



MANSUR'S ANATOMY (TASHRIH-I BADAN-I İNSAN)

Mansur İbn Muhammad İbn Ahmad İbn Yusuf İbn İlyas was a Persian scholar from Shiraz who lived between the late 14th and early 15th century. He was an anatomist and physician who published an illustrated text containing two-dimensional colored figures of the human body. The book known as Mansur's Anatomy (Tashrih-i Badan-i İnsan) is considered the first colored atlas of its kind in the history of medicine. The book is arranged in Persian and composed in seven sections including the introduction in addition to the skeletal, nervous, muscular, arterial, venous systems and a picture of a pregnant woman delivering a breech baby. The colored picture illustrated on the cover shows arteries in red.

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