



DIAGNOSTIC SCREENING TEST FOR ADHESIVE ARACHNOIDITIS (AA)

		YES	NO
1	In addition to chronic pain, do you ever experience sharp, stabbing pains in your lower back when you twist, turn or bend?		
2	Do you ever experience bizarre skin sensations such as crawling insects or water dripping down one or both legs?		
3	Do you ever have burning pains in your feet and/or groin/crotch area?		
4	Does your pain temporarily lessen when you stand or recline?		
5	Do you have leg weakness and/or pain that radiates down one or both legs?		
6	Do you experience any bladder dysfunction such as dribbling, or difficulty when starting or stopping urination?		
7	Do you sometimes have a headache, dizziness, or blurred vision?		

If you answered “yes” to four or more of the above questions, you very likely have AA and need evaluation by magnetic resonance imaging and diagnostic test to determine why you have the high level of inflammation in your cauda equina and arachnoid membrane required to cause AA. Treatment for AA should be initiated as it is a serious, painful condition.

