Transcranial Magnetic Stimulation

What is this useful for?

- o Depression
- o Obsessive Compulsive Disorder
- Migraines
- o Parkinson's Disease



Risks

Overall, rTMS is safe and well tolerated, but like all therapies, it can have side effects. These include:

- Discomfort at the site on the head where the magnet is placed
- Contraction or tingling of scalp, jaw, or face muscles during the procedure
- Mild headaches or brief lightheadedness
- Dizziness
- Seizures (very low risk)

TMS as a treatment option?

Are there any other questions that you may want to ask a clinician to weigh in the pros and cons of TMS? What other clarifications could you seek for the risks mentioned above to make an informed decision?