

IRB #: 11354

Title: Developing a Smart Predict app for AAC Conversation

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Study Purpose: The purpose of this study is to learn more about a new app for people who have complex communication needs (CCN) and motor impairments, and their conversation partners.

Eligibility:

- 21-65 years of age
- English as primary language
- Familiarity with tablet use
- Capable of participating in a 2-hour experimental interaction

Study Details:

- The study will involve training on use of the app, watching video clips, and engaging in conversations with a communication partner.
- Participants will be required to complete up to 13 visits which may last up to 2 hours, over the course of 6 months. Visits may occur at OHSU or a location chosen by your conversation partner.

Compensation: Participants will receive a \$10 incentive after each study visit.

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