

FOUNDATION FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF CLINICAL TMS



2025 IMPACT REPORT

Increasing Access to TMS Therapy



PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



Dear Supporters,

It is my privilege to reflect on a year of meaningful progress in advancing our mission: expanding access to Transcranial Magnetic Stimulation (TMS) therapy and supporting research in psychiatry and neurology.

FACTMS has strengthened its impact through clinic expansion, research funding, partnerships, and patient advocacy — while building a sustainable organizational foundation.

We honor the legacy of Dr. Bob Sammons, whose dedication lives on through the Bob Sammons Clinical TMS Research Grant, supporting the next generation of innovators. Our partnership with the Neil S. Hirsch Foundation has been instrumental, enhancing our development efforts with Parthenon Management Group and strengthening operations under Executive Director Anna Taylor and Development Manager Jenny Fernandez.

We continue to support Kitsap Mental Health Services, where over 100 patients have received care through our donated TMS system. Access is expanding further through our clinic in Savannah, Georgia, and an upcoming clinic in South Florida with the Palm Health Foundation.

Our Events Committee hosted a successful San Diego event recognizing our first Ad Astra Award recipients and supporting research, with additional outreach at Palm Beach State College.

Through research grants, patient advocacy, and growing awareness, FACTMS is helping expand access to life-changing care.

Thank you for your continued support.

Randy I. Pardell, MD, DLFAPA, FCTMSS

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OUR MISSION

To advance awareness, advocacy, and access to TMS as a life-enhancing treatment worldwide.

OUR VISION

A world where TMS is readily accessible to everyone.



TMS HEALS DEPRESSION

“At the end of the TMS treatment, I felt like somebody could tell me something, or a new stress could arise, and I could handle it.”

-Heather, a TMS patient

COMMITTEES

Clinic Expansion



The Clinic Expansion Committee (CEC) is responsible for executing our goal of opening one new TMS clinic a year.

Development



Oversee cultivation of prospective donors, new program development, stewardships and in-kind device donations.

Events



Successfully plan and execute our largest fundraising event during the CTMSS Annual Meeting as well as virtual educational webinars.

Grant Review



Responsible for overseeing the applications for FACTMS research grants, project selection and outcomes from funded research.

Patient Advocacy Group



To elevate and organize patient stories and voices in support of the FACMTS mission, as well as raising awareness about TMS.

"MY KIDS ARE 2 AND 3 AND THRIVING. AFTER MY TMS TREATMENT, THEY GOT THEIR MOM BACK. TMS GAVE ME BACK MY LIFE, AND MY KIDS GOT BACK THEIR MOM."

-DYAN



Neil S. Hirsch TMS Center at Kitsap Mental Health Services

Funding from the Neil S. Hirsch Foundation has supported the successful implementation and expansion of Transcranial Magnetic Stimulation (TMS) services at Kitsap Mental Health Services, demonstrating strong clinical impact and growing operational capacity.



Since launching in 2024, 213 patients have been referred for evaluation, with 146 completing psychiatric assessments, and 101 initiating treatment, indicating steady patient engagement and program uptake. Clinical outcomes have been notably positive, with an average treatment response rate of 71%, underscoring the effectiveness of TMS.

The program has prioritized access and equity. Transportation assistance has been provided to 58 patients, and 24 patients have received reduced-cost or free treatment.



Gateway Regional Services Board

Support from the Neil S. Hirsch Foundation has catalyzed significant operational growth and strategic advancement within the Gateway Regional Services Board's TMS program. FACTMS approved the project in the fall of 2025, with a ribbon cutting occurring in January 2026.



Future Directions in TMS Therapy

All proceeds benefit the
Bob Sammons Clinical TMS Research Grant



On June 12, during the Clinical TMS Society (CTMSS) Annual Meeting, FACTMS held its biggest fundraiser of the year, Future Directions in TMS Therapy. During the event, the first annual Ad Astra Award Winners were recognized, Dr. Shan Siddiqi and Dr. Nolan Williams. Proceeds of the event supported the Bob Sammons Clinical TMS Research Grant.

