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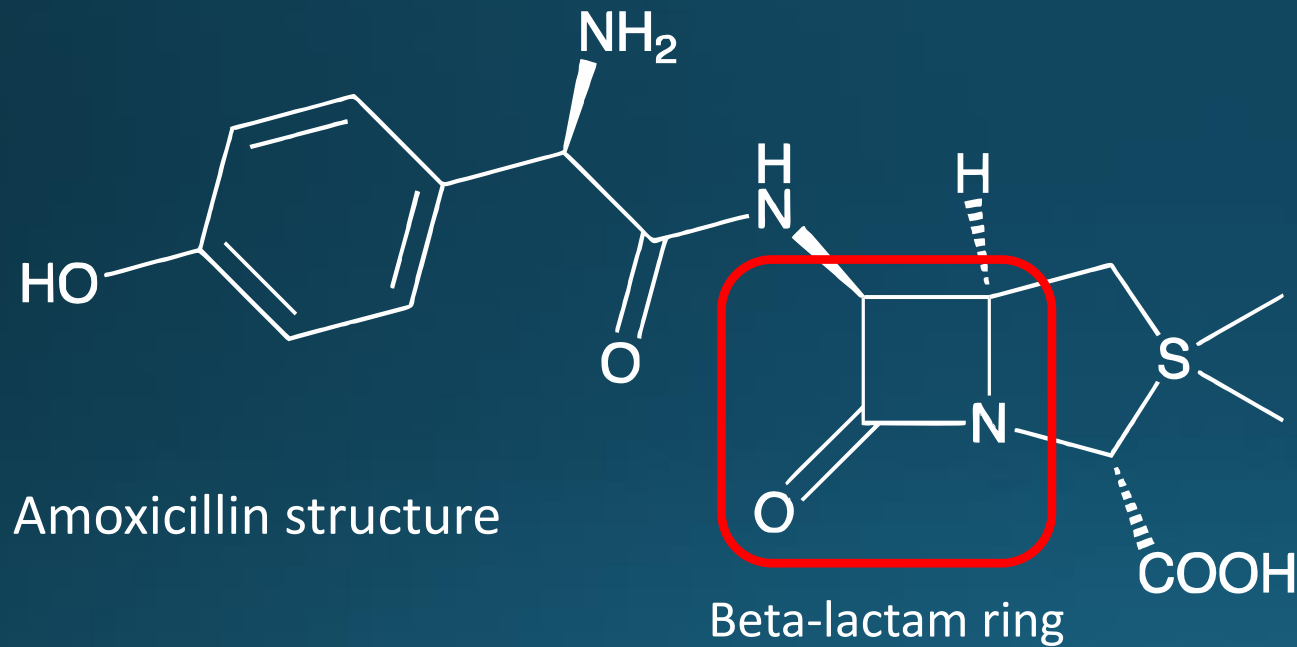
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Epileptogenesis of beta-lactams



Cortical pyramidal cell



Inhibition

GABA receptor

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Epileptic manifestations in the context of drug exposure



➤ Drug-induced seizures are usually self-limiting and do not recur if the offending medication is discontinued ◀