

# 언택트 시대의 연하장애 디지털 헬스케어

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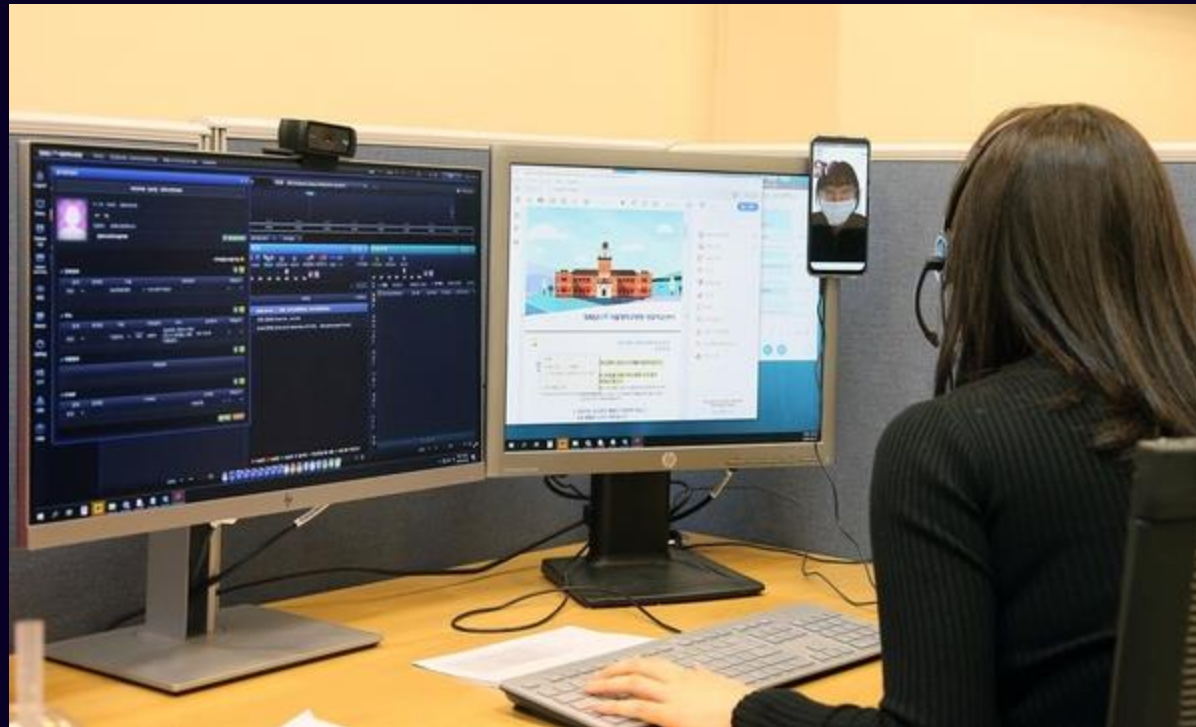
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# COVID-19 era



