



# What to Ask Your Doctor about Brain Metastases

## Patient Questions

What's the most likely cause of my symptoms?

Are there other possible causes for my symptoms?

What kinds of tests do I need?

What treatments are available, and which do you recommend?

What's my prognosis?

What experimental treatments or clinical trials are available to me?

Are a radiation oncologist and a medical oncologist participating in making decisions about my brain metastases?

I have these other health conditions. How will those affect my treatment?

Is there a generic alternative to the medicine you're prescribing me?

Do you have any brochures or other printed material that I can take with me?

What websites do you recommend?

What will determine whether I should plan for a follow-up visit?