

Could you have a Neuroendocrine Tumor?

Neuroendocrine tumors (also known as NETs or Neuroendocrine cancer), develop from hormone producing cells, which are found in many different parts of the body. Diagnosis is often difficult because there are many different types of NETs, including carcinoid and pancreatic neuroendocrine tumors, and symptoms vary significantly from person to person. The tumors are often slow-growing, which may delay the appearance of certain clinical symptoms. *These cancers are frequently undiagnosed or misdiagnosed*, and it typically takes about 5 to 7 years for patients to receive the correct diagnosis.

Are you struggling to get a diagnosis for any of these **SYMPTOMS?**

- Diarrhea
- Flushing
- Wheezing
- Shortness of Breath
- Abdominal pain
- Fatigue
- Skin irritation
- Heart problems

Common **MISDIAGNOSES**
for NETs:

- Irritable Bowel Syndrome
- Rosacea
- Allergies
- Menopause
- Ulcer
- Crohn's Disease
- Pneumonia
- Anxiety

COMMON SITES
for NETs:

- Lungs
- Liver
- Stomach
- Pancreas
- Appendix
- Intestines
- Colon
- Rectum



If you don't suspect it, you can't detect it!
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