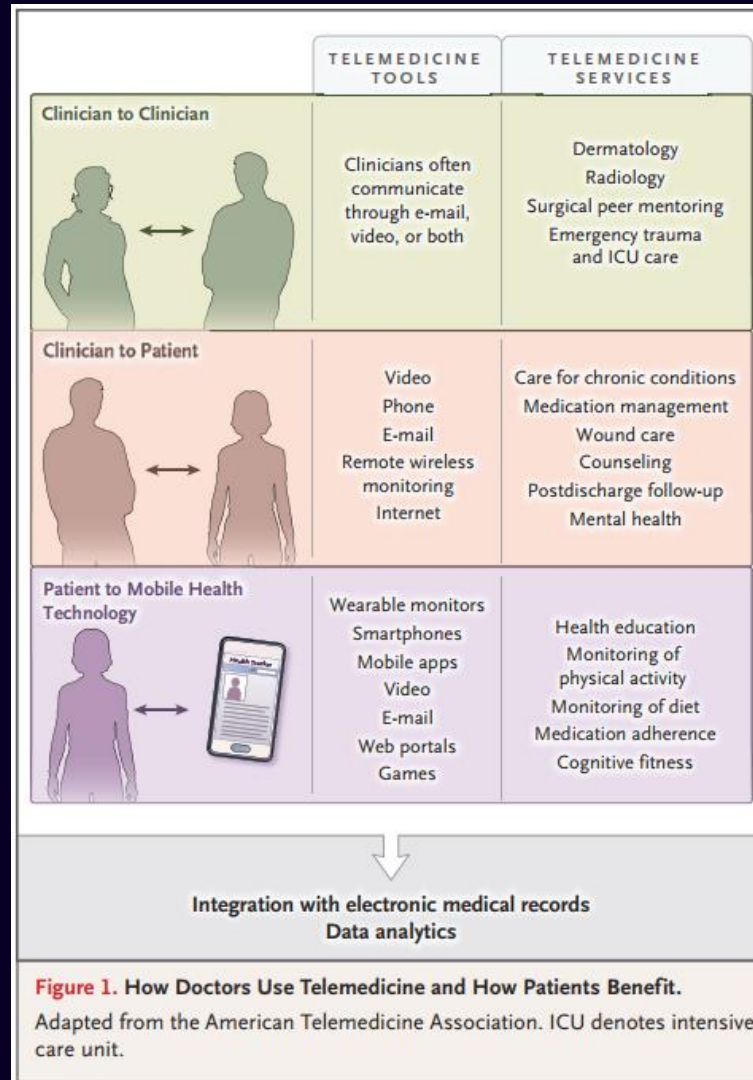
# Medicine in COVID-19 era



**Non-Face-to-Face medical care**



# Non-Face-to-Face medical care



# In rehabilitation medicine ...

## Physical therapy



## Occupational therapy

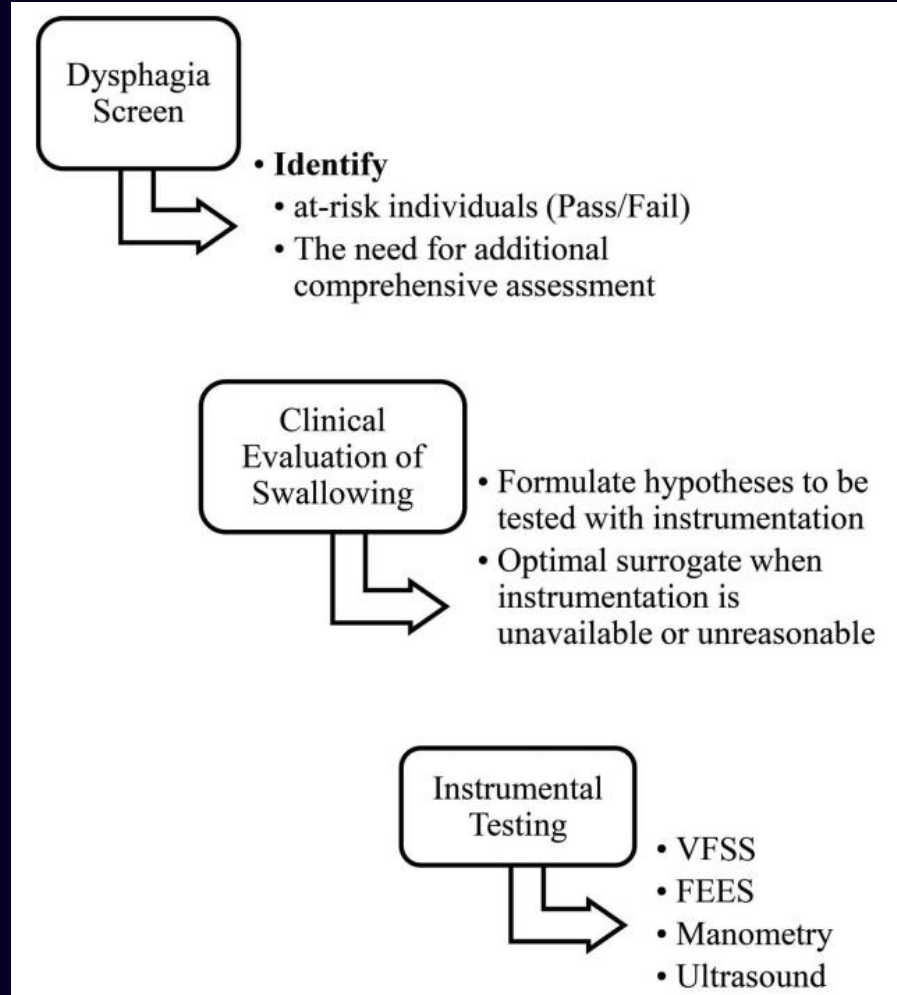


## Swallowing therapy





# Conventional dysphagia evaluation and treatment



**TABLE 18.4 Options for the Treatment of Dysphagia**

## Compensatory treatments

Postural adjustments  
Diet modification  
Change of eating habits  
Feeding strategies

## Rehabilitative treatments

Strengthening exercises  
Range-of-motion exercises  
Sensory enhancement

## Surgical treatments

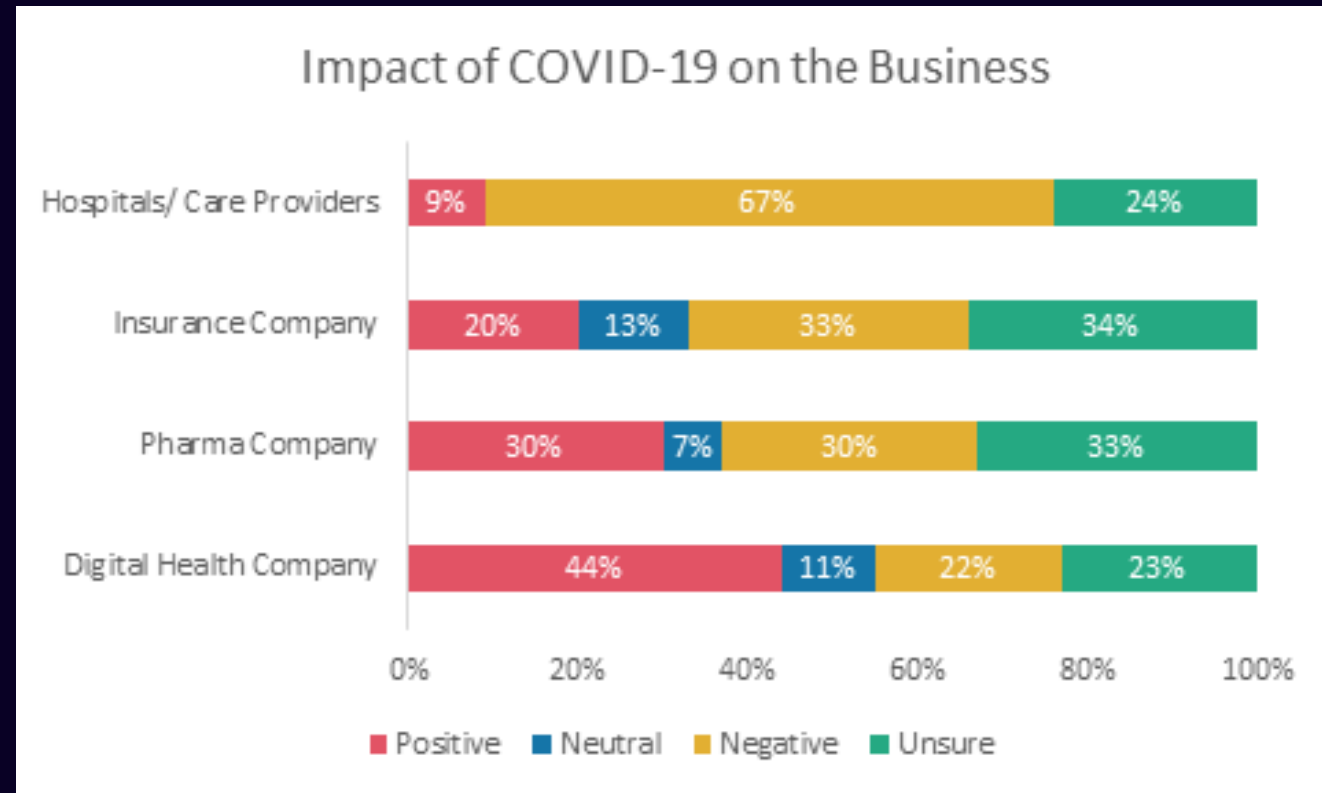
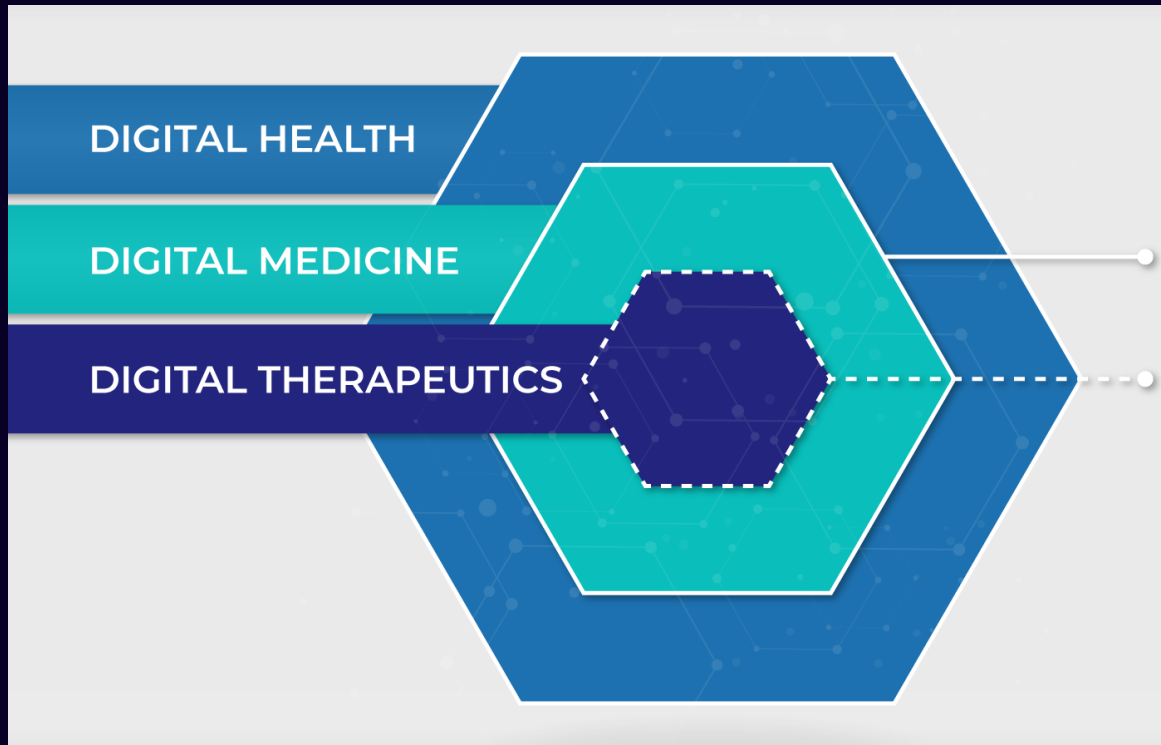
Correction of structural abnormalities  
Treatment of vocal cord paralysis  
Cricopharyngeal myotomy or UES dilatation<sup>a</sup>  
Gastrostomy (most often percutaneous)

