**Spine Surgeon [surgeon name], MD, Performs First Cervical Total Disc Replacement Surgery in [location] Using System that Allows Matching the Disc to Patient Anatomy**

PRESS RELEASE

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[surgeon photo]

[location], [date]– Spine Surgeon [surgeon name, title], today announced the successful first implantation of the pro**disc**® **C Vivo** Cervical Total Disc Replacement (TDR) device in the [practice location] area. The product was approved in 2022 by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) for 1-level indications and is part of a portfolio of four FDA-approved pro**disc**® cervical TDR products that allow surgeons to select the implant that best matches a patient’s anatomy and level of disease. [surgeon name] is the first spine surgeon in [state/region/locale] to conduct a total disc replacement procedure using the pro**disc** **C Vivo** implant. The first pro**disc** **C Vivo** procedure was performed in [location] on a [patient demographics, such as ’42 year-old man’], by [surgeon name, title]. [brief statement about patient history and experience]

“pro**disc** **C Vivo** has a unique domed endplate which helped me to match the disc to my patient’s anatomy, enabling faster recovery and fewer restrictions after surgery. Coupled with the other pro**disc** cervical devices, which incorporate flat endplates with keels, I am able to select the disc that best matches my patient’s unique anatomy.”

The pro**disc** **C Vivo** system is manufactured by Centinel Spine®, LLC, has been in clinical use internationally since 2009, and is currently one of the most frequently implanted TDR devices in the world. The device has keel-less endplates and combines a unique anatomically-designed superior endplate with lateral spikes to optimize fit and provide immediate fixation. The pro**disc** **C Vivo** device incorporates pro**disc** **CORE** technology, the basis behind the predictable clinical outcomes of the pro**disc** platform after 35 years and over 275,000 implantations worldwide.[[1]](#endnote-1)

Patients can learn more about the total disc replacement procedure and the new pro**disc** by calling [practice phone #] or visiting [practice website].

**About [practice name]**

[practice ‘about us’ information]

**About Centinel Spine, LLC**

Centinel Spine®, LLC is the leading global medical device company exclusively focused on addressing cervical and lumbar spinal disease with pro**disc**®, the most complete total disc replacement (TDR) technology platform in the world.[[2]](#endnote-2)

The Company’s pro**disc** technology is the most studied and clinically-proven TDR system across the globe, validated by over 540 published papers[[3]](#endnote-3) and more than 275,000i implantations. Centinel Spine’s pro**disc** is the only TDR technology with multiple motion-preserving anatomic solutions, allowing the surgeon to Match-the-Disc™ to each patient’s anatomy for both cervical and lumbar total disc replacement.

For more information, please visit the company’s website at [www.CentinelSpine.com](http://www.CentinelSpine.com)

1. Data on file at Centinel Spine. [↑](#endnote-ref-1)
2. Based on market availability of TDR products as of Feb. 2025. [↑](#endnote-ref-2)
3. Search performed on Pubmed, Embase, Ovid Medline® covering 1988 – 2024. [↑](#endnote-ref-3)