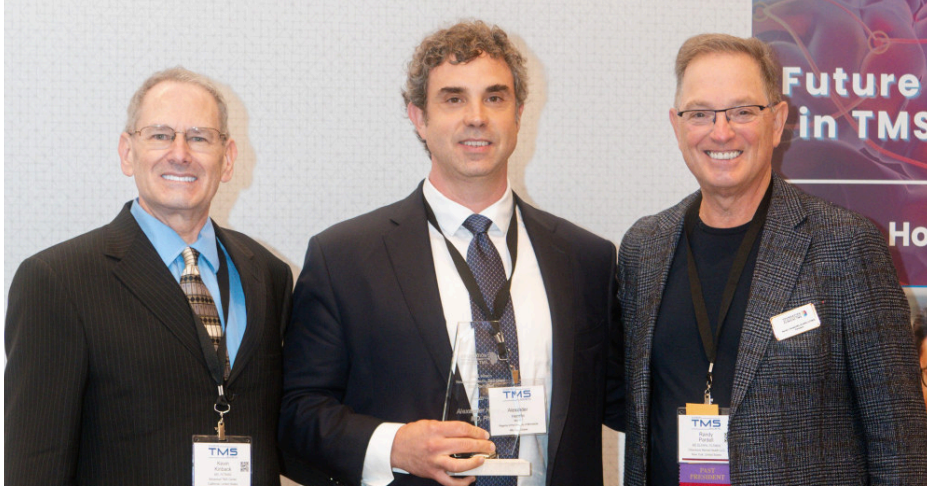


Nolan R. Williams, MD

FACTMS was deeply saddened by the passing of Ad Astra Honoree, Dr. Nolan Williams just months after we honored him. A brilliant scientist, physician and dedicated husband to our board member Kristin Raj, MD. He is greatly missed.

RESEARCH GRANTS

Neil S. Hirsch Neurotherapeutic Grant



Funded by a generous grant from the Neil S. Hirsch Foundation, Alexander Herman, MD, PhD from the University of Minnesota was awarded the Neil S. Hirsch Neurotherapeutic Grant during the event on June 12. His research focuses on the use of TMS for pain management.

Bob Sammons Clinical TMS Research Grant



Named in honor of board member, Dr. Bob Sammons, the grant supports early career investigators. Dr. Xialong Peng, Medical University of South Carolina, is in his second year of research.

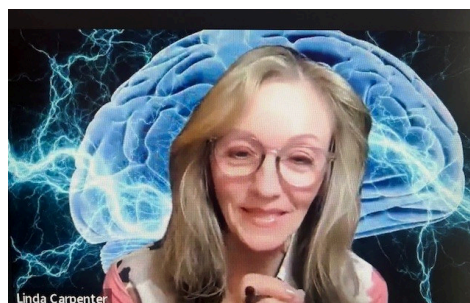


TMS Awareness

At the core of our mission is to bring awareness about TMS therapy and the profound change it has on people's lives.

