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My family doctor described my failing health and loss of mobility as a conundrum. He sent me to a Neurologist. Because my mobility problems present similar to Multiple Sclerosis, that was the assumption. I assume Neurologists in Texas are not trained in Lyme disease because I have seen four of them, not a single one of them considered Lyme as an option.

Lyme disease was mentioned for me to consider by my dogs Veterinarian. They deal with mystery diseases and have patients that can't speak up for themselves.

I purchased my own Lyme test and tested CDC positive for Lyme disease. I have yet to find a doctor in the state of Texas knowledgeable and capable of treating this disease.

I am thankful I did not go along with the Neurologists diagnosis of Multiple Sclerosis and take the drugs that were recommended. That class of drugs would have only made me worse!

We do have Lyme Disease in Texas! Through Facebook I am acquainted with hundreds of others that have been positively diagnosed with blood or DNA urine tests.

It is time to acknowledge this is a national endemic, begin educating the public and our health professionals.

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Sent from my iPhone