BI 358 Active Learning Q Lecture 1

1.	What is homeostasis and within what body compartment is it maintained? What level of body organization maintains homeostasis? Why is homeostasis important?
2.	What is the difference between interstitium and plasma? What do they have in common? Where do they mingle or intermix?
3.	Trace the path of <i>cigarette smoke</i> from puff to brain identifying <i>all organs</i> and <i>tissues</i> along the way? What is the estimated <i>time frame</i> ? Why is <i>ammonia</i> added to cigarettes by tobacco companies?
4.	What is the <i>function of a receptor</i> in a simplified homeostatic model? Where is the <i>set point</i> maintained? When might <i>positive feedback</i> be used?
5.	Where are <i>baroreceptors</i> located? What do baroreceptors do, that is, what is their <i>function</i> ? When a human moves from supine or <i>seated to standing</i> , how do the baroreceptors <i>respond</i> ? Where is the <i>set point for blood pressure</i> located? What <i>target organs</i> to compensate for a sudden change in pressure?