

W5 – Application of Gamification in Healthcare and Outcomes measurement : Improving treatment compliance and research engagement

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Presentation overview

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Introduction to Regulatory Aspects of Gamification

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FDA permits marketing of mobile medical application for substance use disorder (SUD)

September 14, 2017

- Pear Therapeutics : reSET application.
- FDA Clearance as a Computerized Behavioral Therapy device for psychiatric disorders: first time in the world.
- Used with outpatient therapy to treat alcohol, cocaine, marijuana and stimulant SUDs.



Figure 1 : The reSET device Status screen report



Experimental Video Game hit its main goal in a pivotal clinical trial involving 348 ADHD children

December, 2017

- Akili : AKL-T01 application.
- ADHD children and adolescents utilized AKL-T01 for 4 weeks, and showed statistically significant improvement on test measuring attention and screen for disorder. (Change in the Attention Performance Index (API), an overall composite score, from the Test of Variables of Attention (TOVA 8)
- Seeking FDA clearance as the first prescription digital treatment for pediatric ADHD.



Figure 2 : Screenshot from AKL-T01 game Akili's game designed to treat ADHD



FDA draft guidance for Early Alzheimer's Disease (AD)

February, 2018

- Guidance to assist sponsors in the clinical development of drugs for the treatment of sporadic AD before the onset of overt dementia.
- Challenge : detecting subtle abnormalities with sensitive neuropsychological measures.
- Current assessment tools used for overt dementia may not be suitable for early stage patients.



How many gamers in the US ?

- A. 15 %
- B. 30 %
- C. 45 %
- D. 60 %



How about the world ?



Everyone is a gamer.



Use of Gamification in Clinical Trials

JOHN HARRISON



Themes – so why bother?

Selection (also compliance and retention)

...user acceptance?

...not just answers, but metadata too

...beyond questionnaires

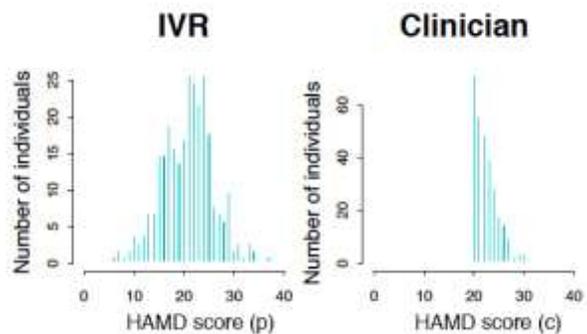
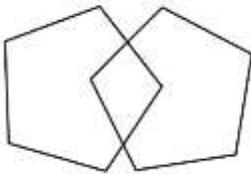
Selection

Getting the right patients

Recruitment pressure

Screen failure

Bending the rules



Byrom B & Mundt JC (2005) The value of computer-administered self-report data in central nervous system clinical trials. *Current Opinion in Drug Discovery & Development* 8(3):374-383

User acceptance

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Welcome to
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          EE      LL      II   ZZ  AA  AA
          EEEE   LL      II   ZZ  AAAAAA
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Eliza is a sock Rogerian psychotherapist.
The original program was described by Joseph Weizenbaum in 1966.
This implementation by Robert Landsteiner 2005.

ELIZA: Is something troubling you ?
YOU:   Men are all alike.
ELIZA: What is the connection, do you suppose ?
YOU:   They're always buggind us about something or other.
ELIZA: Can you think of a specific example ?
YOU:   Well, my boyfriend made me come here.
ELIZA: Is it important to you that your boyfriend made you come here ?
YOU:   He says I'm depressed much of the time.
ELIZA: I am sorry to hear that you are depressed.
YOU:   It's true. I am unhappy.
ELIZA: Can you explain what made you unhappy ?
YOU:   █
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Metadata

Not just what the study participant says, but also how they say it:

Speed of response

Prosody (issues of stress and intonation)

Things not dreamt of...



Beyond questionnaires

<https://vimeo.com/105469094>



Presentation of Gamification applied in health context

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Play

how it shapes the brain,
opens the imagination,
and invigorates the soul

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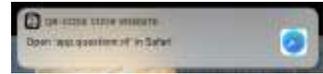
Gamifying an existing PRO

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To start the demo please make sure your phone or laptop is connected to the internet.

For iPhone:
Open your camera and keep it in front of the QR code. Click on the notification to open the browser.



For Android:
Scan the QR code with an QR code scanner or type the following URL:

<https://default.questionr.nl/demo?qid=ispor>

Panel Discussion

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