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The fornix (Latin, “vault” or “arch”) is a C-shaped bundle of fibers (axons) in the brain, and carries signals from the [hippocampus](#) to the [hypothalamus](#). The fornix is part of the [limbic system](#). While its exact function and importance in the overall brain physiology is still not entirely clear, it has been demonstrated that surgical transection – the cutting of the fornix along its body – can cause [memory loss](#) in humans.

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