## Therapies under evaluation

Transcranial magnetic stimulation  
Implantable neuroprosthesis

<sup>a</sup>Only indicated in cases of isolated cricopharyngeal muscle dysfunction, in which this muscle and the UES fail to relax upon swallowing (can be seen as part of the lateral medullary syndrome).  
Abbreviation: UES, upper esophageal sphincter.

# Digital health





# DIGITAL HEALTH

## DIGITAL MEDICINE

## DIGITAL THERAPEUTICS

### DEFINITION

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Digital therapeutic (DTx) products deliver evidence-based therapeutic interventions to prevent, manage, or treat a medical disorder or disease.<sup>2</sup>

### CLINICAL EVIDENCE

Typically do not require clinical evidence.

Clinical evidence is required for all digital medicine products.

Clinical evidence and real world outcomes are required for all DTx products.

### REGULATORY OVERSIGHT

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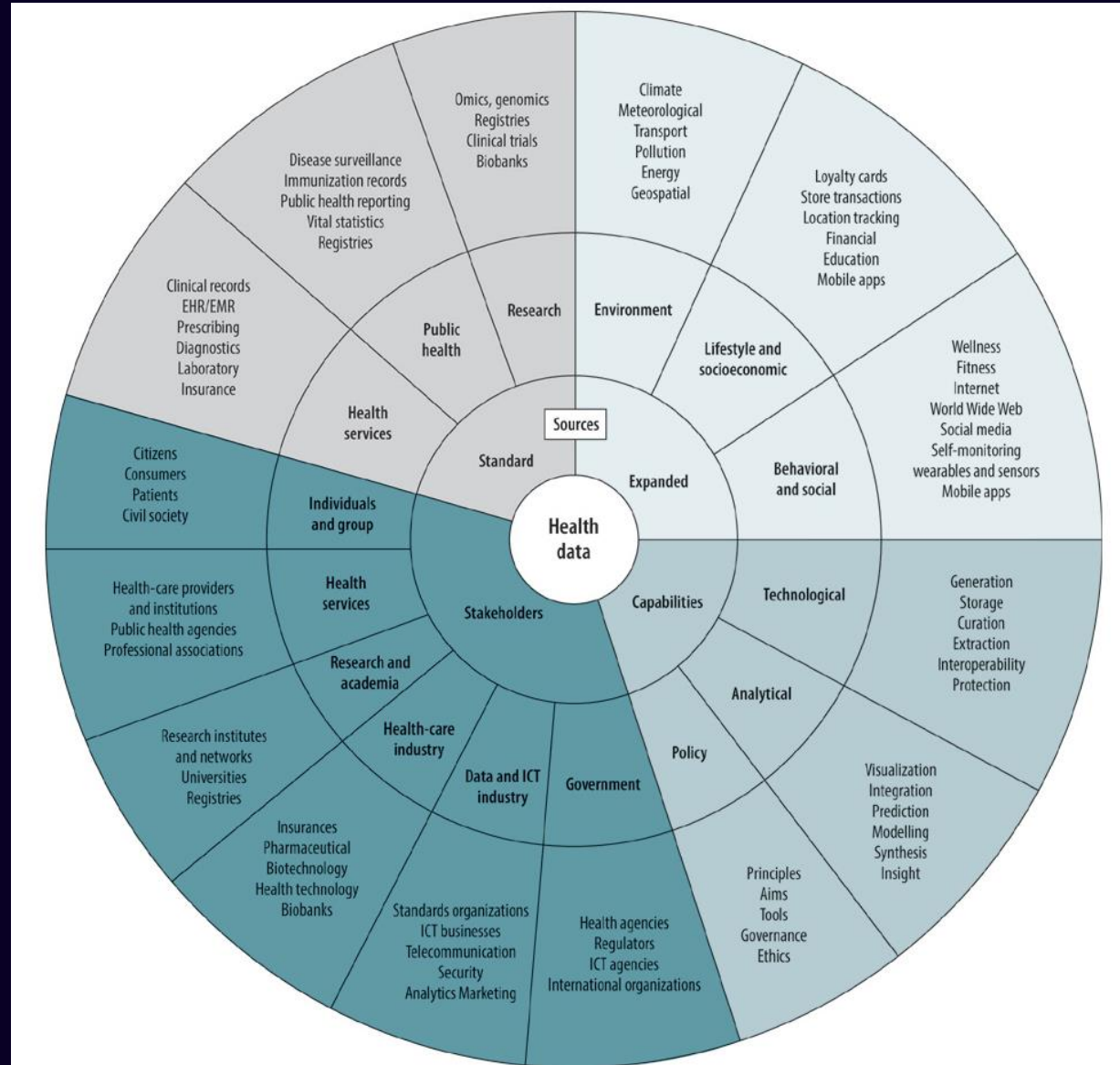


