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"Sawal\_7432" <sawal\_7432@yahoo.co.uk> wrote in message  
news:5cd326f1.0409260957.760f5405@posting.google.com...  
> *Hi, i have a question about the human brain: It's a fact that humans  
> can't feel their brains,I mean during brain surgery the surgeon can be  
> cutting the patients brain,and they will not feel anything.If this is  
> the case,then how is it that ppl who suffer from migraines/headaches  
> describe feeling pain in their heads? Also, if you read the reports of  
> drug experineces on online websites, ppl using a variety of different  
> drugs report feeling stimulaion in their spinal cord and also their  
> brains?  
> Thanks for reading my post and i look forward to reading any  
> explanations to this paradox because i have struck by it for quite a  
> long time.Bye.*

Migraines and headaches appear to originate in inflammation of the covering of the brain. In migraines there is often abnormal blood flows so the pain may be originating in blood vessels but I suspect it still involves the tissues surrounding the brain. As usual the research is controversial but if you read enough neuroscience you get used to that. Certainty is for the ignorant.

John.