

### Our Journey....



At one and a half years of age, my son Aidan had his first seizure. Diagnosed as a febrile seizure, we were informed his future could or could not hold more seizure episodes. To note, at a later date, this first occurrence was diagnosed as a grand mall seizure. At the age of three another seizure, same febrile diagnosis. Six months later, another seizure, but missing from the incident was the symptom of a fever. An EEG result determined Aidan was experiencing absence seizures. At this time medication was mentioned, but not strongly recommended and we declined the usage.

In February of this year, at the age of six, Aidan's school reports of a "long" seizure occurrence. Two weeks later, another seizure while in a swimming pool and again, three months later. Aidan's neurologist is now strongly advising medication. After I requested an updated EEG, the results indicated fifty-plus absence seizures within a fourteen-hour consecutive time period. Again, medication was being pushed our direction.

I researched every medication suggested. The possible side effects percentage was high and the percentage of positive effectiveness, low. Surely, there had to be other options available.

After seeing Dr. Aung-Din on television, I made an appointment. Following an evaluation, he hooked Aidan up with an EEG. While witnessing his seizures, Dr. Aung-Din placed a small amount of the CBD cream on Aidan's neck and within minutes, no more seizures.

The effectiveness of this "experimental" drug has changed my son's life. He is no longer sensitive to light, has no more eye ticks, he sleeps peaceful and does not "jerk or twitch" waking up happier little boy. He would be standing and just drop whatever was in his hand. He struggled I School and now says school is easy! Being unaware Aidan is using CBD, his teacher has favorably commented on Aidan's ability to focus on his work and has progressed substantially.

The medications being suggested for Aidan cause depression, suicidal thoughts, drowsiness, ADHD, eating disorders, kidney and liver problems, and even more sever seizures. Most likely, we would have had to "experiment" until the dosage/medication was considered viable, plus added other medications to offset the side effects he would most likely experience.

Every drug, at one point in time, was considered experimental. CBD does not cause side effects. It does not enter the bloodstream. It is apparent, within minutes, if it is effective or not. The stigma associated with CBD is unwarranted. Dr. Aung-Din has changed our lives for the better and I will be forever thankful to him.



**The Wilzinski Family**