

# SUCCESS TMS THERAPY

## QUICK REFERENCE FOR PROVIDERS

### ABOUT US

Success TMS NeuroHealth Centers is the nation's leading and most experienced provider of Transcranial Magnetic Stimulation (TMS) therapy. Success TMS provides an FDA-cleared treatment for Major Depressive Disorder (MDD) & Obsessive Compulsive Disorder.

With a visionary executive team and accomplished clinical staff, we are expanding awareness and access to Success TMS Therapy nationwide. 62% of patients have successfully responded to treatment by experiencing reduced depressive symptoms or remission.

### ABOUT TMS THERAPY

Transcranial Magnetic Stimulation Therapy (TMS Therapy) is a safe and effective treatment for those diagnosed with MDD who have not experienced satisfactory relief with their antidepressant medication.

TMS Therapy can be used as an adjunct with medication or as a stand-alone treatment, making Success TMS therapy an effective option for those patients suffering from depression who cannot take antidepressants or cannot tolerate their side effects.

TMS Therapy provides local electromagnetic stimulation to specific brain regions known to function in mood regulation. Magnetic pulses activate neurons, thereby improving the brain's ability to regulate mood.

### TO REFER A PATIENT

Submit online:

[successtms.com](https://successtms.com)

Fax Patient Referral to:

855.721.4867

If your patient qualifies for TMS Therapy & with release of information, you will receive:

- Treatment commencement confirmation
- Treatment Summary at end of treatment

### ABOUT OUR PATIENTS

It is a common misconception that most patients with depression are successfully treated with medication. However, clinical studies have shown that only 28% of patients respond to their first round of treatment with antidepressants.<sup>1</sup> Even after adding an augmentor, chances of response are 30%.<sup>2,3</sup> By the fourth round of antidepressants, the response rate is at 7%.<sup>4</sup>

For many depressed patients, seeking initial treatment can be difficult; when coupled with multiple rounds of ineffective antidepressants, patients often become discouraged and noncompliant. TMS Therapy may be an option for those patients who have not experience the relief they need.

<sup>1</sup> Trivedi MH et al. *Am J Psychiatry*. 2006;163(1):28-40.

<sup>2</sup> Trivedi MH et al. *N Engl J Med*. 2006;354(12):1243-1252.

<sup>3</sup> Rush AJ et al. *N Engl J Med*. 2006;354(12):1231-1242.

<sup>4</sup> McGrath PJ et al. *Am J Psychiatry*. 2006;163(9):1531-1541.

REFER FOR A NO-COST CONSULTATION:

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## TYPICAL TREATMENT PLAN

Although treatment varies by individual, a typical treatment course consists of:

- Average of 30–36 treatment sessions
- Conducted over a 4 to 6-week period
- 5 treatments per week
- 18–45 minute average session length

### PATIENT SHOULD EXPECT:

#### Complimentary Consultation

Scheduled by patient at a conveniently located Success TMS center.

Patients learn more about TMS therapy. Relevant medical history will be discussed, including prior / current medications and psychotherapy.

#### Psychiatric Pre-Assessment

Conducted by a Success TMS affiliated psychiatrist with specialized training in TMS therapy to determine your patient's candidacy for treatment & determine your patient's unique treatment plan.

## INSURANCE CRITERIA

Specific to your patient's insurance plan.

### AVERAGE INSURANCE CRITERIA:

- Has tried 1 to 4 different medications
- History of psychotherapy
- No history of seizures
- No metallic implants above the neckline

TMS therapy is covered by many major insurance companies

## BENEFITS

- **FDA Cleared & Proven** –
- **Non-Sedating** –  
Patient remains awake and alert during treatment and may resume usual routine, including driving
- **Non-Systemic**
- **Non-Invasive**
- **Non-Drug**

## POTENTIAL SIDE EFFECTS & RISK FACTOR

In the more than 2 million TMS treatments performed since FDA clearance, TMS has been well-tolerated and is associated with few side-effects. For those who do experience side effects, they generally diminish by the end of a treatment session.

The most common is mild-moderate scalp discomfort. Other side effects may include minor twitching around eye; minor twitching of facial muscles; toothache; and mild-moderate headache. There is a rare risk of seizure associated with TMS Therapy (0.003% per treatment).<sup>5</sup>

<sup>5</sup> *NeuroStar TMS Therapy System Prescribing Information. NeuroNetics, Inc. 52-40031-000 Revision A:7-8.*