

Independent Assignment- Ticket to Enter

NEURO PAIN, PERIPHERAL NERVE DISORDERS, & SPINAL CORD/BRAIN TUMORS

Name that disorder, condition or therapy.....

1. Damage to cranial nerve VII can cause this disorder which causes a usually temporary facial paresis. **Bell's Palsy**
2. This disorder is thought to be due to vascular compression of the trigeminal nerve root causing atrophy of the nerve. Symptoms include brief, stabbing episodes of facial pain. **Trigeminal neuralgia**
3. This type of tumor can cause sensory and motor problems and the first early symptom could be back pain. It is generally a slow growing mass. **Spinal Cord Tumor**
4. If you have a viral or bacterial infection of the upper respiratory tract or GI system you could develop this condition. The classic symptom it causes is ascending, symmetric weakness of the limbs. **Guillain-Barre Syndrome**
5. This type of local anesthetic interrupts all afferent and efferent transmission to the painful area. It is used commonly during and after surgery to manage pain. **Nerve block**
6. An option for a patient with chronic back pain that is unresponsive to other therapies may include the usage of what type of treatment? **Neuroablation**
7. Neuroablative procedures that destroy sensory divisions of a peripheral or spinal nerve are classified as what? **Neurectomies, rhizotomies, and sympathectomies**