Late Side effects including Lymphedema

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Quality of life
The patients perspective
What kind of gynecological cancer did you have?
What kind of therapy did you get?

- Surgery: 90%
- Radiotherapy: 30%
- Brachytherapy: 20%
- Chemotherapy: 40%
- Other (please specify): 10%
Have they removed any lymph nodes or lymph vessels during surgery?
Do you suffer from Lymphedema?
Late side effects

Insomnia

Brain fog, decreased concentration, lack of attention, memory loss

Fatigue, tiredness

Swollen ankles or legs

Problems with the intestinal, incontinence, sensitivity, diarrhea, constipation, fistulas, bowel adhesions

Bladder problems, incontinence, poor bladder control, urinary discomfort

PAIN!

Muscle pain, joint pain, pelvic pain, hip and side pain, nerve pain, leg pain, back pain, arthritis, fibromyalgia
Was there interplay between health practitioners to treat your Late Side Effects and/or Lymphedema?
“I now try hard to live a very healthy life. Appreciate each day.”
Together

We can make a change!