# Categories of digital health





# (1) Data



## (2) Device



Samsung  
smartphone



Apple watch



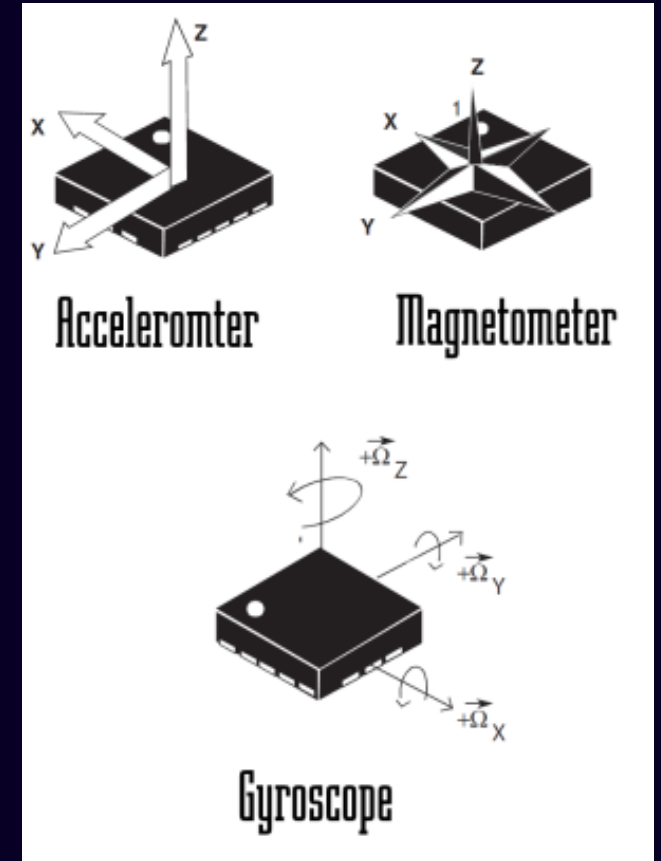
Beddit, sleep tracker



Xiaomi Mi Scale



FreeStyle Libre, glucose monitoring

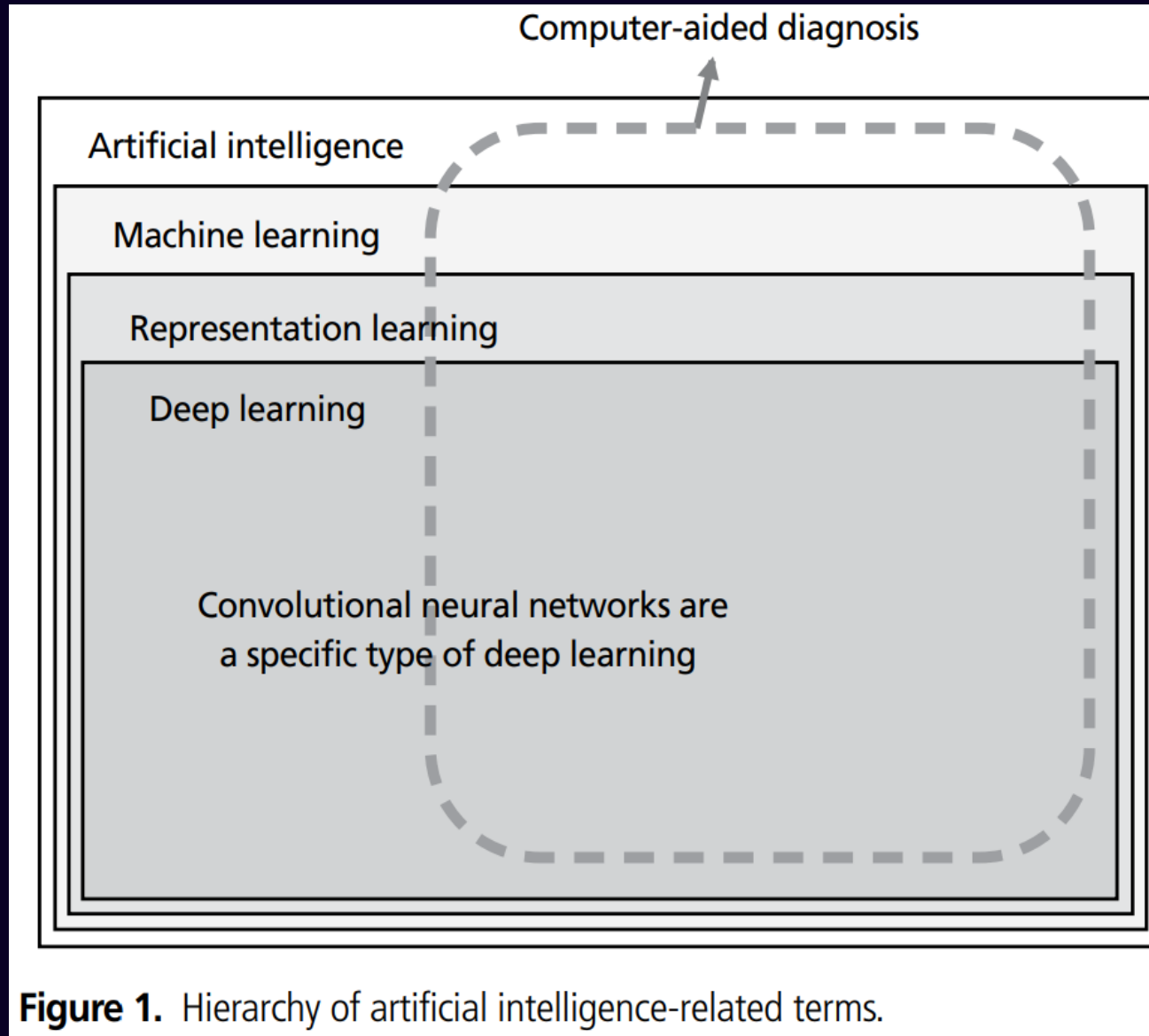




## **(3) Machine learning**

- **How machine learning can augment the work of clinicians?**
  - Prognosis
  - Diagnosis
  - Treatment
  - Clinician workflow
  - Expanding the availability of clinical expertise



