

3 Types of Strokes

Not all strokes are the same.

An ischemic stroke is caused by a blood clot that blocks blood flow to the brain.

A hemorrhagic stroke is caused by a burst blood vessel that leads to bleeding in or around the brain.

A transient ischemic attack – or mini stroke – is caused by a short-term blood clot.

All three types of stroke are a medical emergency. Talk with your healthcare provider about how to prevent them.