





- Exchange of O2, CO2
 Transfer of
- Nutrients and Electrolytes
- Maternal Antibodies
- Drugs and its Metabolits
- Hormones
- Waste produces

Fetal part

Formed from: Villous Chorion



chorionic villi

Is the extension branchs of umbilical vessels



0-20wks (4 layers)

- Syncytiotrophoblas.
- Cytotrophoblast.
- Connective tissue Endothelium of fetal capillaries.

Full term pregnancy

2 veins + one artery

Chorionic plate

- Syncytiotrohoblast.
- Connective tissue.
- Endothelium of the capillaries.

Other sites

- Syncytiotrohoblast
- Endothelium of the capillaries.

Called: Vasculosyncytial



ろ- Placenta Previa

Fate: detach from the uterine wall (within 15 minutes after birth