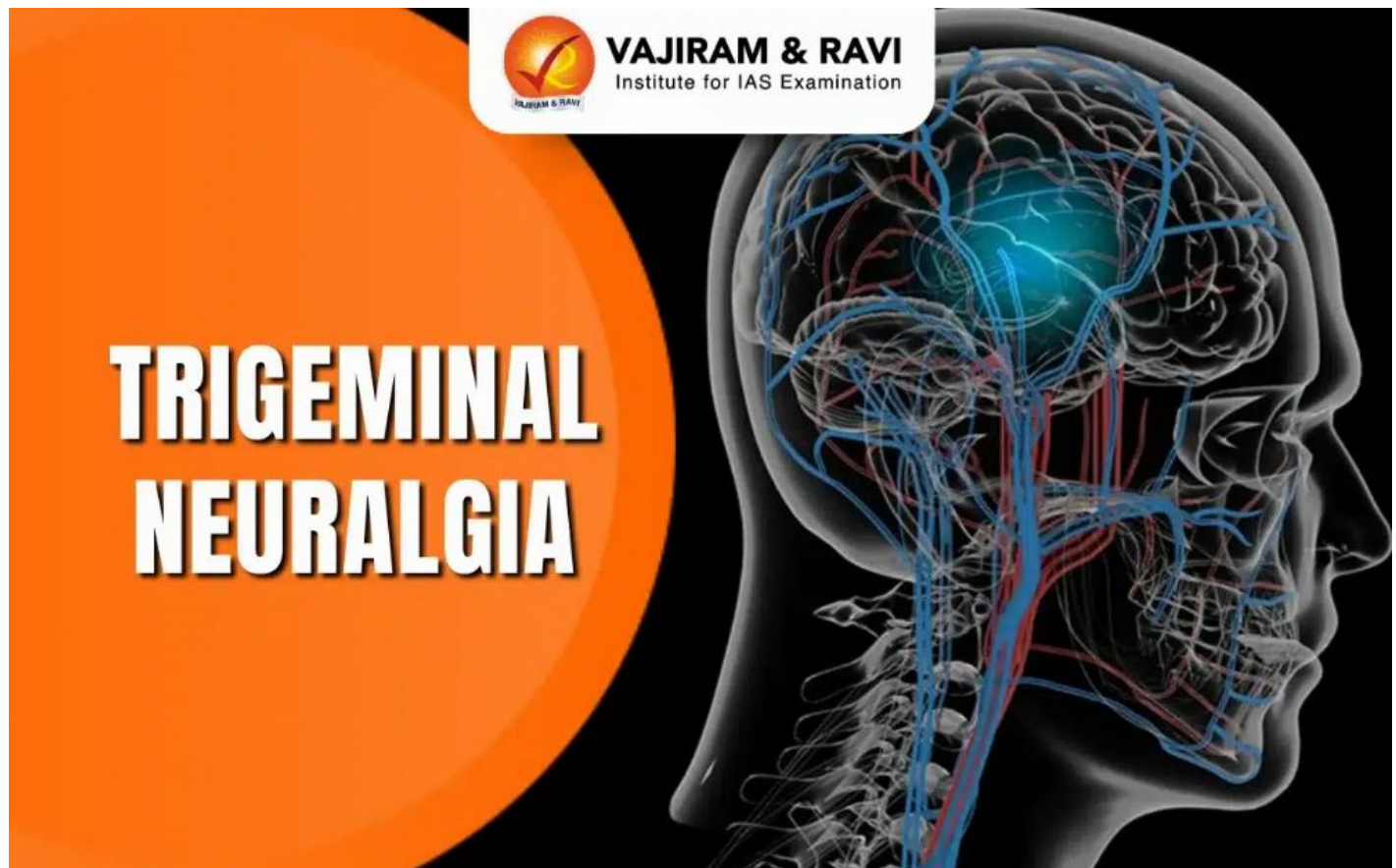


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Trigeminal Neuralgia Latest News

Salman Khan recently revealed that he's currently dealing with multiple serious health conditions including trigeminal neuralgia.

About Trigeminal Neuralgia

- Trigeminal neuralgia, also known as **tic douloureux**, is a condition that causes **intense pain similar to an electric shock on one side of the face**.
- **Cause:**
 - It **affects the trigeminal nerve, which carries signals from the face to the brain**.
 - It **happens when a blood vessel puts pressure on the trigeminal nerve**.
 - The **pain comes suddenly** and can be **triggered by simple activities like eating, brushing teeth, or even smiling**.
- People with trigeminal neuralgia may at **first experience short, mild episodes** of pain. But the condition can **get worse, causing longer periods of pain** that happen more often.

- It's **more common in women** and **people older than 50**.
- It is a **chronic disorder**, and the **pain can be difficult to manage**, often **needing medication or even surgery**.
- It is often called the **"suicide disease"** because of how painful it can be.

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