

What is MSA ?

MSA is a rare, rapid progressing neurodegenerative disorder. MSA impairs the systems that regulate blood pressure, heart rate and the bladder - many of the basic bodily functions that people take for granted every day. The life expectancy for those with MSA is typically 5 to 10 years. Patients with advanced MSA often become bedridden, unable to speak and completely paralyzed. At present, there is no cure for MSA, no genetic tests and very few treatments.

Defeat MSA is a 501(c)3 charitable organization (EIN: 46-0661655).

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Help Us Help People Suffering with Multiple System Atrophy!

MY NAME IS: _____

I HAVE A NEUROLOGICAL DISEASE CALLED
MULTIPLE SYSTEM ATROPHY (MSA), FORMERLY
CALLED SHY-DRAGER DISEASE.

MY EMERGENCY CONTACT IS: _____

OTHER FACTS ABOUT MY HEALTH:

ADVANCE DIRECTIVE (CIRCLE): YES NO

MY PRIMARY/NEURO DOCTOR IS: _____

HIS/HER CONTACT INFO: _____

THE BEST SPECIALIST TO SEE ME IS A NEUROLOGIST.

MSA MEANS:

- I MAY HAVE PROBLEMS WITH WALKING, CALLED ATAXIA
- I MAY HAVE PROBLEMS WITH MUSCLES CONTRACTION, CALLED DYSTONIA
- I MAY HAVE PROBLEMS WITH SPEAKING, CALLED DYSARTHIA
- I MAY HAVE DIZZINESS OR FATIGUE, CAUSED BY ORTHOSTATIC HYPOTENSION
- I MAY HAVE BLADDER PROBLEMS, URGENCY OR INCONTINENCE