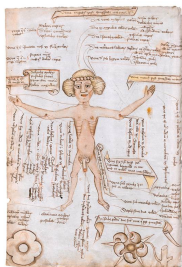


## THE PIONEERS OF NEUROSCIENCE IN POLAND



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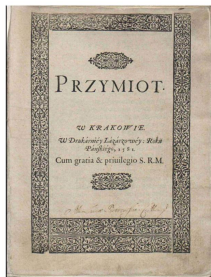


Anatomy of the man. The figure from the manuscript „*Mibi Competit*” from the 14th century, written by Tomasz of Wrocław [1297-1378] – surgeon of Silesian dukes. Photograph from the website [http://www.medycynapolska.eu/default\\_005.html](http://www.medycynapolska.eu/default_005.html)

- the history of Polish sociology can be divided into certain periods:
  - the oldest from the earliest times until the mid-eighteenth century
  - the period of the greatest development of sociology from the middle of the nineteenth century to World War I
  - the interwar period
  - the period of modern sociology: from the mid-twentieth century to the present



Stefan Falimierz in the book „On herbs and their potency” published in 1534 recommended the cupping therapy also in neurological diseases. The figure shows the places of the cupping therapy.

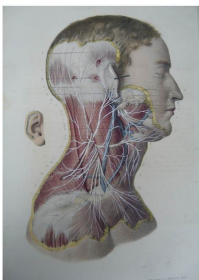


Cover page of the book "Syphilis" by Wojciech Oczko, published in 1581, in which the neurological symptoms of syphilis have been described.



Polish pharmacy in the 16th century. Figure form the book  
„On herbs and their potency” from 1534

On the other hand, we should acknowledge the enormous efforts of accident survivors, who were fighting in any way they could with diseases, the mechanisms of which they did not understand. Moreover, the study of still-things was not only about us; it was to learn something from the history of medicine, but also to understand the range of medical science development.



The scheme of nerves of the neck from „*Neurologie ou description et iconographie du système nerveux et des organes des sens de l'homme*“ published in Paris in 1854 by Polish anatomist Ludwik Maurycy Hirschfeld.

Biographies of the pioneers of neuroscience in Poland are presented in links below:

Wojciech Brudziński

Napoleon Cyt

Edward Flanagan

Samuel Goldf

Wagdy Elzein

Kazimierz Orz

Jan Pittz

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