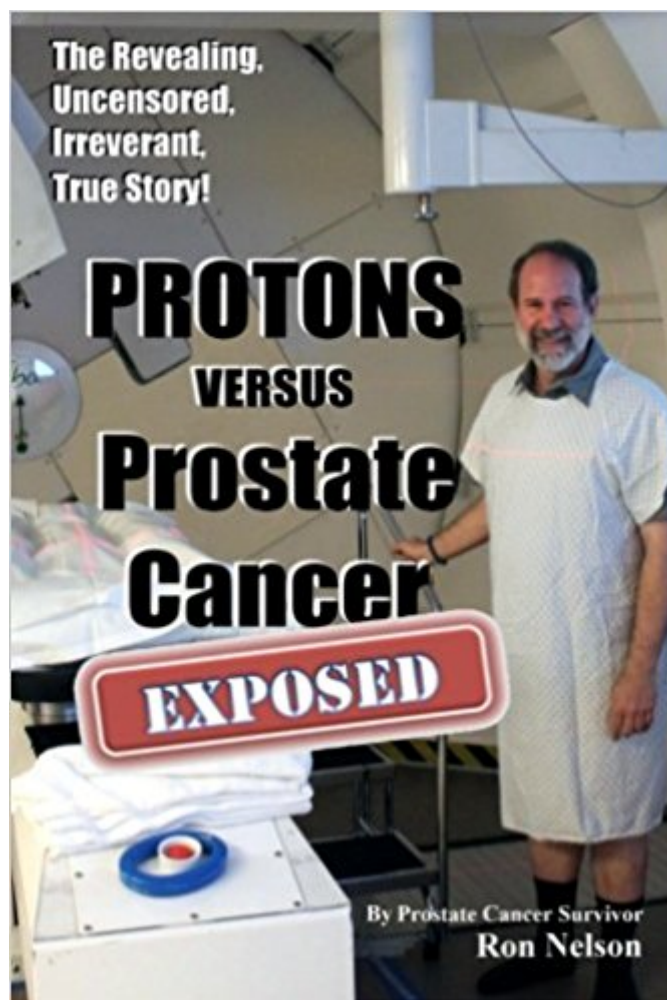


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# **PROTONS Versus Prostate Cancer: EXPOSED: Learn What Proton Beam Therapy For Prostate Cancer Is Really Like From The Patient's Point Of View In Complete, Uncensored Detail.**





## Synopsis

Learn exactly what it'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 patient'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

Excellent book giving you insight into the University of Florida Proton Beam Treatment for prostate cancer without getting too serious! Ron not only provides you with his book of how it goes but also answers emails and is very supportive, if you are having to deal with this Cancer as I am. This is a must read together with "You can beat Prostate Cancer and you do not need Surgery to do it by Robert Marckini. Remember One in Six Males get Prostate cancer and every 12 minutes someone dies. So these books are a Godsend for those of us who are trying to deal with this cancer. You will find your questions answered and you will also find support on your journey. Proton Beam Therapy is the way to go with very few side effects. Now 20 facilities in the States and they are building more. Remember they are looking at about a 95% cure rate. If you have Prostate Cancer Read this book, it will help you.

This book is a must read for all men and should be shared 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

Ron has mentored me through my journey to UFHealth for Proton Beam Treatment for my prostate cancer, his book gave myself, my wife and family members a humorous twist on the best treatment available for most men with prostate cancer. It is not a medical book but helps you understand the basics of proton treatment, and how those protons are administered to the patient. A great read even if you currently do not have prostate cancer. Thank you Ron !

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 profits. On 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 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.

I am one week away from Phases one and two at the University of Florida Proton Therapy Institute. I

hope when Phase three is over that I will be able to find the humor that Ron Nelson experienced. Today there is only apprehension, even though things have fallen into place so far. My urologist did encourage me to use the internet to research options, but did not mention proton therapy. Luckily I found the U Of Fla site on Friday and by Monday I had the large packet to get enrolled and it contained many names from my state that I would be able to contact. Ron Nelson happened to be one of those I contacted first and found that we live in the same area as do several other graduates that I have met. They are all doing well and that reinforces my choice for proton therapy. Ron has written a great book. Now it is time for ME to go for the gold, in a way. Update: 20 Aug 2012 Phase I and II completed, I knew what to expect, but only received \$20 worth of gold (markers on the prostate!). First treatment on 27 Aug. \*\*\* 18 months later, PSA 1.33 No ED or Diapers. This is the treatment to consider.

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 forward to seeing Ron at our first year check up at UFPI 4/27/12! I 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.

The book is interesting. I was looking for more details but if you get help from stories, you'll like this book

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