Your Brain + HIV

What is NeuroHIV?

NeuroHIV is a general term for **nervous system problems** that people living with HIV may experience. NeuroHIV can affect...







BRAIN

SPINAL CORD

NERVES

How common is it?

About HALF of people living with HIV experience some form of NeuroHIV.



What affects brain health in people living with HIV?















HIV

Aging

Stress

Alcohol & Drugs

Other Health Conditions

How do I know if I have NeuroHIV?

You may have any of the following:



Forgetfulness, brain fog, difficulty concentrating, or headaches



Depression, anxiety, or behavior changes



Numbness, tingling, pain, or burning sensations



Problems with movement, walking, or coordination

How can I prevent or manage NeuroHIV?



HIV Treatment: Take HIV medication as prescribed



Brain Health: Eat well, get enough sleep, stay active, manage stress, and limit alcohol & drug use



Other Health Conditions: Manage diabetes, high blood pressure, and high cholesterol

Do you have questions about HIV & brain health?

Talk to your health care providers about brain health testing and treatment



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