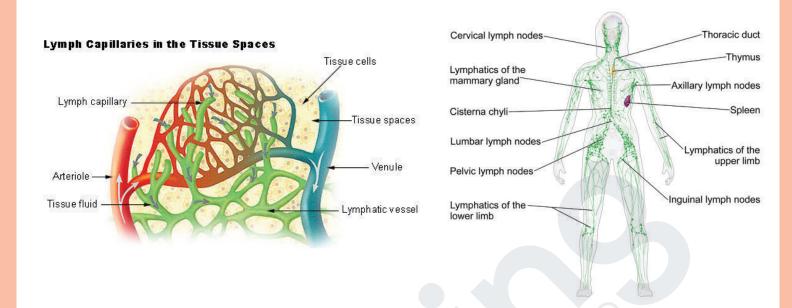
## LYMPH SYSTEM ANATOMY



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## **Lymph Vessels**

Organ	Function
Lymph-capillaries	Extracellular fluid move from interstitial space into lymph system
Lymphatic collecting vessels	Has valves and moves fluid through lymph system
Lymphatic ducts	<ul> <li>Larger collecting vessels which transport fluid to subclavian veins and back to the circulatory system</li> <li>Cisterna chyli receives lymph from veins and splits into R &amp; L sides</li> </ul>
Lymph Fluid	Transport medium for the lymph system
Lymph Nodes	<ul><li>Site for T-Cells, B-Cells and other WBCs</li><li>Acts as a filter for the lymph system to destroy pathogens</li></ul>
Spleen	<ul> <li>Produce immune cells</li> <li>Remove particulate matter &amp; blood cells (red blood cells)</li> <li>Produce blood cells during gestation</li> </ul>
Thymus	Site of maturing T-Cells

