



# How the Guardian™ System Detected a 90% LAD Blockage in an Asymptomatic Patient — Before It Was Too Late.



**A silent and potentially fatal heart blockage was caught early by the Guardian™ System, before the patient showed any symptoms.**

This is the real story of a patient whose heart was silently in danger. With no symptoms and feeling perfectly fine, the patient went about their day — until the Guardian™ System triggered an Emergency Alarm.

When doctors investigated, they discovered a 90% blockage in the Left Anterior Descending (LAD) artery — a type of coronary occlusion often called the "widowmaker". Thanks to the early alert, the blockage was treated immediately with a stent, and the patient avoided heart damage entirely.

# **What Makes the Guardian™ System So Powerful?**

## **Inside-the-Heart ST Segment Monitoring**

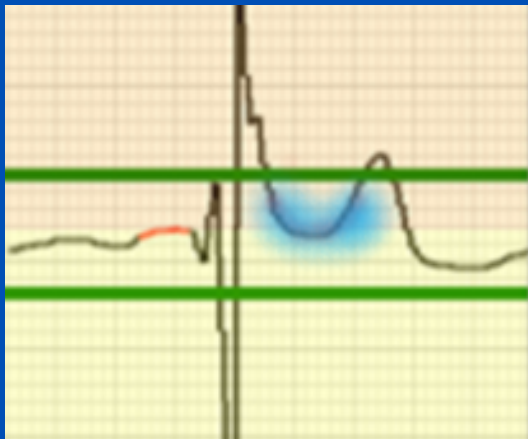
Unlike surface ECGs, the Guardian™ System monitors ST segment changes directly from inside the heart. This allows it to detect both ST elevation and depression, offering a clearer view of ischemic events, regardless of the blockage's location.

## **Custom Thresholds, Powered by Machine Learning**

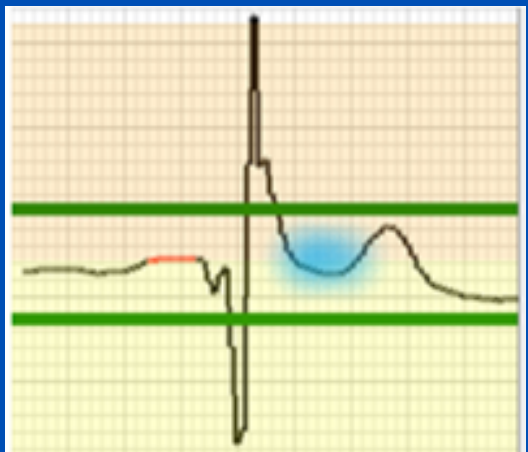
The Guardian™ System analyzes thousands of the patient's own heartbeats to create personalized ST shift thresholds. These are continuously updated throughout the life of the device — providing a personalized early warning system.



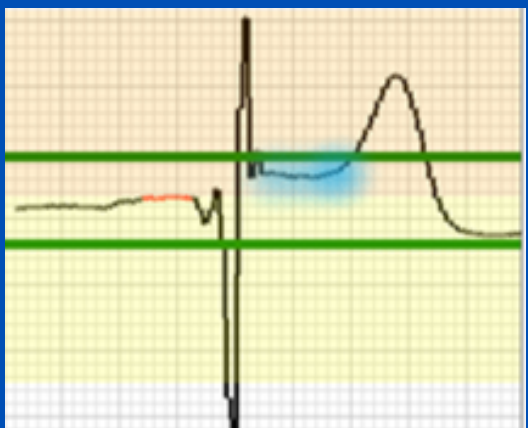
# The 10-Hour Timeline That Changed Everything



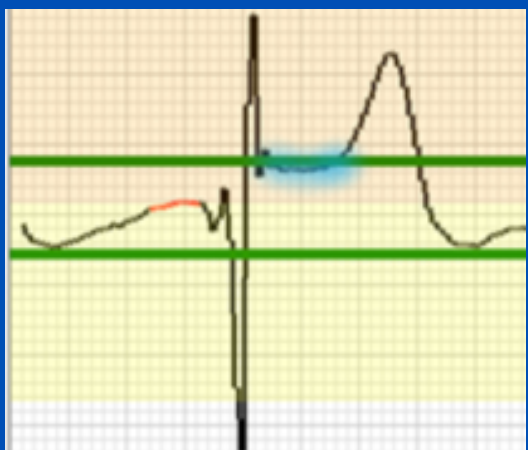
10 Hours Prior  
ST Shift: 0.0%



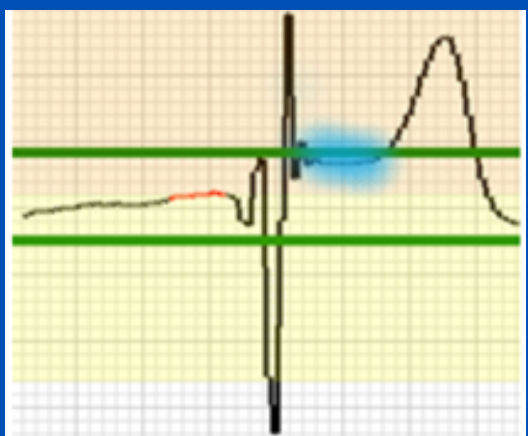
5 Hours Prior  
ST Shift: 3.1%



1 Hour Prior  
ST Shift: 12.5%



1 Minute Prior  
ST Shift: 20.4%  
Prior



Alarm Triggered  
ST Shift: 19.4%

**Over just 10 hours, the Guardian™ System tracked the progressive ST segment changes that signaled increasing danger — invisible to the patient, yet clear to the implant.**

The patient never felt a thing. But the the Guardian™ System did its job.