



Various AED's tried

Ethosuximide, Sodium Valproate (Epilim), Carbamazepine (Tegretol), Clobazam, Topiramate (Topamax), Carbamazepine (Tegretol slow release), Lamotrigine, Keppra, Zonisamide, Perampanel, Lacosamide

From diagnosis to prognosis, our r(20) journey so far...

1:1 support though school and college

2 years to diagnosis

Independence?
Employment?

June '03 1st seizure (age 6)
AED's started - suspected absence seizures

Apr '04 Steroids + more AED's introduced

Aug '05 r(20) diagnosis (age 8)

Dec '11 VNS battery changed

Aug '14 Ketogenic Diet (MAD) - 2.5 yrs

Dec '17 Lacosamide introduced/VNS increased to rapid cycling

Age 6

Age 20

Mar '04 Severe seizure onset (age 7)
25-30 clinical seizures per day

May '05 Brain surgery workup
2-5 clinical seizures per week

Ritalin introduced (for ADHD)

Oct '05 VNS implant Randomized trial

2011 Ketogenic Diet (MCT) - 3 weeks only: suspected MCAD deficiency

Feb '16 VNS battery changed - Aspire

3-4 clinical seizures per day



Seizures gradually increasing in frequency and duration

Supported living?
Support dog?