

Questions to ask a neurologist

- What lab tests will I need to take?
- Will I need a wheelchair?
- How will we know if I have CIDP?
- What treatment do you recommend for me?
- How can you tell the difference between CIDP and MS, ALS, and GBS?
- How long will I need to stay on treatment?
- What causes CIDP?
- What can I do in addition to treatment to feel better?
- Are there clinical trials that I might be a candidate for?
- Will my CIDP symptoms get worse over time?
- How will we determine if treatment is helping me?

Ask a neurologist any other questions that you may have

The above are just a few questions to discuss with a neurologist. You may have other questions or concerns that you might want to talk about at your visit. Prior to your visit, be sure to write down all of your questions, concerns, and topics that you wish to discuss.

Learning as much as you can about CIDP, your symptoms, and your treatment options can better equip you in the management of your condition.

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