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At the age of 21, I was diagnosed with chemotherapy-induced heart failure. When medicines were not enough to support my heart, I received a Left Ventricular Assist Device (LVAD), a type of heart pump, to help circulate my blood. With the LVAD, I was able to finish college, get my Master's degree, and start a career as a statistical analyst at Medpace. After five and a half years on the LVAD, my doctors and I believed that my heart had recovered enough to remove the heart pump. However, without the pump, my heart immediately began to fail again, and within 6 weeks, I had a heart transplant. On February 23, at the age of 33, I celebrated the sixth year of my heart transplant with my wife, son, and baby girl. I participate in the Heart Mini each year, because I know that heart research can save lives and improve quality of life.

Jacob M., Survivor, Medpace employee

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