



# DON'T SKIP A STEP

## Get Back to Life with Cartiva<sup>®</sup>

Your toes' joints are uniquely designed for movement — especially the big toe, which provides most of the propulsive force needed for walking and running. Unlike fusion, which locks the joint in place, Cartiva allows your joint to move how it's supposed to.

Cartiva is backed by the largest and longest randomized multi-center study ever conducted for the treatment of osteoarthritis in the big toe joint.<sup>1,2</sup>

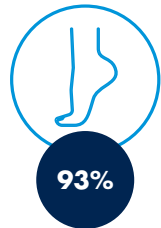
AT ALMOST  
6 YEARS,  
PATIENTS  
REPORT:



REDUCED  
PAIN<sup>2</sup>



FUNCTIONAL  
IMPROVEMENT<sup>2</sup>



PATIENT  
SATISFACTION<sup>2</sup>

“Cartiva® is an effective option for patients wishing to maintain their range of motion while getting significant pain relief.”

SELENE G. PAREKH, MD, MBA  
Professor of Orthopedic Surgery, Duke University



“My husband and I can go on long walks. We can walk all day long. We have no restrictions.”

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## FAQ

### What is Cartiva made of?

The implant is composed of a biocompatible, durable, slippery organic polymer that functions similarly to natural cartilage.

### What is Cartiva used to treat?

Cartiva treats painful arthritis in the joint of the big toe. This arthritis involves the wearing down of the cartilage tissue in the big toe joint.

### How does recovery compare to fusion?

Cartiva patients experience a clinically meaningful reduction in pain two weeks following surgery with the maximum amount of pain reduction starting at six months and beyond.<sup>1</sup>

Cartiva patients return to activities of daily living faster than patients who undergo a fusion procedure, due to a less restrictive rehabilitation protocol.<sup>3</sup>

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For more information on the risks, benefits, and use of the Cartiva device, visit us at [cartiva.net](https://www.cartiva.net) | Call 877-336-4616 | Email [info@cartiva.net](mailto:info@cartiva.net)

## TALK TO YOUR DOCTOR

to find out if Cartiva is right for you.

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