

SSPE Podcast Questions

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1. What is subacute sclerosing panencephalitis (SSPE)? What is its cause?
2. What are some of the signs and symptoms of SSPE? (List 5)
3. How is SSPE diagnosed? With what tests?
4. How does one contract SSPE?
5. What is the rarity of SSPE?
6. Who does SSPE affect most (racial and sex)?
7. Will people with SSPE survive?
8. What are the three medications used to help manage SSPE?
9. How long do patients live after contracting the disease?
10. What is a simple way to prevent SSPE?