

# BRAIN ANEURYSM SYMPTOMS

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Most brain aneurysms cause no symptoms and may only be discovered during tests for another, usually unrelated, condition. If you have any of the following symptoms or notice them in someone you know, see a health professional immediately.

## Ruptured Cerebral Aneurysm Symptoms

- Sudden, severe headache (sometimes described as "the worst headache of my life")
- Neck pain
- Nausea and vomiting
- Pain above and behind the eye
- Dilated pupils
- Sensitivity to light
- Blurred or double vision
- Drooping eyelid
- Fainting or loss of consciousness
- Seizures
- Loss of sensation

## Unruptured Cerebral Aneurysm Symptoms

Most aneurysms are asymptomatic, particularly small ones. Sometimes, large aneurysms may cause the following symptoms:

- Peripheral vision deficits
  - Thinking or processing problems
  - Speech complications
  - Perceptual problems
  - Sudden changes in behavior
  - Loss of balance and coordination
  - Decreased concentration
  - Short-term memory difficulty
  - Fatigue
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