

Week 7 Discussion: Articulations and Joints

Required Resources

Read/review the following resources for this activity:

- **Textbook reading**
- **Lesson**
- **Minimum of 1 scholarly source**

In your reference for this assignment, be sure to include both your text/class materials AND your outside reading(s).

Initial Post Instructions

One of the main themes of this course (as well as the entire A&P series) is the relationship between structure and function (i.e. anatomy and physiology). You are currently learning about the structure and functions of joints. In this discussion, address the following topics:

- **How does the structure of a joint play a role in its stability?**
- **How does the function of a joint play a role in its mobility?**
- **How does stability relate to mobility?**
- **Propose a rationale for why shoulder dislocations are the most common type of joint injury?**

Follow-up Post Instructions

Response to at least one peer or the instructor. Further the dialogue by providing more information and clarification.