

Clinically Nonfunctioning pituitary neuroendocrine tumor epidemiology

Nonfunctioning pituitary neuroendocrine tumors are the most common [pituitary tumors](#)¹⁾, and the most common [pituitary neuroendocrine tumors](#) in [adults](#).

They are the most prevalent pituitary [macroadenomas](#)^{2) 3)}.

With a [prevalence](#) of 7-22/100,000 people, and constitute over one-third of all [pituitary neuroendocrine tumors](#)^{4) 5) 6)}.

Despite being the most frequent [pituitary tumors](#), NFPAs are the least studied⁷⁾.

Clinically, about 80% of all pituitary macroadenomas are nonfunctioning macroadenomas^{8) 9) 10) 11)}, which will relatively grow in 50% cases^{12) 13)}.

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