

# WHY ARTHRITIS PATIENTS NEED Balanced Pain Management

**Non-steroidal anti-inflammatory drugs (NSAIDs)** treat painful conditions like:



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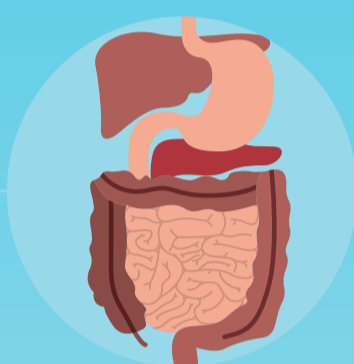
RHEUMATOID ARTHRITIS



But NSAIDs can sometimes cause **gastrointestinal issues.**



People with osteoarthritis or rheumatoid arthritis who take NSAIDs are **2.5-5.5x MORE LIKELY** to be hospitalized with **GI ISSUES.**<sup>1</sup>



As many as **1 IN 4** regular NSAID users can develop a **GI ULCER.**<sup>2</sup>

Balanced pain management allows for **personalized, integrative treatment** that might include:

- ▶ Topical NSAID Cream
- ▶ NSAIDs with a GI Protectant
- ▶ Physical Therapy
- ▶ Chiropractic Care



Balanced pain management helps arthritis patients **reduce painful inflammation—without risking GI issues.**

