

## Why are so many women being misdiagnosed?

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Implicit bias and differences in communication style can affect [patient care](#). This magazine article reports on factors that contribute to [misdiagnosis](#) among [women](#) and outlines strategies to help patients achieve the correct diagnosis such as [information gathering](#) to prepare for appointments.