

Nerve affected	Resulting Symptom	Prognosis for Recovery
CN I	Anosmia	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Sense of smell is regained by 1/3 of patients within 2 years ▪ Reported rates of recovery: 38.5 – 40%⁵ <p>Of note, anosmia has been associated with depression and reduced quality of life.^{12,13,14}</p>
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 months ⁵
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