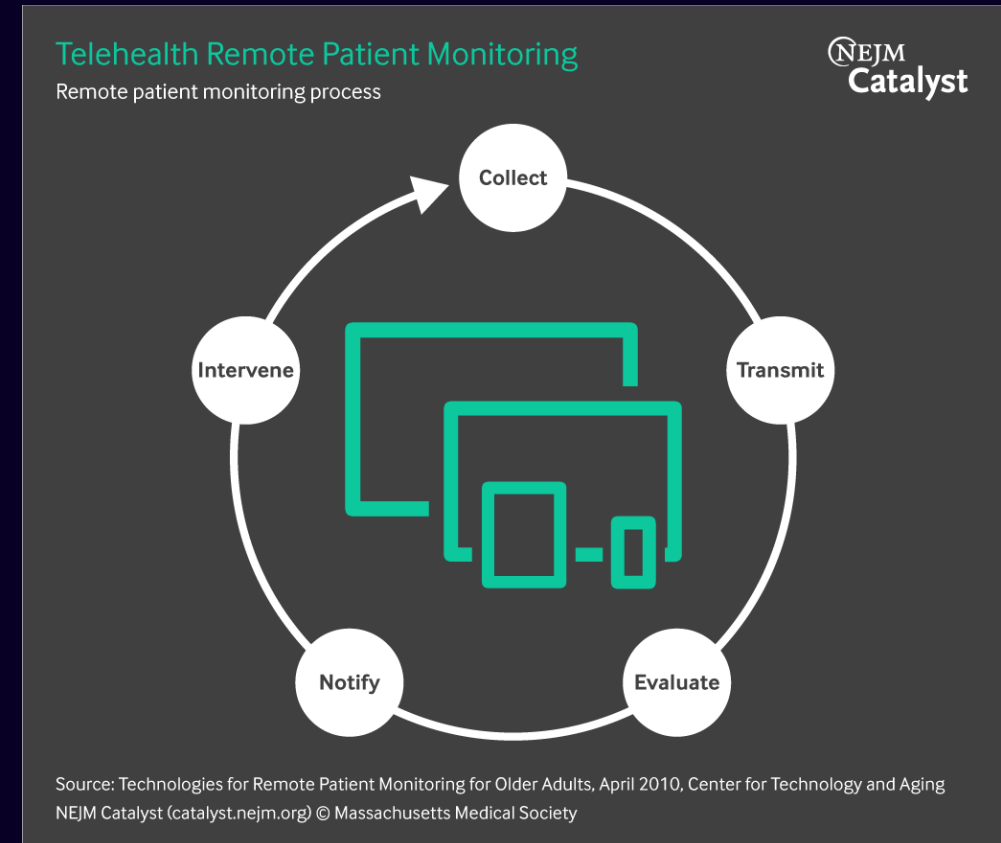


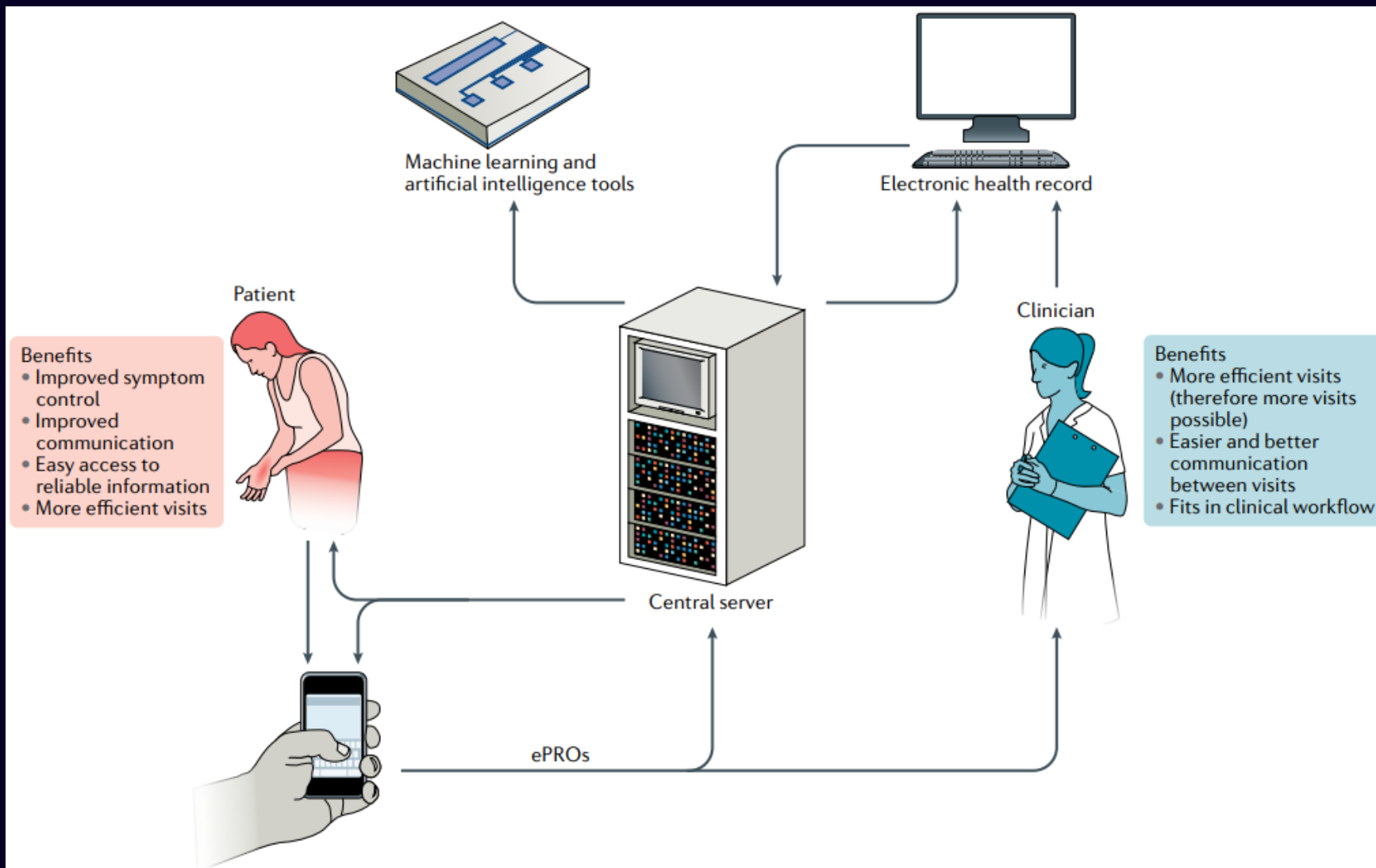
**Figure 1.** Hierarchy of artificial intelligence-related terms.



