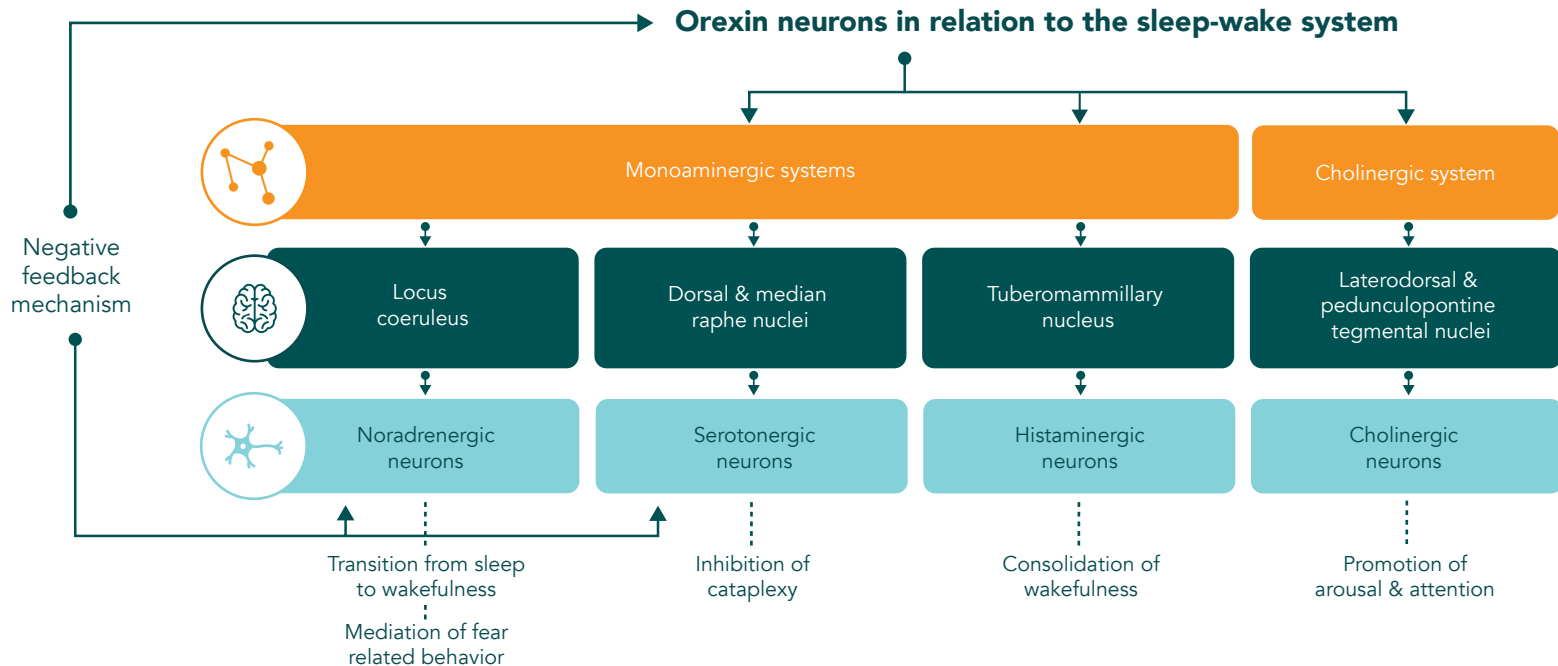


Interaction between orexin neurons and monoaminergic systems



Key point: Orexin neurons strongly excite the monoaminergic neurons in the brain stem regions. These connections play important roles in the regulation of sleep and wakefulness.

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