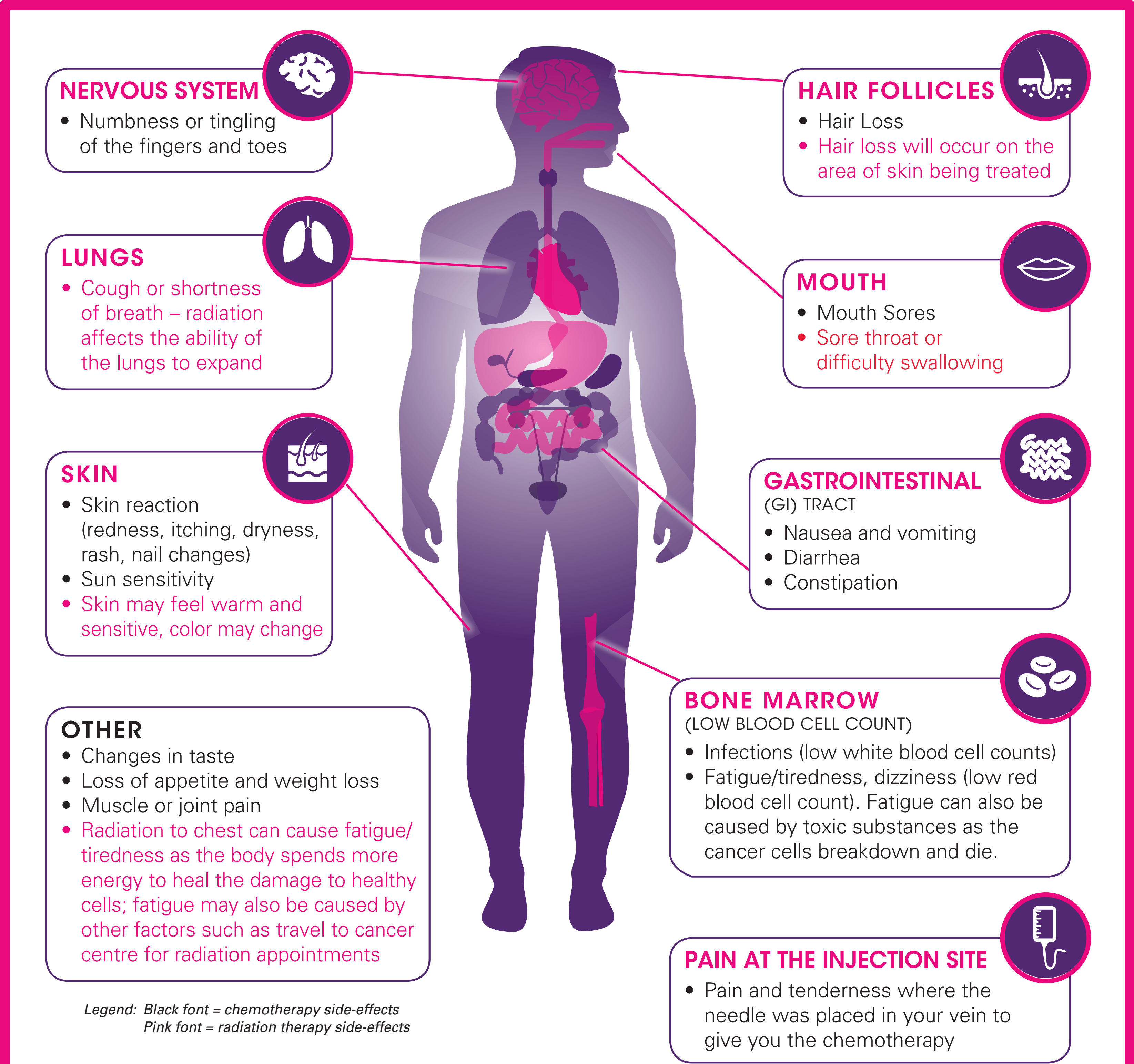


Side-effects of chemotherapy will depend on the type of drug(s) you are given, the dose of each drug, how the treatment is given and your overall health.

Chemotherapy drugs affect healthy body tissues in which the cells are constantly growing and dividing, such as your hair follicles (your hair is always growing); your bone marrow (your bone marrow is constantly producing blood cells); your skin and the lining of your digestive system, which are constantly renewing themselves.

**Different drugs cause different side effects. Your healthcare team will tell you about specific side effects of your own treatment.**

Common side-effects include:



You may use this chart as a guide for reporting your symptoms.

RECORD & DISCUSS AT NEXT APPOINTMENT	CONTACT NURSE/HCP/ CANCER CENTRE	GO TO EMERGENCY ROOM
Taste changes may occur	Anemia	Allergic reaction
Uncontrolled constipation	Liver problems	Infections
Headache	Kidney problems	Bleeding problems
Easy bruising or minor bleeding	Changes in eyesight	Blood clot
Redness, swelling, pain, or sores	Hearing problems	Heart or lung problems
Nail changes	Skin rash or itching	Uncontrolled nausea, vomiting or diarrhea
Abdominal discomfort	Stomach pain	
Skin irritation		