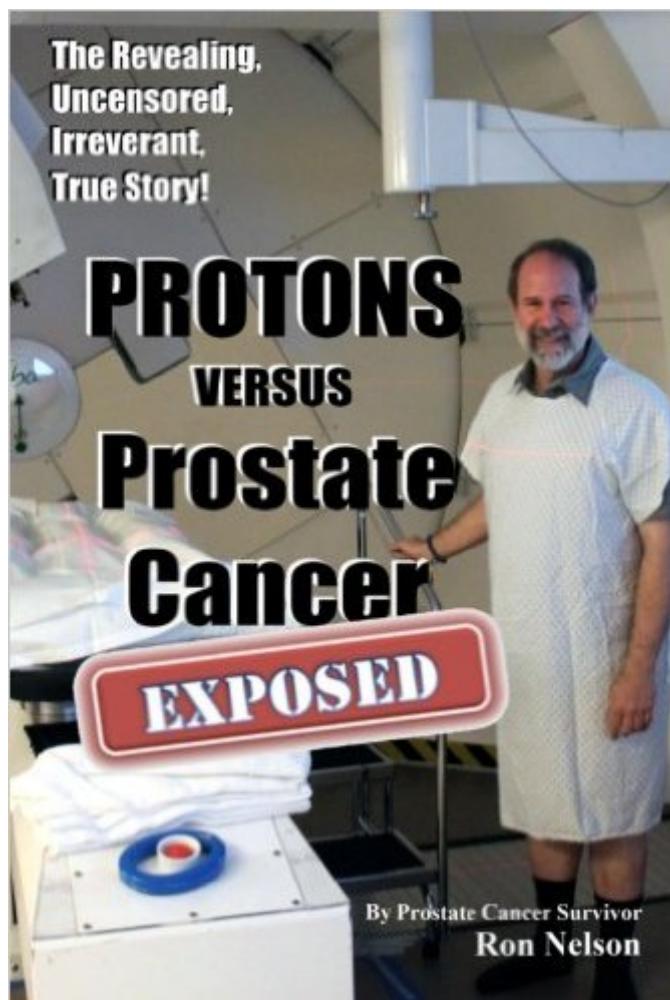


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# **PROTONS Versus Prostate Cancer: EXPOSED: Learn What Proton Beam Therapy For Prostate Cancer Is Really Like From The Patient's Point Of View In Complete, Uncensored Detail.**





## **Synopsis**

Learn exactly what itâ™s like to receive proton beam radiation therapy for prostate cancer. Prostate cancer survivor Ron Nelson exposes the complete, unadulterated step-by-step detail from the patientâ™s point of view. It will help those considering proton radiation decide whether this often misunderstood therapy is the right approach for them, and will serve as a helpful guide for those who have already chosen this state-of-the-art treatment option. Using non-technical language and just enough light humor to soften a serious subject, the author provides critical information about what to expect before, during, and after proton therapy in an easily understood and very personal manner.

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## **Customer Reviews**

Ron Nelson captures the entire experience in this book! I am a former patient at UFPTI and, while reading the book, felt as if I was reliving every day of my experience through his words. He did not miss a single thing. Everything was in there from Day One (getting the bad news) to exiting the doors of the Institute. He humorously tells his experience so that "newbies" do not have to be overly nervous about everything that is happening to them. He doles out a lot of great advice about how to make a very bad situation a very bearable experience...if not a pleasant experience. I think his message comes across loud and clear in this book which is you have prostate cancer not a death sentence. You can be cured and may actually look back on the experience with a smile!This book is well written from the patient's perspective and should be read by any man that is diagnosed with prostate cancer. Great job, Mr. Nelson.

The back cover says, "Some will learn what it's really like. Some will fondly remember how it was." I fall in the latter category, and the book did indeed recall fond memories of my "courageous battle with prostate cancer". The quotes are symbolic of my tongue being in my cheek, as the author explains early on in the book. The bottom line is that if you're going to get cancer, prostate cancer is the one to get. Treated early, it's 100% curable, and treated with proton therapy, the outcome is excellent, the side effects are negligible, and the treatment process itself can be a lot of fun. This book is fun. Read it along with Bob Marckini's very excellent book "You Can Beat Prostate Cancer" (also available on ), which is serious. Together, they will eliminate the terror the newly diagnosed PCa patient may be experiencing. Seriously.

On the back cover, A former proton patient was quoted as saying this book was a page turner. As someone who has just been diagnosed with prostate cancer, I will agree with that and add: it was a double page turner. I read it twice ( I highly recommend this). I found that the second time I read it, I really appreciated the humor more, and actually thought about each step he was going thru. I will hopefully be going to Jacksonville the end of this month ( May 2016). I have emailed Mr. Nelson, and he has been most gracious with his time. I really was overwhelmed by the compassion and info of all the patients I called from the list included in my "little" packet from UFPTI. This book was also a great way to get my wife up to speed on what it's all about. I highly recommend this book. It's money well spent.

Ron tells it just like it is. I've read this step by step guide book of his, but wish it was available before I decided to have Proton treatment.Ron and I were treated in Jacksonville during the same time frame, so I often had the pleasure to tell him that they ran out of lidocaine or that if he noticed that the balloon was warm today it's because they are reusing mine to increase the profitsOn a more serious side, Ron is a GREAT guy and a person who can write and explain exactly what you will experience during your time of deciding how to treat your prostate and if you decide to go with the PROTON route - which I will say was a great choice of mine, four plus years of low psa's and everything still works great- - Ron's book is a MUST read.Enjoy it and be informed.

Ron has done a great job with this book. I took proton therapy at the University of Florida Proton Institute at the same time Ron was there. He's done a great job of describing in a humorous way the treatments. I felt more like I was on vacation while we were down there.I'm looking foward to seeing

Ron at our first year check up at UFPI 4/27/12I would suggest that anyone who is faced with the prospect of having prostate cancer look into all his options, but for me the only choice would be proton radiation. Ron's book together with Bob Marckini's book You Can Beat Prostate Cancer and you don't need surgery to do it ,are must read's for those seeking info about prostate cancer.I would be glad to talk with anyone who might have questions. I'm 75 years old, still work and am very active. Carl Thomas, Jr. My e-mail address is. [Carl@Caltieques.com](mailto:Carl@Caltieques.com).

This book is a must read for all men and should be shares with all members of their family. It was enlightening, informative and enjoyable. It reduced the fear of trauma of prostate cancer and helped navigate the various treatment options. I am far more confident about the treatment option I chose after reading this book

When my PSA level reached 7.2, my doctor suggested I have an MRI which revealed 2 suspicious spots on my prostate. The only thing left to do was have a biopsy. In the mean time my doctor also suggested I investigate the University of Florida Proton Therapy Institute in Jacksonville. The UFPTI sent me some materials along with two books, one of which was Ron Nelson's "Protons versus Prostate Cancer EXPOSED". As I read the book I both laughed and cried because I had finally discovered someone who had been through the experience of prostate cancer, and he was not afraid to talk about it IN DETAIL. The book gave me hope that I had not discovered anywhere else. After reading Ron's book, I had already decided that Proton Beam Therapy was the way to go if I did indeed have cancer. Reading the book made me feel like I was vicariously, through Ron Nelson, going through treatment already, and that everything was going to be alright. About 3 weeks after I had finished reading the book through a second time, my biopsy lab report revealed that I was cancer free. This book is a MUST READ for EVERY man. But it is especially needed if you are considering prostate cancer treatment. Do not have ANY prostate cancer treatment done until you have read this book! It could very well mean a healthy, happy life both during and after treatment.

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