

1 in 25,000 births
will be diagnosed with
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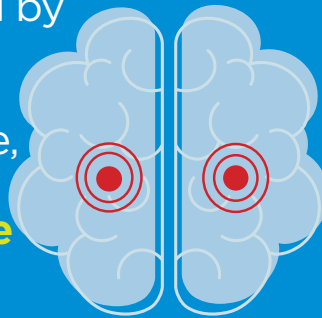
stands for *NF2-related schwannomatosis* a genetic condition that causes tumors to grow on the nerves

NF2-SWN affects all **populations, genders, and ethnicities** equally



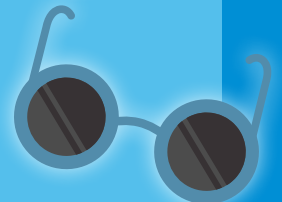
NF2-related schwannomatosis was formerly known as **neurofibromatosis type 2**

NF2-SWN is characterized by **benign tumors** called **vestibular schwannomas** on the eighth cranial nerve, which is the **nerve that carries sound and balance information to the brain.**



SYMPTOMS INCLUDE

- hearing loss
- ringing in the ears (tinnitus)
- balance problems
- facial weakness
- seizures
- vision impairment, and other problems due to tumors in the central nervous system.



NF2-SWN is caused by **pathogenic** variants in a gene located on **chromosome**

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CURRENTLY, THERE IS NO CURE
but promising advancements in research are underway.

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