

# Endocrine System

1. How are endocrine glands different from exocrine glands (like the salivary glands)?
2. Which gland is referred to as the “master gland”? Why is it called that?
3. What is a hormone?
4. How do hormones only affect specific target cells even though they are distributed throughout the body?
5. What is insulin? Where is it produced?
6. What would happen if a person injected themselves with too high a dose of insulin?