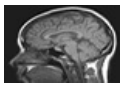
Promising treatment for recurrent brain tumors.

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Hypericin is a chemical found in St. John's Wort, the common medicinal herb. Hypericin has been shown to have anti-viral activity and been investigated for its potential use as a treatment for HIV-infected individuals.

A clinical trial of hypericin in recurrent brain cancer showed that the chemical had a significant impact and worked as well as other drugs used in this setting. Additional trials, with larger numbers of patients, will further define the dosage and efficacy of the compound..

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