

Acromioclavicular articulation

Template:Infobox - joint Connects the outer end of the clavicle with the akromiem.

Type of the joint: small-scale rigid joint (amphiarthrosis), a disc can be inserted.

Articulating surfaces: on the acromium and the acromial end of the clavicle, flat, oval.

Articular capsule: stiff, short, cranially thickened;

- lig. acromioclaviculare – strengthens the upper side of the capsule.

Movements: small scale, complements the movements of the sternoclavicular joint.

Vessels and nerves of the joint:

- a. thoracoacromialis;
- nn. supraclavulares laterales.

Links

Used literature

- ČIHÁK, Radomír – GRIM, Miloš. *Anatomie 1., Ilustrace* Milan Med. 2., upravené a doplněné vydání edition. Praha : Grada, 2001. 497 pp. ISBN 80-7169-970-5.