



New Guide on Ketamine Therapy Benefits Released by Moment of Clarity

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Moment of Clarity has published a new resource titled "Discover the Benefits of Ketamine Therapy", now available on their website. The article provides patients, families, and communities with an overview of how ketamine therapy in Huntington Beach is being used to support recovery from depression, anxiety, post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD), and other mental health conditions. By reviewing both clinical research and treatment contexts, the publication provides evidence-based guidance for individuals considering advanced mental health care in Huntington Beach and its surrounding areas.

The resource explains that ketamine, when administered in a controlled medical environment, can influence neurotransmitters in the brain differently than traditional antidepressants. Many patients report faster relief with ketamine compared to medications that may take weeks to work. This makes it a potential option for those living with treatment-resistant depression or persistent trauma symptoms. A review in *JAMA Psychiatry* (2019) and clinical trials supported by the National Institutes of Health (NIH) have shown ketamine's rapid antidepressant effects in some patients who did not respond to other treatments.

However, the article also clarifies essential distinctions. Ketamine itself is FDA-approved as an anesthetic, while esketamine (Spravato), a related compound, is FDA-approved for treatment-resistant depression. Use of ketamine for anxiety and PTSD remains off-label, meaning it should only be considered under medical supervision as part of a comprehensive treatment plan.

For patients in Huntington Beach, California, the resource highlights how ketamine therapy may be integrated with existing services such as cognitive behavioral therapy (CBT), family counseling, psychiatric evaluation, or trauma-focused care. For example, patients participating in CBT for anxiety may find that ketamine helps reduce symptom intensity, allowing them to engage more effectively in therapy. Similarly, those undergoing EMDR for PTSD may experience short-term symptom relief that enhances their ability to process trauma in counseling sessions.

The publication also underscores that ketamine is not a standalone solution. It is most effective when combined with evidence-based approaches such as dialectical behavior therapy (DBT), group therapy, or medication management for bipolar disorder. By positioning ketamine within a continuum of care, the resource emphasizes the importance of long-term strategies for sustainable recovery.

Safety and oversight are also addressed. Ketamine treatments are provided in structured outpatient settings where patients are closely monitored. Side effects, such as mild dizziness, dissociation, or nausea, are generally short-lived; however, the article notes that there are also broader considerations to consider. These include the need for repeated dosing in some patients, potential for misuse outside of clinical supervision, and the fact that long-term effects remain an area of ongoing study. Patients are advised to discuss the risks and benefits of treatment with a qualified healthcare provider before beginning any treatment.

The resource also speaks to accessibility and stigma. Many individuals delay care due to misconceptions about advanced therapies or fear of judgment. By presenting research-based information and clarifying regulatory status, Moment of Clarity encourages patients and families to view ketamine therapy as one option within modern psychiatric services.

Continuity of care is highlighted as another essential element. Patients may begin with ketamine to achieve rapid symptom reduction, but continued engagement in counseling, psychiatric support, and skill-building therapies is critical for long-term improvement. This integrated approach ensures that ketamine serves as a bridge rather than a replacement for ongoing care.

By publishing "Discover the Benefits of Ketamine Therapy," Moment of Clarity reinforces its commitment to transparency and education regarding emerging mental health treatments. The resource provides clear explanations of how ketamine therapy works, acknowledges its limitations, and situates it within broader

treatment programs that include counseling, trauma-informed care, and psychiatric evaluation.

For people in Huntington Beach and the surrounding region exploring options such as group therapy, CBT for anxiety, EMDR for PTSD, or medication management, this resource offers factual, research-based insight. By balancing innovation with evidence, Moment of Clarity empowers patients and families to make informed decisions about their care and consider advanced therapies as part of a comprehensive recovery plan.

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