

# Understanding Neurosarcoidosis

Sarcoidosis affecting any part of the nervous system (brain, spinal cord, peripheral nerves).

Affects more than 10% of those with sarcoidosis.

## Brain Symptoms

- Memory issues
- Gait Abnormality
- Limb Weakness
- Poor attention span
- Difficulties with problem-solving
- Headaches
- Seizures

## Spinal Cord Symptoms

- Leg weakness
- Decreased sensation especially in the legs
- Sexual difficulties

## Diagnosis

No Specific Test, Important to rule out sarcoidosis mimics

## Diagnostic Tests

- MRI
- Biopsy
- Nerve Conduction Test with Electromyography (EMG)
- Lumbar Puncture

## Other Symptoms

- Vision difficulties
- Hearing loss
- Facial numbness
- Abnormal walking
- Stroke
- Paralysis
- Uncontrollable urination
- Impaired male sexual function

## Treatment Options

Often 2-3 medications are needed for optimal treatment



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