

# A NEW LEASE ON LIFE WITHOUT OPIOIDS: IMPROVED PAIN, SLEEP, AND QUALITY OF LIFE

## A Marine Corps Sergeant’s Experience After Spine Surgery

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A patient’s experience: United States Marine Corps Sergeant, disabled, retired.

“I was born in Woodland, California, and joined the United States Marines a week after my 17th birthday. My service included the Desert Warfare School, Marine Corps Air Ground Combat Center, and State Department Embassy Marine Security Guard Unit in Asia, the Middle East, and East Africa. I was diagnosed with service-connected disabilities by Veterans Affairs and then honorably discharged.

Vietnam Veteran educational benefits allowed me to attend and graduate from California State University, Chico, with a degree in international relations. I became a hunting guide, and founded and grew a construction company that provided jobs for over 350 people. In 2002, I was in a car hit by a semi-trailer truck. Spine injuries required surgery. Increasingly higher doses of pain meds resulted in my inability to fully function and work, and the loss of my company.

I was on high doses of pain meds for 20+ years until I had enough and quit cold turkey. With Provant Therapy, my pain went down, sleep improved, and I enjoy quality time with my children and grandchildren.”

	Before Provant	After Provant
Pain Meds	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Vicodin: 100 mg/day.</li> <li>• Fentanyl: 100-125 mcg/day.</li> <li>• Quit cold turkey and started Provant Therapy.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• No need for opioid pain meds.</li> </ul>
Pain Score 0-10	7-8	<b>3-5</b> Clinically meaningful improvement
Quality of Life	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sleep 1.5 hours per night</li> <li>• Unable to fully function and enjoy my life.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sleep 4.5 to 8 hours per night.</li> <li>• Can now play with my children and grandchildren.</li> </ul>

For postoperative pain relief, consider Provant Therapy. Provant is dual-field electromagnetic therapy, proven in clinical trials and real-world patient experiences to provide meaningful pain relief and improved quality of life. To learn more about Provant Therapy, please contact your Regenesi Biomedical representative, or visit [www.regenesibio.com](http://www.regenesibio.com).

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