

Which choice below best fits in the blank? The four parathyroid glands secrete parathyroid hormone, or PTH, the main regulator of the ___ levels in the blood.

A glucose

B oxygen

C calcium

D protein

PTH is secreted by the parathyroid glands in response to low blood calcium levels. This hormone acts on living bone cells and on the nephrons of the kidney.

Answer C.

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