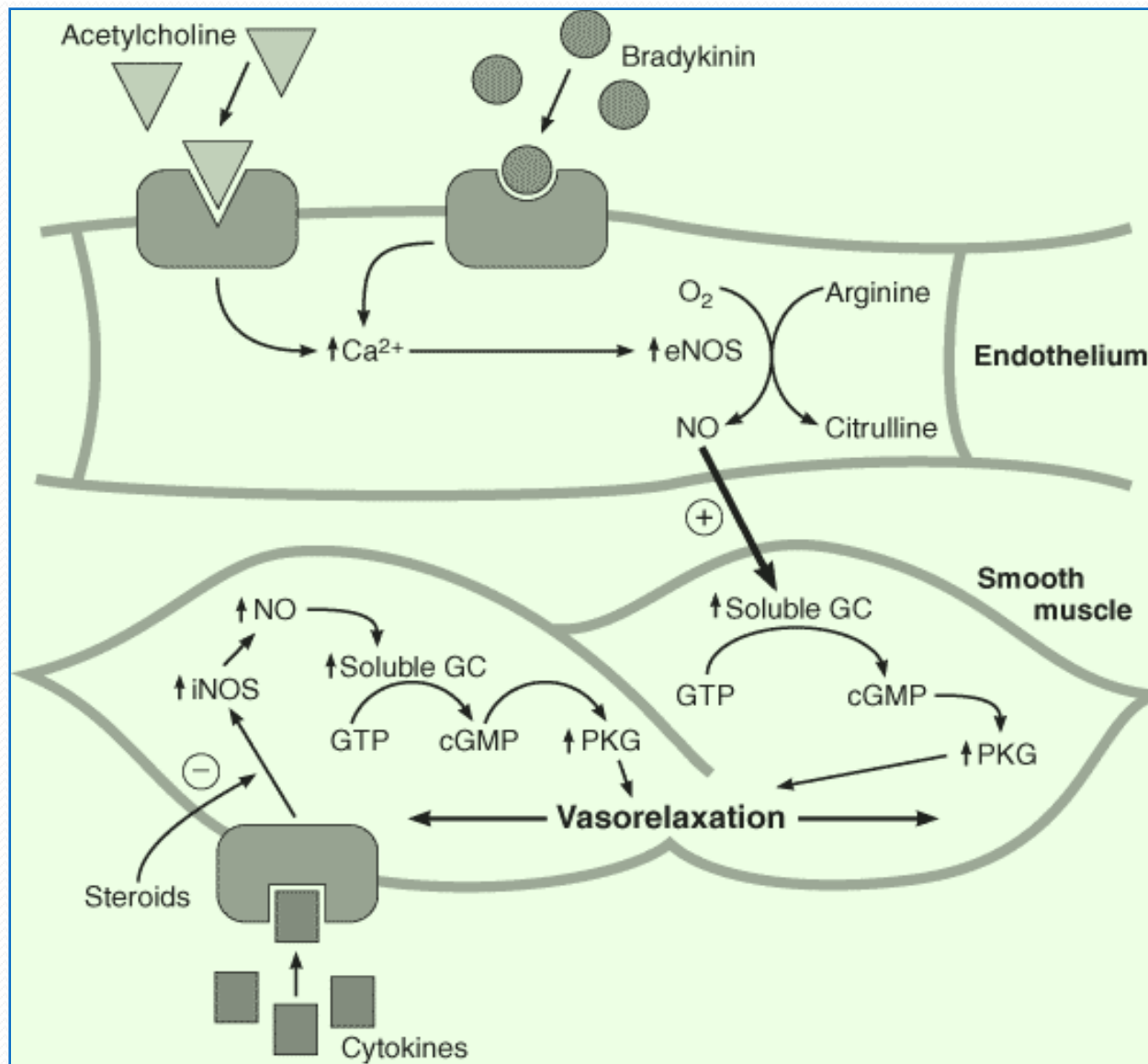
Insulin-dependent stimulation of glucose uptake occurs through a Ras-independent pathway!



