



## WHAT IT IS AND HOW IT WORKS

The Omega™ Procedure is a surgical intervention for the relief of chronic migraine and headache pain. It is completely non-pharmaceutical. Instead, it works on the principles of electro-stimulation and neuro-modulation. Those are fancy words that refer essentially to the electronic disruption of pain signals in your head. In order to be a candidate for the procedure, your migraines must have been diagnosed by a neurologist and you must have tried and failed more conservative attempts to get rid of your

pain. Examples of conservative attempts include medication, physical therapy, and injections.

Migraine Treatment Centers of America has Patient Care Managers standing by who can help determine if you are a candidate for the procedure. At this time, we are unable to accept Medicare, Medicaid and Tricare, but we welcome most private insurers.

## THE TRIAL

Before the implant is made, you will have the opportunity to wear the device, mostly externally, for a period of about a week. This will allow you to feel how the treatment works and if you respond well to it.

During this test period, we urge you to challenge your migraine triggers. Drink wine. Go to the mall. Smell cheese. Stare at a light. Whatever you think will trigger a migraine, do it! When you feel the migraine

coming on, use the remote control and see if it works. Please understand that it does not work for everyone, but according to our records, between 80%–90% of the people who undergo a trial end up having the implant. We believe that is powerful testimony of the Omega Procedure's effectiveness.

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### The Implant Stage

Via one or more small incisions, a battery pack smaller than a silver dollar will be placed about an inch under the skin of your buttocks, back, or chest. This battery pack is connected to tiny wires called leads.

The leads ascend to your head and will be strategically placed to target the area of your pain. Although the leads are just under the skin, they are not visible and you will probably never feel them. What you will feel is a slight buzzing sensation... and profound relief.

Recovery may require an overnight stay for observation. Full recovery usually takes about 2–4 weeks, but most people can return to a desk job in seven to 14 days.

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## Using the Device

After the procedure, you will be given a remote control—like a TV remote. As soon as you feel your next migraine strike, you will push the button on the remote.

This will activate the battery to send an electrical impulse up to the area of your pain. The electrical impulses will disrupt the pain signals your migraines are causing, and your pain should subside or fail to gain strength. The intensity of the electrical signals is adjustable, so it's up to you how high to turn up the counter-attack on your migraine.

## Relief

Instead of feeling the pain of a migraine, you will feel a slight buzzing sensation. If you put your lips together and hum, that is a good approximation of the sensation you will feel. At that point, your migraine pain should either fail to materialize or subside. The intensity of the electrical signals are controllable by your remote, so if the migraine pain is strong or weak, you can adjust the electrical signals accordingly.

The last step is up to you because your migraine has been effectively eliminated. We suggest looking at the darkened room where you spent so many days, shutting the door, and doing something else.

The Omega Procedure is not a cure that stops migraines from forming. Instead, it is a tool that helps you manage and control the pain.

It's like an umbrella—it doesn't stop the rain from falling, it stops you from getting wet.





- ✓ Permanent relief or significant reduction in migraine pain
- ✓ Relief from and eliminated costs of prescription drugs
- ✓ No side effects aside from an occasional buzzing sensation
- ✓ Get back to your life, free of pain and worry

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