# TMS Therapy is now available at many of the top medical facilities in the U.S.

TMS is now in widespread clinical use across the country at major institutions of excellence such as Harvard University, Johns Hopkins University, The Mayo Clinic, Brown University, UCLA, Columbia University, Cornell University, Walter Reed Army Hospital, and Sheppard Pratt.

TMS is also being used in over 500 free -standing psychiatric hospitals and private physician's offices, as it is considered an outpatient treatment.

The Ferguson & Pitch Hope Tree TMS Center is the most experienced TMS Center in Suffolk County and among the most experienced in the New York Metropolitan area.

# Making TMS Affordable

We are dedicated to provide top quality care while making TMS therapy affordable.

We are one of the few TMS centers with a dedicated and experienced team to verify benefits and gain coverage. We find tremendous success gaining insurance coverage for TMS treatment.

### **Our Commitment**

Health insurers are recognizing efficacy of TMS as a standard of care in routine clinical use, yet coverage is not automatic.

Our commitment to our patients is to manage all required documentation and communication with your health insurer to have the best approach to attain coverage for TMS therapy.

Please call us to determine if TMS therapy is covered by your health plan and if TMS therapy can benefit you.

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# What is TMS Therapy?

TMS stands for "Transcranial Magnetic Stimulation." It is a treatment cleared by the US Food and Drug Administration (FDA) for patients suffering from depression who have not achieved satisfactory improvement from prior antidepressant treatment.

TMS Therapy is a treatment that is performed at our Medford office, under the supervision of Dr. Pitch and Dr. Ferguson. We are the only center on Long Island that offers both the NeuroStar TMS Therapy system and Brainsway Deep TMS. TMS Therapy is:

- Non-invasive, meaning that it does not involve surgery. It does not require any anesthesia or sedation, as the patient remains awake and alert during the treatment.
- Non-systemic, meaning that it is not taken by mouth and does not circulate in the blood stream throughout the body.

The typical initial treatment course consists of at least 5 treatments per week for an average 30—36 treatments.

Each treatment session lasts approximately 40 minutes.

# Is TMS Therapy right for you?

If you answer YES to two or more of these questions, talk to your doctor to see if TMS Therapy is right for you.

- Are you taking medication to treat your depression?
- Are you still depressed despite your medication?
- Are you experiencing side effects from your medication?
- Have you switched medications more than once due to side effects?

- Are depression symptoms interfering with your leisure activities or relationships with your family and friends?
- Are depression symptoms having an effect on your ability to earn a living?



## Effectiveness

At Hope Tree TMS we have treated over 200 patients with over 6,500 treatments.

This level of experience provides a strong level of expertise and the flexibility to adapt to each patient's needs. Our team loves working together, and understands the power of connection.

# Safety

Clinical trials have demonstrated the safety of TMS Therapy in treating patients who have had an inadequate response to prior antidepressant medications.

The most common side effect reported during clinical trials was mild to moderate scalp discomfort in the first week.