# TMS - AN ALTERNATIVE TREATMENT FOR DEPRESSION

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ACTIVE RECOVERY TMS

### TMS is an FDA-cleared treatment and is covered by most insurance plans.

#### TMS THERAPY FOR DEPRESSION

Transcranial magnetic stimulation (TMS) is a non-invasive treatment for patients whose symptoms have not improved after 2 or more antidepressant treatments or talk therapy.



### WHAT OUR PATIENTS SAY

I walked into the office in a deep depression that had lasted 7 months, with no relief from various medications.

I left feeling as though my life had been given back to me.



## WHAT DOES TREATMENT CONSIST OF?

The course of treatment for TMS is 5 times per week for approximately 6 weeks. Patients can resume their normal activities - including driving - immediately after their appointments.

### WHEN DO PATIENTS START FEELING BETTER?

Most trials indicate that patients experience improvement by the 4th week of treatment. However, each patient is unique in their response, and some may improve before or after the fourth week.

"TMS uses a highly focused magnetic pulse (similar to an MRI) to stimulate the area of the brain that controls mood.

This stimulation, over time, can result in a decrease in symptoms. For many patients, this can mean full remission from depression."

- Pritham Raj, MD, FACP Board Certified in Internal Medicine & Psychiatry

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