


May 2009 - NeuroCalendar

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1 Neuroanatomist and Nobel prize winner Santiago Ramon y Cajal was born in 1852.	2 J. Hughes discovered "enkephalins" in 1975. Nobel prize winner John C. Eccles died in 1997.
3	4 Thomas Henry Huxley was born in 1825; he defended Darwinism and the scientific method. Anxiety Disorders Screening Day	5	6 Sigmund Freud was born in 1856.	7	8	9 W. Moulton Marston was born in 1893; his research led to the development of the first "lie detector." The first eye bank in the US opened in New York City in 1944.
10 The American Association for the Advancement of Science was founded in 1848.	11 Herbert Spencer Gasser, who won the Nobel Prize in 1944 for his work on nerve fibers, died in 1963.	12	13	14 Psychoanalyst Helen Flanders Dunbar was born in 1902.	15	16
17	18	19	20 In 1848, George John Romanes, the founder of comparative psychology, was born.	21 Hans Berger, inventor of the electroencephalograph, was born in 1873. Bengt Ingemar Samuelsson, Nobel prize winner for his discovery of prostaglandins, was born in 1934.	22	23 Franz Anton Mesmer, a pioneer in the field of hypnotism, was born in 1734.
24	25	26	27	28 Stanley B. Prusiner, Nobel prize winner in 1997 for the discovery of prions, was born in 1942.	29	30 Julius Axelrod, Nobel prize winner for his work on neurotransmitters, was born in 1912. Psychologist James Olds was born in 1922.
31 World No-Tobacco Day	Better Hearing and Speech Month / Better Sleep Month / Healthy Vision Month / Huntington's Disease Awareness Month / Lyme Disease Awareness Month / Mental Health Month / National Stroke Awareness Month					