

Hi all! Want your help PLEASE! first post

Posted by gmak - 07 Oct 2012 23:14

I have been told i have AA finally after 24 years. My dr of 17 yrs retired & my dr of 12 years left. So, i began the painful search for a new dr. 3 neurosurgeons & 2 pain mgmt drs later i found someone that would treat me, but he is not optimal. I am having neuropathic symptoms like never before. My back buzzes so much i feel like i have a TENS on with power lines shooting down to my feet. My face buzzes & my feet & hands are numb. Besides the incompatible with being alive pain. Has ANYONE ever had this buzzing? Also, my family wants me to see an expert on AA to see if ANYTHING can be done. Dr warnke, a anatomic pathologist, dr burton in Minneapolis, dr Falci @ craig univ, dr green @ univmiami? Has anyone seen one of these guys? Or someone else? Dont want to travel to hear that i just have to live with it? Any help would be so appreciated!

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Re: Hi all! Want your help PLEASE! first post

Posted by gmak - 19 Jan 2013 15:00

Kev, im so sorry! I was afraid that might be why you werent here! Ive been having a hard time with more symptoms, thought hi bp causing them but no. May be arach its "numb" related. Im a nurse & i think its kinda dangerous that we have to assume any neuro symptom is arach & not have a dr to say yea or nay. I really hope that you feel better will include you again in daily prayer.

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Re: Hi all! Want your help PLEASE! first post

Posted by helen - 24 Jan 2013 11:51

Hi gmak and Kev

Trying to come round from a 3 day attack - feeling wretched (also have cold virus). No matter what I do - move around a little or sit still the horrendous attacks from my spine won't stop. On my own today so feeling particularly blue....sorry.

Nice to see you back on the forum Kev

Hope everyone has a "good" day soon.

Helen

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Re: Hi all! Want your help PLEASE! first post

Posted by old hag - 24 Jan 2013 20:08

Hi

My friend just had first phone call with the legals.....had admin lass yesterday and then lawyer rang him back today....he's being handed over to the arachnoid boss at firm....we shall see....at least there is an arachnoid boss...yup he signed consent form...but the ortho who did the op did have a duty of care....once the arach started....and his letter to gp said his symptoms were not at all related to the disectomy....going to be a long haul i guess....???

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Re: Hi all! Want your help PLEASE! first post

Posted by gmak - 28 Jan 2013 22:44

Hi helen, im sorry that you have been sick on top of the attacks. Was to go to cardio today but too much pain to get there. Left to my own to get everywhere! Sometimes a go & sometimes a no! Do you ever feel like everyone is so sick of you? I can feel that happening with my husb, he wont say but it hurts me so bad if the matyress even wiggles & ithought something is wrong with our bed bc it wiggles if he scratches his nose. Said i complain too much, & later that the bed is how it is so get over it. It hurts me but afraid to sleep away bc of division!! Not a grand idea after 3 decades & idk what to do but keep doing the same! Ugh, sorry for the rant.... it makes mme sad.

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Re: Hi all! Want your help PLEASE! first post

Posted by gmak - 28 Jan 2013 22:47

Kev, Gosh im sorry! Wish i could send you some heat! Its 80° today & its january. Looks like rain now. Praying for you. Any better?

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Re: Hi all! Want your help PLEASE! first post

Posted by old hag - 14 Feb 2013 18:31

after a wait time of 18 months, my mate had his first assessment at st georges nhs hospital london, for a 3 week residential pain management course.....they acknowledge they cannot cure neuropathic pain, but in a safe environment, you can learn how to cope a bit better, 8 sufferers per session....clinical psych and pain physio run it....sounds very intense...but worth a go.....classically his gp had never knew this existed...and was somewhat bemused....

just sent off lots of paperwork to medico legal lawyer to see if they will take his case on...we shall see....

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