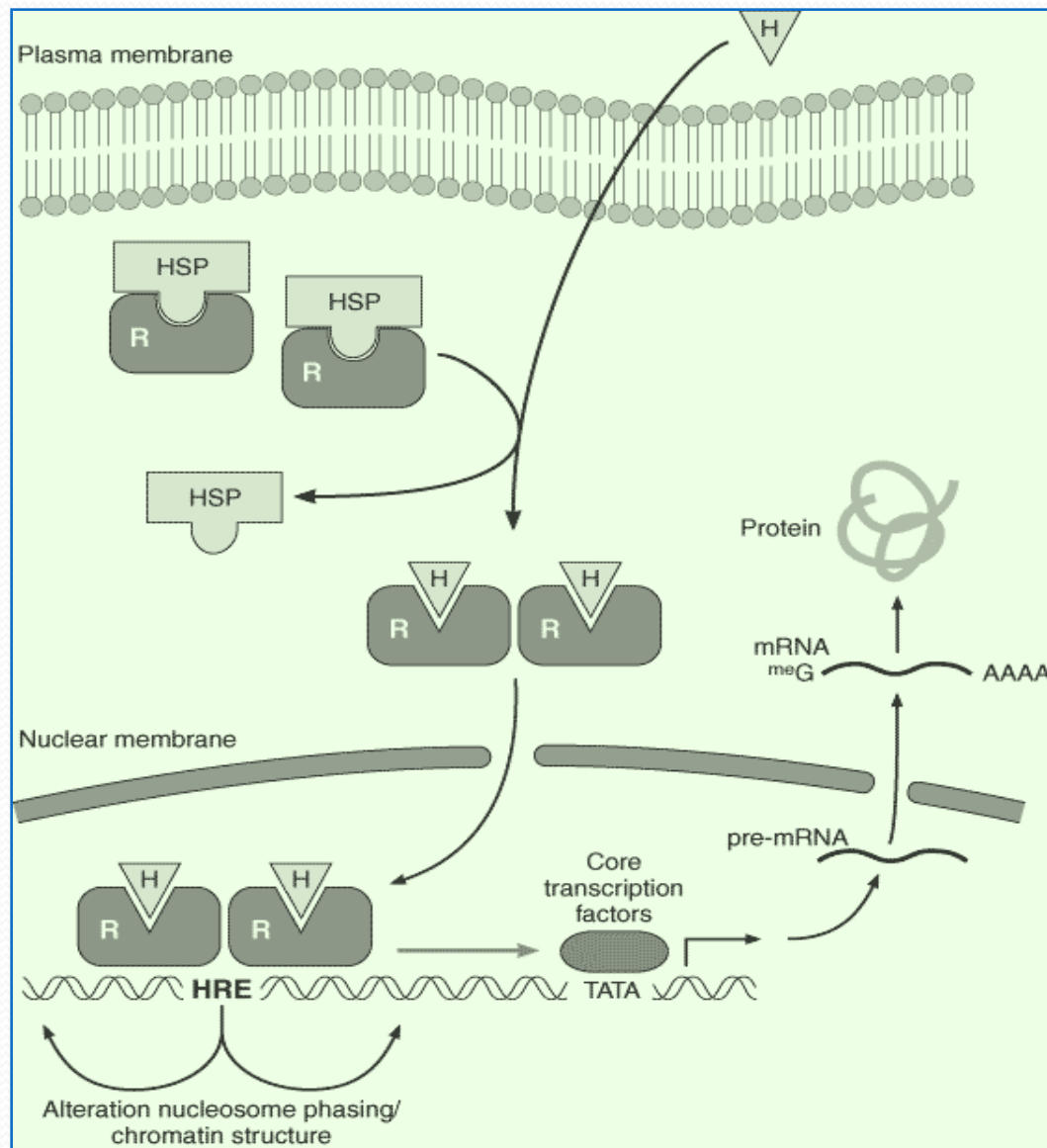
Signaling by the GH Receptor



Signaling through NO



Steroid-Receptor Signaling



Steroid Receptor

| NH ₂ | DBD | LBD |
|------------------------------------|-----------------------------|--|
| | | |
| Ligand-independent transactivation | DNA binding Dimerization | Hetero- and homo-dimerization Ligand binding Ligand-dependent transactivation Nuclear translocation Association with heat shock proteins |

