The world's largest invertebrate is the giant squid (*Architeuthis dux*).

Venomous snakes can be dangerous even after they are dead.

The human brain accounts for about 2% of total body weight.

When asleep, humans spend 23.1% of the time in REM sleep.

The cerebellum makes up 10% of the total volume of the human brain.

The brain of a dolphin weighs about 1,500 g.
March 7 - Tuesday

The average human brain is about 167 mm long.

March 8 - Wednesday

The brain is about 78% water.

March 9 - Thursday

There are 12 cranial nerves.

March 10 - Friday

The brain of an octopus contains about 300 million neurons.

March 11 - Saturday

Cerebrospinal fluid is about 99% water.

March 12 - Sunday

Humans have about 10,000 taste buds.
March 13 - Monday

Brain Awareness Week starts today.

March 14 - Tuesday

The lens of the eye is about 65% water and 35% protein.

March 15 - Wednesday

The PET scan was developed in 1974.

March 16 - Thursday

Humans have about 40 million olfactory receptor cells.

March 17 - Friday

Rabbits have about 100 million olfactory receptor cells.

March 18 - Saturday

The Society for Neuroscience was founded in 1969.
The brain of a chimpanzee weighs about 420 grams.

Cats can hear sounds ranging from 100 to 60,000 Hz.

The eye of the giant squid is 250 mm in diameter.

The cost of Alzheimer's disease in the US is about $90 billion.

The chameleon can move each of its eyes independently.

Brain damage that affects language ability is called aphasia.
March 25 - Saturday

Cone receptors in the eye provide information related to color.

March 26 - Sunday

GABA is an important amino acid that is also a neurotransmitter.

March 27 - Monday

National Sleep Awareness Week starts today.

March 28 - Tuesday

Botulism is caused by a toxin that prevents the release of acetylcholine.

March 29 - Wednesday

Black widow spider toxin enhances the release of acetylcholine.

March 30 - Thursday

Lyme disease is caused by a bacterium transmitted by a tick.
The barbiturate called pentobarbital is known as "truth serum."