

Havana Syndrome

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Recently, there has been a noticeable surge in interest in the **Havana Syndrome**, particularly concerning its occurrence among US diplomats.

- Havana Syndrome is a mysterious illness causing a range of neurological problems. It was first reported by the US Embassy staff in Havana, Cuba in 2016, when they began experiencing extreme headaches and hearing piercing sounds at night.
- Other symptoms including bloody noses, headaches and vision problems were later reported by embassy staff in China and Europe.
 - In 2021, Havana Syndrome gained attention in India after a US intelligence officer travelling with CIA director William Burns to New Delhi reported symptoms.
- A 'syndrome' does not mean a unique medical condition but denotes a cluster of symptoms that commonly occur together, making it hard to determine their precise origin.

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