

This information has been written to help you understand more about the type of tinnitus known as pulsatile tinnitus, which is tinnitus which appears to follow a rhythm such as your heart beat.

vessels near the ear.

It should be investigated, and there are a number of different tests which may be suggested.

If there is a physical reason for the pulsatile tinnitus, treating the underlying cause can help.

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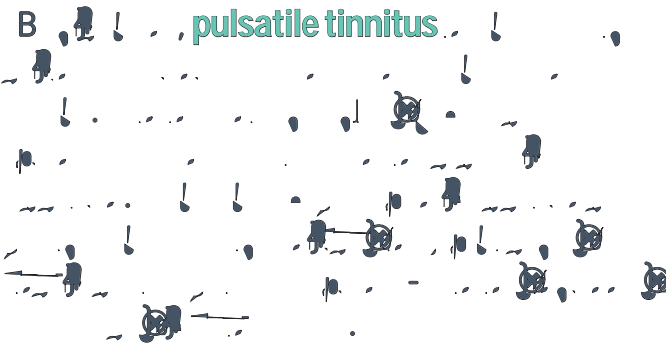
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## What is tinnitus?





## What is different about pulsatile tinnitus?



## What causes pulsatile tinnitus?

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## Miscellaneous

benign idiopathic intracranial hypertension.

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## How is pulsatile tinnitus investigated?

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A objective pulsatile tinnitus.

subjective pulsatile tinnitus.

## Ultrasound

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## Magnetic resonance imaging (MRI)

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## Magnetic resonance angiography (MRA)

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## Computerised tomography (CT)

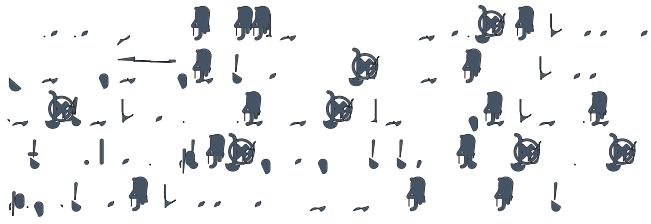
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## Computerised tomographic angiography (CTA)

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# Angiography





## For further information



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