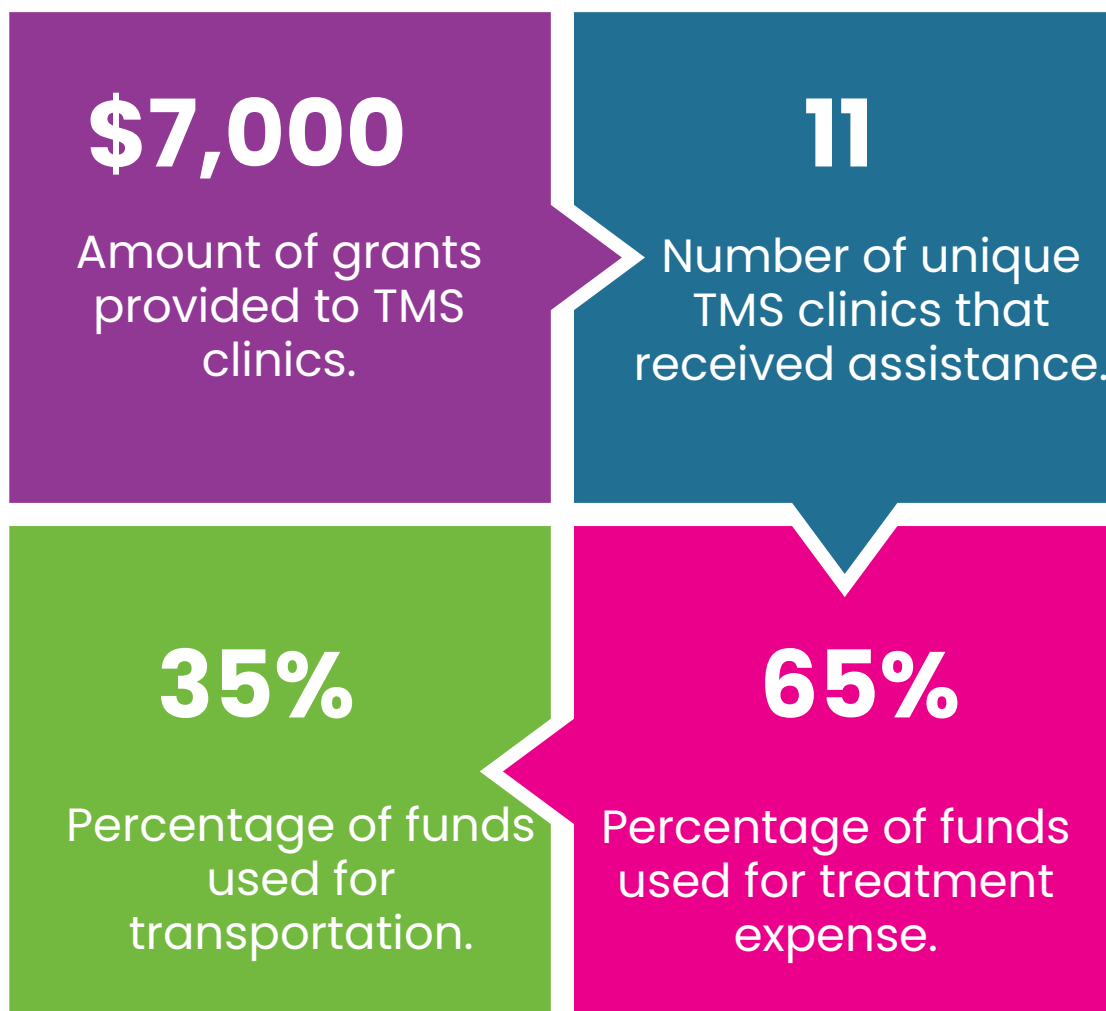
In March, FACMTS hosted, "Mind Your Own TMS Business", which featured prominent female TMS providers sharing about their clinics and the transformations they have seen in patients. The panel consisted of: Dr. Martha Koo, Dr. Rebeca Allen, Dr. Carlene MacMillian, Dr. Kirstin Raj, and Dr. Linda Carpenter.

FACTMS hosted, in conjunction with Palm Beach State College, an in-person educational day for providers and the community on November 7. The day consisted of TMS experts and clinicians, lived experiences from patients, and hands on experience with a TMS device.



PATIENT ASSISTANCE FUND

FACTMS established the Patient Assistance Fund to help remove barriers that keep many people from treatment: transportation, copays, lodging, and childcare support, among others. TMS Clinics can apply for grants of \$500, three times per year.



"Removing that financial barrier wasn't just helpful, it was the single factor that allowed their treatment to succeed and led to a sustained, clinically significant response."

