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# Extensor Digitorum Communis

National Cancer Institute

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A muscle originating at the lateral epicondyle of the humerus and inserted at the base of the proximal and middle phalanges as well as the base of the distal phalanges which controls the extension of the fingers.