

Questions to ask your doctor: Radiotherapy

1. Why do I need radiotherapy?

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5. How many days or weeks is a complete radiotherapy going to take?

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2. How does radiotherapy work?

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6. How long is one session going to take?

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3. Are there any other therapeutic methods possible in my case?

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7. Where precisely is the radiation area located?

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4. Which clinic conducts radiotherapy?

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8. Which risks or side effects are possible?

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9. How long do these usually persist?

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13. Am I allowed to do sports?

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10. Can I prevent side effects and if so, how?

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14. How does the Radiation affect the surrounding tissue?

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11. Are there any long-term effects to be expected after the therapy?

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15. Do I have to follow a specific diet during radiation?

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12. Do I need to nurse myself?

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