

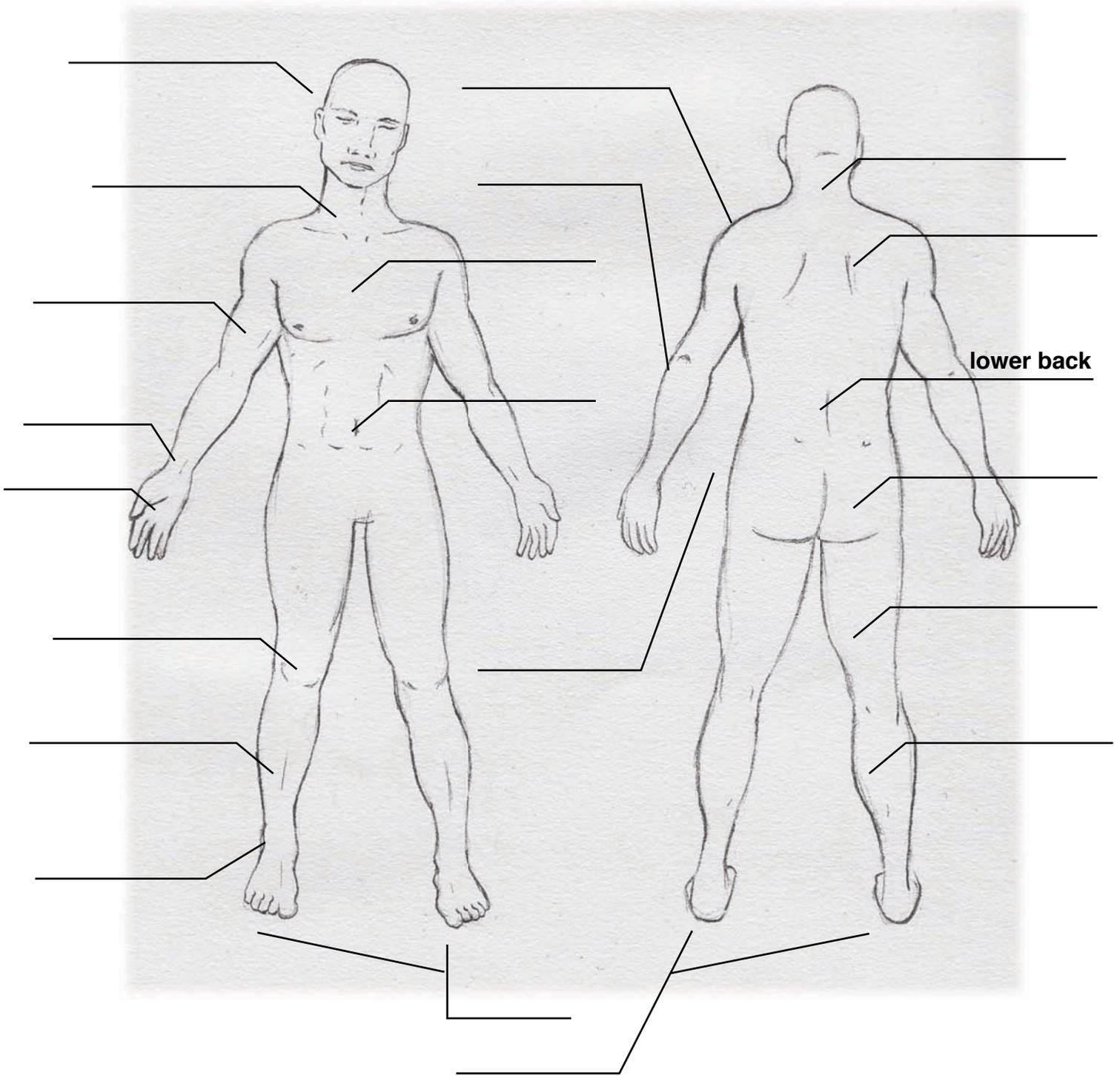
Label The Human Body

1 - neck
2 - knee
3 - toes
4 - arm
5 - shin

6 - upper back
7 - head
8 - elbow
9 - hip
10 - buttocks

11 - thigh
12 - shoulder
13 - wrist
14 - ankle
15 - calf

16 - navel
17 - throat
18 - chest
19 - hand
20 - heels



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This worksheet focusses on labeling the most commonly talked about parts of the human body. Well, most of them anyway. How you use this is really up to the needs of the students you are working with and the context in which you use the sheet. In my case I used this in connection with medical discussions and role plays. I ran a role play in which students asked and answered questions they might use when at the doctors or reporting injuries. The conversation functions were the most important things but without the appropriate vocabulary it was very hard for students to communicate clearly.

How to use the worksheet.

1. **Introduce** the topic or the worksheet to students. **I usually give this as homework but you can use it in class as well.** You might want to use this in context with a medical role play as stated above.
2. **Check** students' answers and confirm understanding. (How you do this is up to you but I suggest showing some tact. Talking about the human body could be a taboo or slightly to very sensitive topic for certain people or for people from particular cultural backgrounds.

Note:

- This worksheet is probably best used as a preview. Give it as homework the class before you cover this topic to save class time, then review it at the start of class.

- I purposely used a male and did not illustrate the genitalia in order to avoid some of the "sensitive" language that might come up in this role play. I don't think that's necessarily fair or balanced but it has kept things fairly under control in my classes so far. It may not be gender-sensitive for you or I as the teachers or for most mature adults but it is important to remember the students' backgrounds when dealing with this subject and this was one way to avoid any upset feelings or offense with the groups I've had.