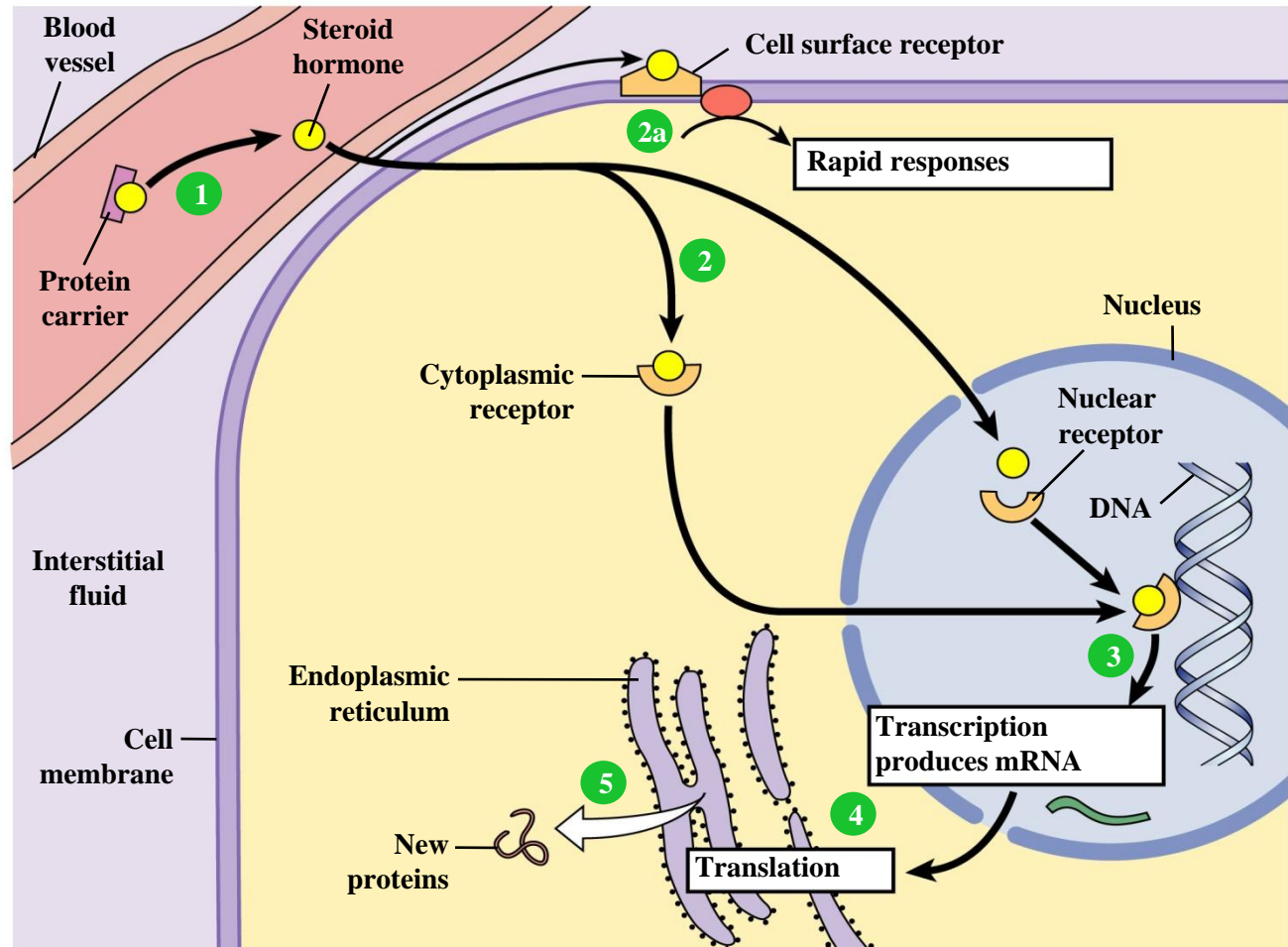
Steroid Hormones: Action

1 Most hydrophobic steroids are bound to plasma protein carriers. Only unbound hormones can diffuse into the target cell.

2 Steroid hormone receptors are typically in the cytoplasm or nucleus.

2a Some steroid hormones also bind to membrane receptors that use second messenger systems to create rapid cellular responses.

3 The receptor-hormone complex binds to DNA and activates or represses one or more genes.



4 Activated genes create new mRNA that moves into the cytoplasm.

5 Translation produces new proteins for cell processes.