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NEUROENDOCRINE NEOPLASMS

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GLOBAL EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM

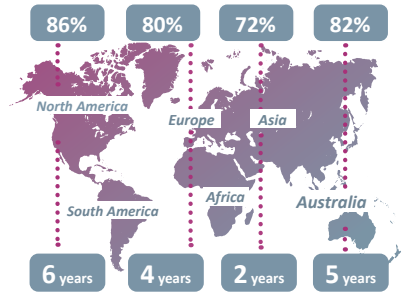
FOR PRIMARY CARE PHYSICIANS

Delayed neuroendocrine cancer (NEN) diagnosis is a global challenge

- The mean time from first symptoms to diagnosis - approx. 5 years globally.*
- 46% of patients had stage IV NENs at time of diagnosis.*
- 86% of primary care physicians stated to be involved in diagnostics.*

*Dureja, S et al. Global challenges in access to diagnostics and treatment for neuroendocrine tumor (NET) patients. J Neuroendocrinol. 2023; 35(6):e13310. doi:10.1111/jne.13310

81% of misdiagnosed NEN patients globally failed to receive diagnosis in 1 year.*



All primary care physicians need to know about NENs to spot them

- NEN experts **speaking your language**
- Primary care physicians interviewing **NEN specialists**
- Support **expert network** and **complementary resources** available



- Available in **English, French, German, Italian, Spanish and Portuguese**

WHAT ARE YOU GOING TO LEARN:

- 1 WHAT ARE NENS AND THE **MOST COMMON TYPES** YOU MIGHT ENCOUNTER IN YOUR PRIMARY CARE PRACTICE
- 2 WHAT ARE THE **SYMPTOMS** AND HOW TO SUSPECT AND DETECT NENS
- 3 HOW TO MANAGE COMMON **SIDE EFFECTS** OF TREATMENTS AND **ISSUES** OF THE NEN PATIENT JOURNEY
- 4 HOW TO SEARCH FOR **NEN EXPERTISE** GLOBALLY
- 5 WHAT ARE THE COMMON **NEN TREATMENTS** AND THEIR IMPLICATIONS FOR PATIENTS

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MAIN MODULE

The Think NENs Global Educational Program for Primary Care Physicians represents **1 MAIN MODULE OF 3 VIDEOS** providing concise knowledge about neuroendocrine cancer diagnosis and managing patients via Q&A sessions between primary care physicians and neuroendocrine neoplasm (NEN) experts. The main module can provide **UEMS-EACCME® credit** if the enclosed exam is completed successfully. The program is available free of charge.

1 Detecting NENs:

What the PCP Needs to Know – Challenges of NEN Diagnosis in Primary Care

Prof. Martyn Caplin, *NET Specialist, UK*
Dr. David Bartlett, *Primary Care Physician, UK - Think NENs Project Consultant*
Prof. Mehmet Ungan, *Primary Care Physician, Turkey - Think NENs Project Consultant*
Dr. Elizabeth Zide, *Emergency Medicine Physician, USA*

20-minute
video

2 NEN Patients in General Practice:

The Most Common Issues – Managing NEN Patients After Diagnosis

Prof. Dermot O'Toole, *NET Specialist, Ireland - Think NENs Leading Project Consultant*
Dr. David Bartlett, *Primary Care Physician, UK - Think NENs Project Consultant*
Prof. Mehmet Ungan, *Primary Care Physician, Turkey - Think NENs Project Consultant*

20-minute
video

3 NENs Treatment and Survivorship:

What the PCP Needs to Know – Managing NEN Patients After Diagnosis

Dr. Simron Singh, *NET Specialist, Canada*
Dr. David Bartlett, *Primary Care Physician, UK - Think NENs Project Consultant*
Prof. Mehmet Ungan, *Primary Care Physician, Turkey - Think NENs Project Consultant*

20-minute
video

The videos are equipped with captions and a transcript is available for download. To support the learning process, a Key Takeaways summary is available for download.



COMPLEMENTARY VIDEOS

In addition to the main module, there are 13 videos available on specific NEN topics featuring a more detailed overview of most common NEN types, the impact of treatments and genetic NENs. They are presented by NEN experts from Australia, Austria, Belgium, Canada, Germany, France, Ireland, The Netherlands, South Africa, Spain, USA.

NEN Patients in General Practice: **The Most Common Issues:**

- 1 **What Are NENs** – Pathology, Classification and Epidemiology
Prof. Marianne Pavel, NET Specialist, Germany & Dr. David Bartlett, PCP, UK
- 2 How **Pancreatic NENs** Are Diagnosed and Diagnostic Pitfalls
Prof. Philippe Ruszniewski, NET Specialist, France & Dr. Martin De Villiers, PCP, South Africa
- 3 How **Lung NENs** Are Diagnosed and Diagnostic Pitfalls
Dr. Jaume Capdevila, NET Specialist, Spain & Dr. David Bartlett, PCP, UK
- 4 How **Small Intestinal NENs** Are Diagnosed and Diagnostic Pitfalls
Prof. Dermot O'Toole, NET Specialist, Ireland & Dr. David Bartlett, PCP, UK
- 5 Supporting the **Psychosocial Aspects of Diagnosis** and Living With NENs
Kym Winter, Psychotherapist, UK & Dr. David Bartlett, PCP, UK

NEN Patients in General Practice: **The Impact of Treatment**

- 6 **Surgery for NEN** *Dr. Stefan Stättner, NET Specialist, Austria*
- 7 **Somatostatin analogues** *Dr. Timon Vandamme, NET Specialist, Belgium*
- 8 **Nuclear medicine** *Dr. Grace Kong, NET Specialist, Australia*
- 9 **Targeted therapies** *Dr. Emily Bergsland, NET Specialist, USA*
- 10 **Interventional radiology** *Prof. Timm Denecke, NET Specialist, Germany*
- 11 **Chemotherapy/radiotherapy** *Dr. Thor Halfdanarson, NET Specialist, USA*

NEN Patients in General Practice: **The Most Common Issues:**

- 12 **Pheochromocytoma and Paraganglioma**
Dr. Jaydira Del Rivero, NET Specialist, USA
- 13 **Multiple Endocrine Neoplasia Type 1 (MEN 1)**
Dr. Carla Pieterman, MEN1 Expert, Netherlands





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