

Posterior subthalamic area

Posterior subthalamic area deep brain stimulation.

The [posterior subthalamic area](#) (PSA) includes the [zona incerta](#) (ZI) and the [prelemniscal radiation](#) (RapRL), which itself consists of the [cerebellothalamic fascicle](#) (fct) (or [dentato-rubro-thalamic tract](#) [DRTT]) and [pallidothalamic fibers](#), and was targeted for lesioning as early as 1960 by Wertheimer et al.¹⁾

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Wertheimer P, Lapras C, Levy A: [Trials in thalamic surgery.] Neurochirurgie 6:105-112, 1960

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