

Cauda Equina Syndrome Resources

The collection of nerves at the end of the spinal cord is thought to resemble a horse's tail or cauda equina. In CES, the nerves become compressed which may lead to pain, weakness and loss of feeling in the legs. CES may be considered a type of spinal cord injury.

eMedicine: Cauda Equina and Conus Medullaris Syndromes

http://emedicine.medscape.com/article/1148690-overview

Cauda Equine Foundation

https://www.caudaequinafoundation.org

American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons: Cauda Equina Syndrome https://orthoinfo.org/en/diseases--conditions/cauda-equina-syndrome/

American Association of Neurological Surgeons: Cauda Equina Syndrome http://www.aans.org/Patient%20Information/Conditions%20and%20Treatments/Cauda%20Equina%20Syndrome.aspx

Merck Manual Home Health Handbook: Spinal Cord

http://www.merckmanuals.com/home/brain_spinal_cord_and_nerve_disorders/biology of the nervous system/spinal_cord.html?qt=&sc=&alt=

Merck Manual Home Health Handbook: Compression of the Spinal Cord <a href="http://www.merckmanuals.com/home/brain_spinal_cord_and_nerve_disorders/spinal_cord_disorders/compression_of_the_spinal_cord.html?qt=&sc=&alt="http://www.merckmanuals.com/home/brain_spinal_cord.html?qt=&sc=&alt=

Online Orthopaedics: Cauda Equina Syndrome http://www.orthopodsurgeon.com/cauda.html

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