

The Gale Encyclopedia of Neurological Disorders

THE RIGHT TIME FOR THE RIGHT INFORMATION

NEW TITLE The country's largest demographic group — the Baby Boom generation — is aging rapidly. With this “graying of America” comes a renewed public focus on age-related neurological disorders like stroke, Parkinson's disease, Alzheimer's disease and dementia.

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Responding to this timely need, *The Gale Encyclopedia of Neurological Disorders* was created as a one-stop resource for patients, families, caregivers and allied health professionals. In this two-volume set, readers will find answers to questions on conditions both commonplace and rare — from back pain to beriberi. The work also serves students and researchers with background articles on brain and nervous-system functions.

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For those seeking medical information, the stakes are simply too high to trust to Web surfing, with its often random and inaccurate results. In contrast, the 400 articles, essays and entries in *The Gale Encyclopedia of Neurological Disorders* — written by physicians, pharmacists, nurses and other health care professionals — are reviewed by an expert advisory panel to ensure accuracy and appropriateness.

No other product currently available compiles as much in-depth information on neurological subjects.

A FORMAT THAT FACILITATES RESEARCH

The *Encyclopedia* uses standardized rubrics within entries:

- Definition
- Description
- Demographics
- Causes and symptoms
- Diagnosis
- Treatment team
- Treatment options
- Clinical trials
- Prognosis
- Key terms
- Special concerns

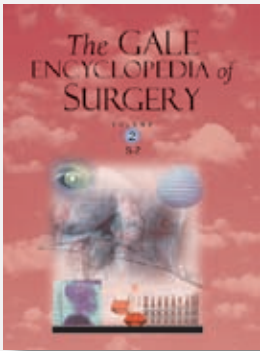
FIND ALL THE OPTIONS

The Gale Encyclopedia of Neurological Disorders is ideal for researchers seeking treatment options — from the most traditional courses to the latest clinical trials. Medication, surgery, physical therapy, speech therapy and more are covered, helping readers make educated decisions.

WELL-ROUNDED AND READABLE

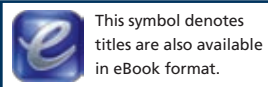
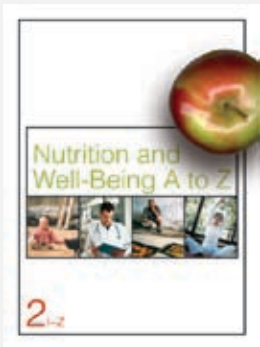
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- Inclusion of such support topics as specific medications, mobility/communication devices and neur anatomy, making for a well-rounded resource



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- Aneurysm
- Antiepileptic drugs
- Ataxia
- Atrophy
- Back pain
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- Brain and spinal tumors
- Carpal tunnel syndrome
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- Coma
- Cushing syndrome
- Dementia
- Diabetic neuropathy
- Dizziness
- Epilepsy
- Fainting
- Guillain-Barre syndrome
- Huntington disease
- Interferons
- Lupus
- Lyme disease
- Multiple sclerosis
- Muscular dystrophy
- Myasthenia gravis
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