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Let's talk possibility

for your **brain tumor patients**

Visualase™ MRI-Guided Laser Ablation

Laser Interstitial Thermal Therapy (LITT)

With a minimally-invasive surgical option to ablate tumors in the brain, imagine the possibilities for you and your patients.



What is Visualase™ MRI-guided laser ablation?

Visualase™ is an MRI-guided laser ablation system used to perform Laser Interstitial Thermal Therapy (LITT), a minimally-invasive surgical option to ablate tumors in the brain. This option can help expand treatment possibilities for brain tumor patients.

LITT can provide access to deep-seated brain tumors that may otherwise be considered inoperable.¹ It can arrest the progression of radiation necrosis that may result from earlier radiation therapy.² LITT may also prove beneficial for your patients who have reached the maximum cumulative dose of radiation for treatment of their brain tumor.^{1,3-5}

With a significantly shorter recovery time than open craniotomy,⁶ LITT patients can move on to adjuvant treatments more quickly.^{1,7-9} Because less time in the hospital is more time for living.

Visualase™ vs Craniotomy

hospital stay⁶

2.33 days **4.71** days

discharge to home⁶

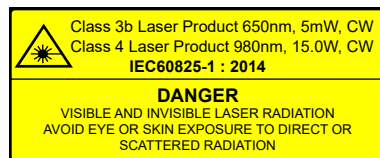
79% **66%**

complication rate¹⁰

5.7% **13.9%**

30-day readmission rate⁶

0% **13%**



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Is Visualase™ right for my patient?

Find out more about Visualase™ MRI-Guided laser ablation, including technology and indications at medtronic.com/visualase.

How can I refer my patient for a Visualase™ procedure?

Become part of the Visualase™ community. Scan this QR code to sign up to speak with your local Medtronic rep. We can answer your questions and help you connect with neurosurgeons who perform Visualase™ procedures in your area.



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