

Symptom

A **symptom** is a **subjective indication of a disease or condition**, experienced and reported by the patient, not directly observable by others.

Examples include:

- * [Pain](#)
- * [Fatigue](#)
- * [Nausea](#)
- * [Dizziness](#)
- * Shortness of breath

Note: Unlike **signs**, which are objective findings detected by a healthcare professional (e.g., fever, rash, abnormal reflexes), **symptoms** rely on the patient's perception and communication.

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