## Peripheral neuropathic pain (PNP)



Risk factors for PNP depend on the underlying conditions or nerves affected<sup>2</sup>



PNP conditions are highly prevalent, accounting for **around 40%** of all chronic pain cases<sup>1</sup>



Diagnostic tools can aid physicians in the assessment and management of PNP, such as through the implementation of screening tools/questionnaires, physical examinations, or looking for changes in pain sensitivity or perception<sup>4-6</sup>



PNP occurs when a lesion, disease, or other trigger on a peripheral nerve causes the neurons to become abnormally sensitive, triggering pain responses to stimuli that would not normally be painful<sup>3</sup>





The most common type of PNP condition is painful diabetic peripheral neuropathy, which affects

60-70% of individuals with diabetes<sup>2</sup>