# (4) Telemedicine

- What is telemedicine?
  - The remote diagnosis and treatment of patients by means of tele-communications technology
- Telemedicine encompasses the use of technologies and tele-communication systems to administer healthcare to patients who are geographically separated from providers
- Tele-monitoring ~ Tele-surgery





**Fig. 2 | Integrated system of digital health technologies in a possible future rheumatology clinic.** Patients will use smartphone apps with or without voice-enabling capacity to report symptoms to their clinicians. Their symptoms may be reported as electronic patient-reported outcomes (ePROs) through the electronic health record (EHR). The information from the EHR and other data sources will be integrated in a centralized and secure server environment. Machine learning and artificial intelligence algorithms will be running against the data to assist clinicians with diagnosis, prognosis, treatment selection and monitoring.



## 「한시적 비대면 진료 허용방안」 안내

- 코로나바이러스감염증-19 중앙사고수습본부-32695(2020.12.14)호와 관련, 「감염병의 예방 및 관리에 관한 법률」(국무회의 의결, 12.8) 및 2020년 제4차 감염병관리위원회 심의·의결에 따라, 코로나19 감염병 위기대응 심각단계시 「한시적 비대면 진료 허용방안」을 마련하고, 붙임과 같이 공고합니다.

### ◆ '코로나19 감염병 위기대응 심각단계의 위기경보 발령 기간' 동안

- 의사의 판단에 따라 안전성 확보가 가능한 경우 환자가 의료기관을 직접 방문하지 않고도 비대면 진료를 받을 수 있도록 한시적으로 허용

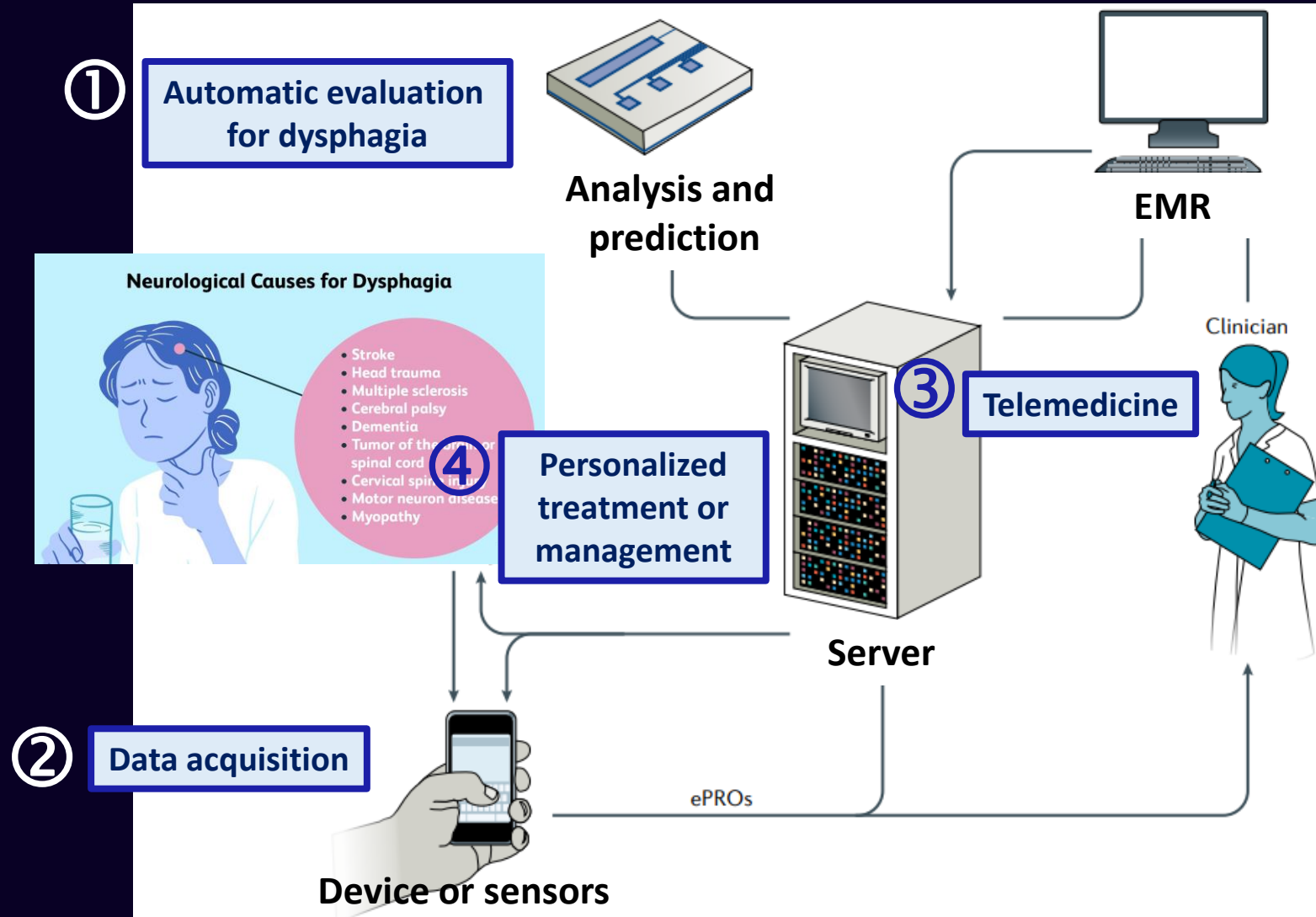
◇ (적용 기간) 코로나 19 감염병 위기대응 심각 단계의 위기경보 발령 기간(「감염병의 예방 및 관리에 관한 법률」 제49조의3 공포 시행일('20.12.15)부터 적용)

