

Table 7 Prevalence of hypothyroidism in patients with NFPA.

Author (Year)	n	Hypothyroidism
Nomikos (2004) ¹⁶	721	19.1
Chen (2011) ²⁶	385	35.8
Wichers-Rother (2004) ²⁷	155	30
Comtois (1991) ¹¹	126	18
Dekkers (2006) ²⁵	109	43
Cury (2009) ¹²	104	20.4
Ebersold (1986) ²⁹	100	32
Colao (1998) ²⁸	84	8
Tjeerdsma (1996) ¹⁷	40	67
Marazuela (1994) ²⁴	35	23
Arafah (1986) ⁹	26	81
Greenman (1995) ³⁰	26	23
TOTAL	1911	Range: 8%-81%