



Healthy Prostate?

There are several primary disorders of the prostate. The first two conditions are non-cancerous and treatable however, all of these conditions can have symptoms similar to those of prostate cancer. So, anyone experiencing any of the symptoms is advised to consult a doctor without delay. Early expert diagnosis and treatment is important and may avert potentially serious health consequences.

Prostate cancer that is detected early — when it's still confined to the prostate gland — has a better chance of successful treatment. The good news is that research shows that prostate cancer is extremely treatable, but usually only if it's discovered early, before it has metastasized or spread. The possibility of cure is the main reason why early diagnosis of prostate cancer is important.

Another important point: the symptoms listed below can occur with prostate cancer but frequently, these are caused by other prostate problems that are not cancer. In any case, it is critical to see a doctor if you have any of these problems:

Common Signs/Symptoms:

- Need to urinate frequently, particularly at night
- Trouble urinating
- Painful/burning urination
- Decreased force in the stream of urine
- Blood in your urine or semen