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| **Nerve affected** | **Resulting Symptom** | **Prognosis for Recovery** |
| **CN I** | Anosmia | * Sense of smell is regained by 1/3 of patients within 2 years
* Reported rates of recovery: 38.5 – 40%5

Of note, anosmia has been associated with depression and reduced quality of life.12,13,14 |
| **CN II** | Loss of visual acuity | Reported rates or recovery: 51-60%5 |
| **CN III** | Abnormal vision | 2 months |
| **CN IV** | Abnormal vision | Reported rate of recovery: 57%5  |
| **CN VI, isolated abducens palsy** | Abnormal vision | May improve spontaneously within 6-12 months5 |
| **CN VIII5** | Conductive deafness | Usually shows signs of recovery |
| Sensorineural deafness | Has a worse prognosis, especially if the initial hearing loss was complete  |
| Vertigo | Unclear, usually expected to improve with time  |