Chullin 72/73 – Good Morning Raboisai

1️⃣ Tumah בית הסתרים vs Revealed Contact

Gemara:

👉 כלל:

👉 Tumah in a **hidden place (בית הסתרים)**:

- Does NOT transfer tumah

📌 קושיא

👉 Limb (אבר מן החי) touches fetus internally

👉 Should be:

- Hidden contact → no tumah

2️⃣ Two Answers

👉 **עולא**:

- During cutting → moment of exposed contact

👉 Therefore:

- Tumah transfers

👉 **רבינא**:

- Limb is **about to be cut**

👉 כלל:

- Anything about to be cut → considered already cut

📌 Result

👉 Not hidden contact

👉 Considered:

- Two separate pieces touching

3️⃣ יסוד גדול

👉 "עומד להיחתך – כחתוך דמי"

👉 Changes status from:

- Hidden → revealed

4️⃣ Application – Mikvah Case

👉 Long handle of כלי

📌 דין

👉 Only need to tovel:

- Necessary part

👉 Extra part:

- Considered already removed

5️⃣ חידוש

👉 Even חכמים agree (by food):

👉 Soft / separable items:

- Considered detached

6️⃣ Return to Mishnah

👉 Limb sticking out → cut after שחיטה

📌 דין

👉 According to ר׳ מאיר:

- Remaining fetus becomes טמא

👉 According to חכמים:

- No tumah

7️⃣ יסוד מחלוקת

👉 Does contact count?

👉 Or is it considered separated?

8️⃣ סוגיא – אבר המדולדל New

👉 Dangling limb (still attached)

📌 שאלה

👉 Does שחיטה help it?

9️⃣ Initial Understanding

👉 Some hold:

- שחיטה does NOT help

👉 Because:

- Considered already detached

🔟 Clarification

👉 מסקנה:

👉 “אין שחיטה עושה ניפול”

👉 שחיטה does NOT treat it as fallen off

👉 Therefore:

- שחיטה DOES help

1️⃣1️⃣ חילוק

👉 Limb that went out:

- Not part of body → שחיטה may not help

👉 Dangling limb:

- Still part of body → שחיטה helps

1️⃣2️⃣ After Death

👉 If animal dies:

📌 דין

👉 Dangling limb considered:

- Detached before death

👉 Therefore:

- אבר מן החי

1️⃣3️⃣ נפק״מ

👉 Meat from that limb:

- Different tumah than נבילה

1️⃣4️⃣ Additional דין

👉 Dangling meat/limb needs:

- הכשר (liquid prep) to become טמא

📌 **Even though:**

👉 Severe איסור

1️⃣ 5️⃣ **Final יסוד**

- Hidden contact does not transfer tumah
- Cutting or “about to be cut” creates revealed contact
- שחיטה does not automatically detach limbs
- Dangling limb differs from limb that exited body
- Status depends on connection to גוף
- Preparation needed for tumah even in severe cases

🔑 **Key Takeaways**

- Tumah does not transfer through hidden contact
- Cutting (or being about to be cut) creates real contact
- This allows tumah to transfer in the fetus case
- A dangling limb is still considered part of the animal for shechita
- Shechita can help a dangling limb but not always a limb that exited
- After death, a dangling limb is treated as if it detached earlier
- Even severe tumah may still require preparation to take effect
- The daf clarifies how physical status affects halachic reality