

**CONTINUING PENILE PAIN FOLLOWING  
RADICAL PROSTATECTOMY, LAPAROSCOPIC RADICAL  
PROSTATECTOMY, ROBOT ASSISTED LAPAROSCOPIC RADICAL  
PROSTATECTOMY, OR CRYOSURGERY**

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Though rare, if experiencing continuing pain in the penis following the prostate cancer treatments identified above, it is possible that the “pudendal nerve” that travels through the Alcocks canal may have experienced entrapment or compression. The sensory innervations of the penis are from the dorsal penile nerve, a branch of the pudendal nerve. Those experiencing such pain should visit with a neurophysiologist to discuss this possibility.

URLs of interest:

<http://www.ajronline.org/cgi/content/full/181/2/561>

[http://www.goldjournal.net/article/S0090-4295\(05\)01167-2/abstract](http://www.goldjournal.net/article/S0090-4295(05)01167-2/abstract)

In the following URL, click on “Anatomy” then on images to enlarge:  
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