◇ (적용 범위) 유·무선 전화, 화상통신을 활용한 상담 및 처방

\* 진료의 질을 보장하기 위하여 문자메시지, 메신저만을 이용한 진료는 불가



# Digital health in dysphagia





# Image(VFSS) + Machine learning

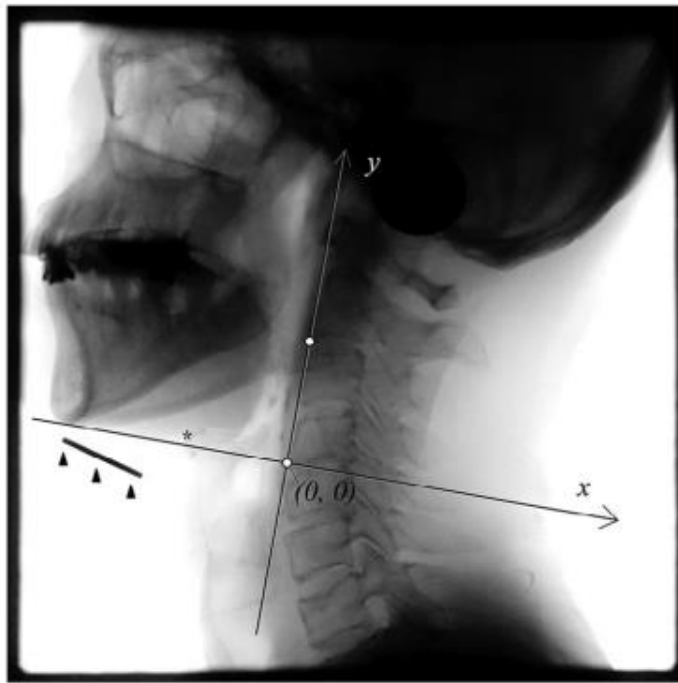
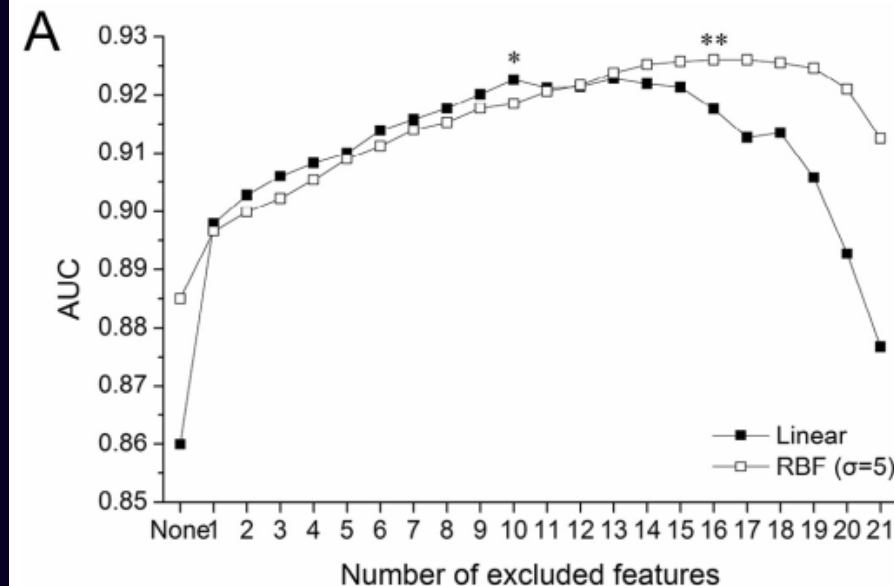
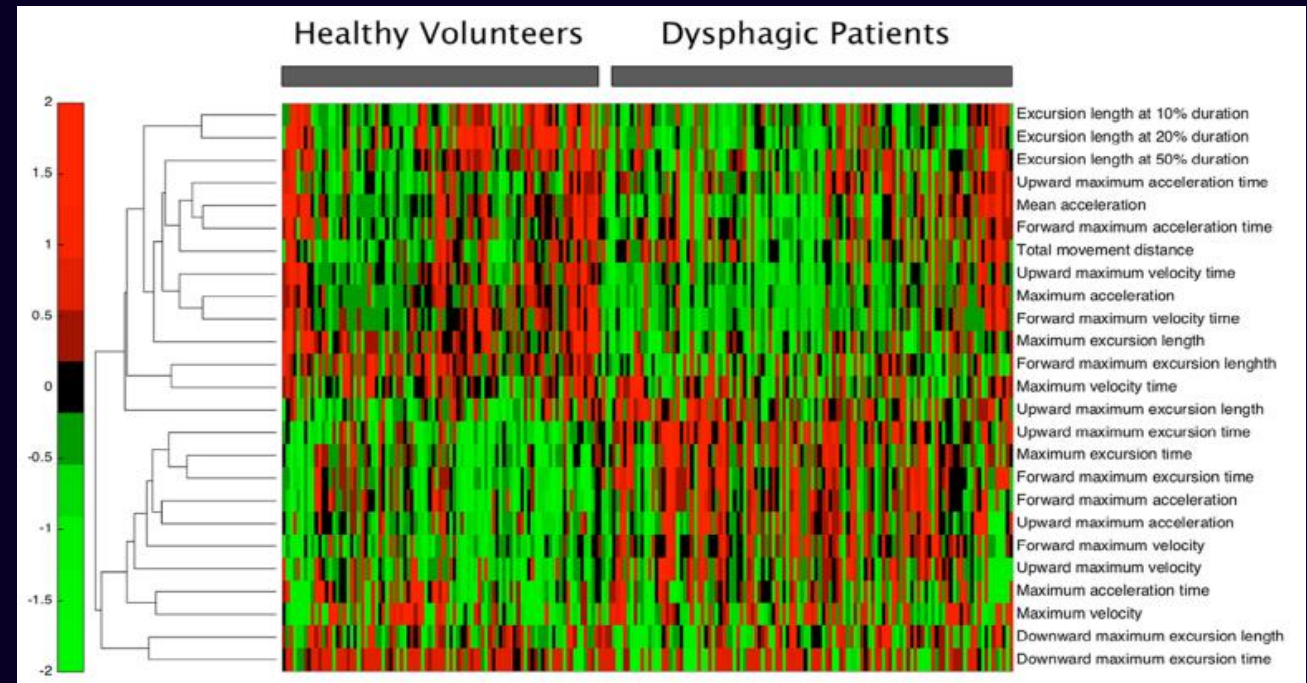
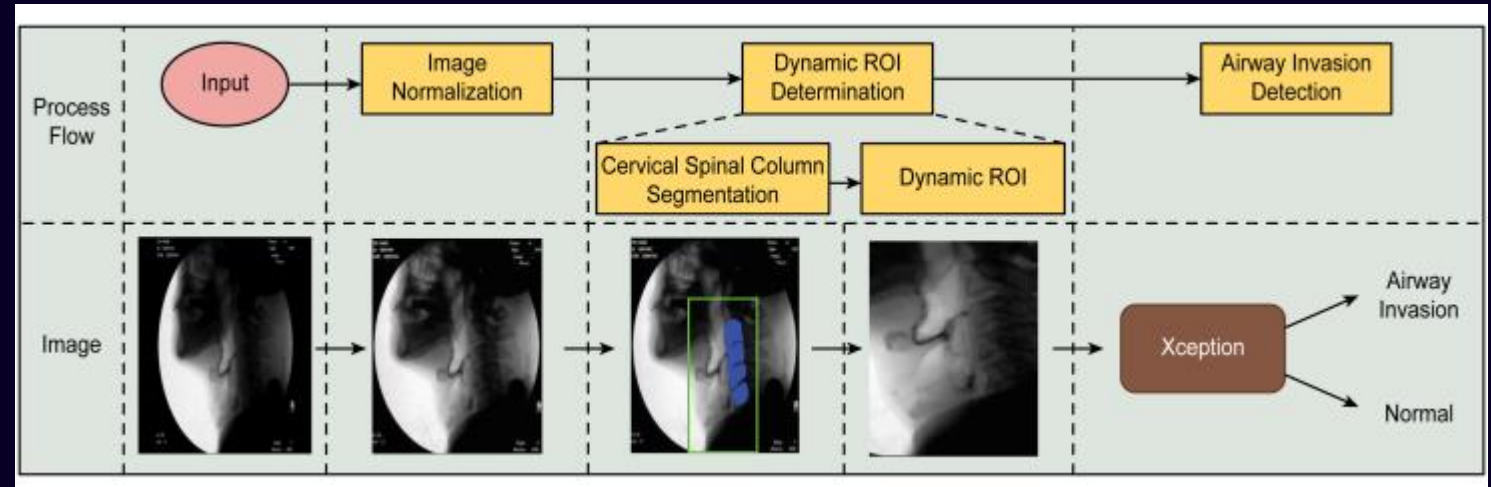
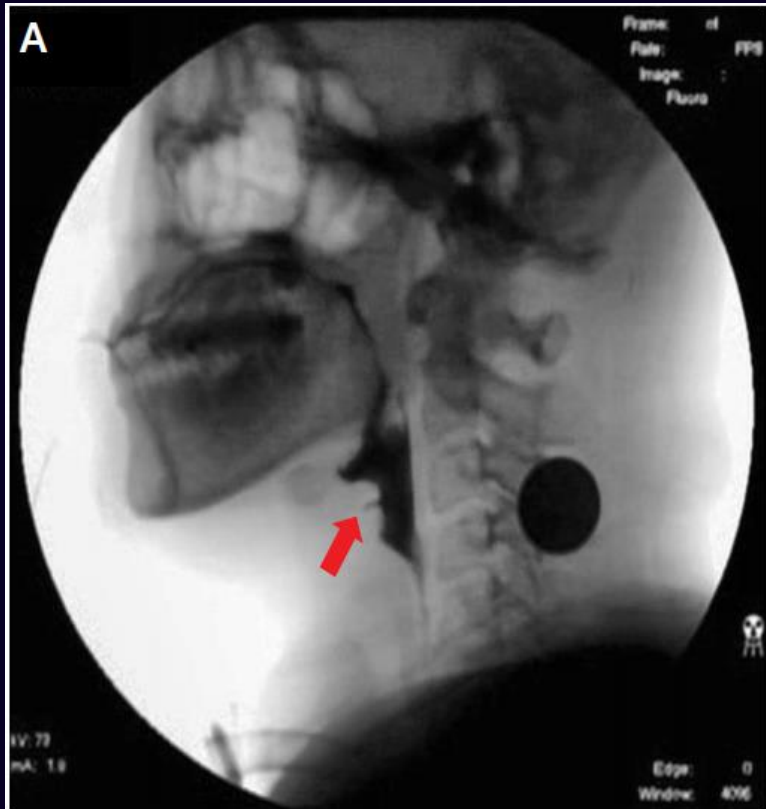


