Peripheral Neuropathy WARNING!

Peripheral neuropathy is a result of damage to the nerves often causing weakness, pain, numbness, tingling, and the most debilitating balance problems.

This damage is commonly caused by a lack of blood flow to the nerves in the hands and feet which causes the nerves to begin to degenerate due to lack of nutrient flow.

As you can see in **Figure 1**, as the blood vessels that surround the nerves become diseased they shrivel up which causes the nerves to not receive the nutrients to continue to survive. When these nerves begin to "die" they cause you to have balance problems, pain, numbness, tingling, burning, and many additional symptoms.

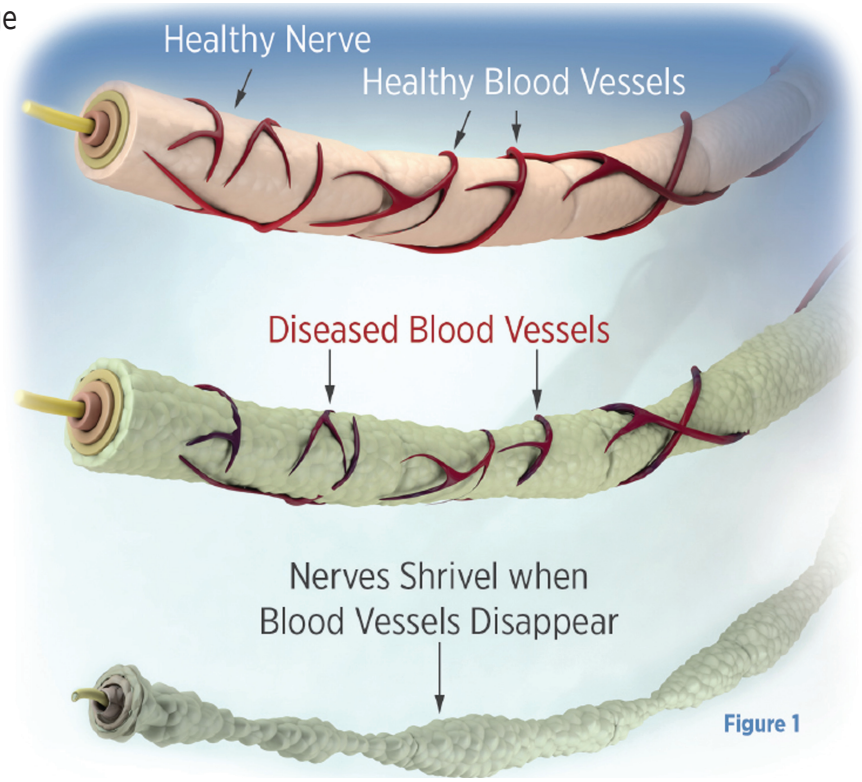

Figure 1: When these very small blood vessels become diseased they begin to shrivel up and the nerves begin to degenerate.

The most common method your doctor will recommend to treat your neuropathy is wiht prescription drugs that may temporarily reduce your symptoms. These drugs have names such as Gabapentin, Lyrica, Cymbalta, and Neurontin, and are primarily antidepressant or anti-seizure drugs. These drugs may cause you to feel uncomfortable and have a variety of harmful side effects.

The main problem is that your doctor has told you to just live with the problem or try the drugs which you don't like taking because they make you feel uncomfortable. There is now a facility right here that offers you new hope without taking those endless drugs with serious side effects. (see the special neuropathy severity examination at the end of this article)

In order to effectively treat your neuropathy three factors must be determined.

1. What is the underlying cause?
2. How much nerve damage has been sustained?*
3. How much treatment will your condition require?

Don't Hesitate to Act Now!

*Peripheral Neuropathy is a progressive condition and once you have sustained 85% nerve loss, there is likely nothing we can do for you.

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The treatment that is provided at Northern CO Neuropathy Clinic has three main goals:

1. Increase blood flow
2. Stimulate small fiber nerves
3. Decrease brain-based pain

The treatment to increase blood flow utilizes a specialized low-level light therapy (not to be confused with laser therapy) using light emitting diode technology. This technology was originally developed by NASA to assist in increasing blood flow.

The low level light therapy is like watering a tree. The light therapy will allow the blood vessels to grow back around the peripheral nerves and provide them with the proper nutrients to heal and repair. It's like adding water to a tree and seeing the roots grow deeper and deeper.

The amount of treatment needed to allow the nerves to fully recover varies from person to person and can only be determined after a detailed neurological and vascular evaluation. **As long as you have not sustained at least 85% nerve damage there is hope!**

Figure 2: **The blood vessels will grow back around the nerves much like a tree's roots grow when watered.**

Dr. Zackary Nigus, DC at Northern CO Neuropathy Clinic will do a neuropathy severity examination to determine the extent of the nerve damage for only $49. This neuropathy severity examination will consist of a detailed sensory evaluation, extensive peripheral vascular testing, and a detailed analysis of the finding of your neuropathy.

Call 970-587-1150
to make an appointment with Dr. Nigus to determine if your peripheral neuropathy can be treated.

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