

Brainstem metastases

Brainstem metastases comprise fewer than 7% of all [brain metastases](#).

Treatment

[Brainstem metastases treatment](#).

Outcome

They are associated with the worst prognosis with a survival rate of 1-6 months without directed therapy ^{1) 2)}

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