-Dino Santoro, MD

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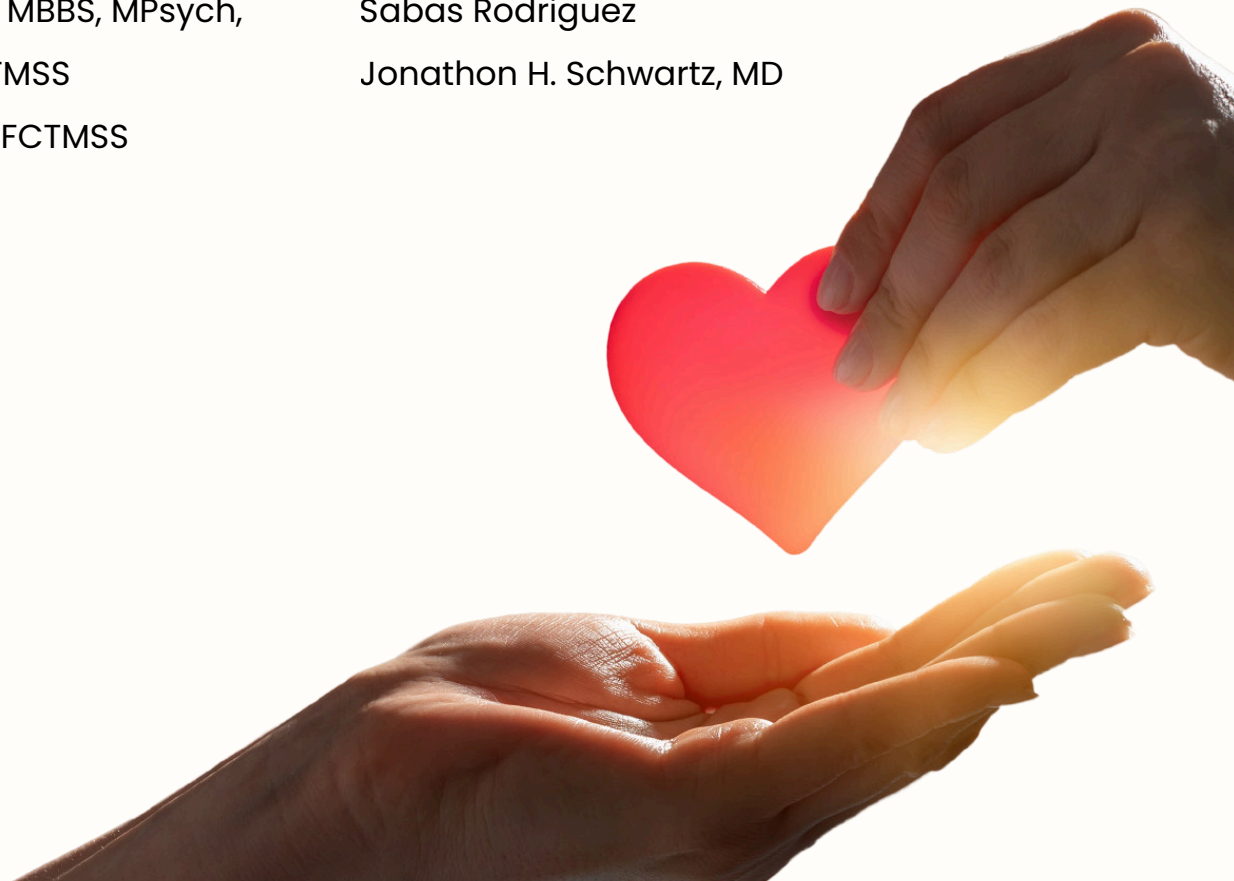
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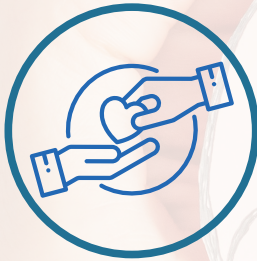
STRATEGIC PLAN

01. Education & Advocacy



Establish FACTMS as a prominent, trusted public voice for TMS as a leading treatment by launching coordinated awareness campaigns and securing community partnerships over the next 3 years.

02. Patient Access



Reduce financial, geographic, and logistical barriers to TMS treatment by expanding resources and support over the next 3 years.

03. Research & Evidence



Build FACTMS into a recognized funding source of TMS research by establishing a sustainable grants program that reaches \$500K in annual awards within 3 years.



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