Fig. 2 – The axes for kinematic analysis of videofluoroscopic images. The Y-axis was set to a line connecting the anterior edges of C4 and C2 lower endplates, and then a line perpendicular to the Y-axis at C4's lower endplate constitutes the X-axis. A radio-opaque disc was attached under the chin (arrowheads) to measure distance of movement. Asterisk (\*) indicates the anterosuperior end of hyoid bone.



# Image (VFSS) + Machine learning



**Table 3.** Performance per frame for classifying airway invasion.

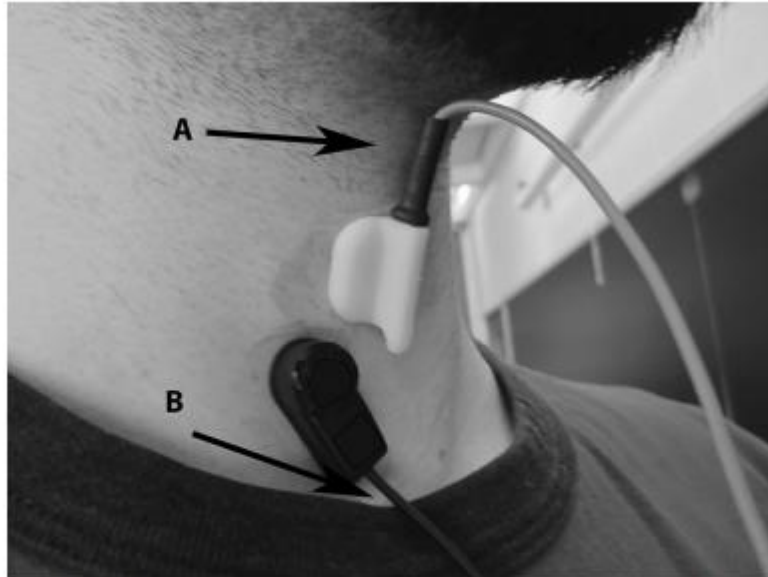
Accuracy	Recall	Precision	Specificity	NPV	F1-Score
97.2%	74.2%	59.1%	98.0%	99.0%	0.658

**Table 4.** Performance for classifying complete videos containing image frames with airway invasion.

Accuracy	Recall	Precision	Specificity	NPV
93.2%	91.2%	88.1%	94.2%	95.8%
(167/179)	(52/57)	(52/59)	(115/122)	(115/120)



# IMU sensor (accelerometer) & microphone



**Fig. 1** Transducer mounting locations. Location of recording devices during data collection. A: Thyroid cartilage B: top of the suprasternal notch For reference, the microphone (lower device) is approximately 10 × 30 mm and the accelerometer (upper device) is aligned with the centre axis of the neck. This figure has been previously published by BioMed Central in [41]

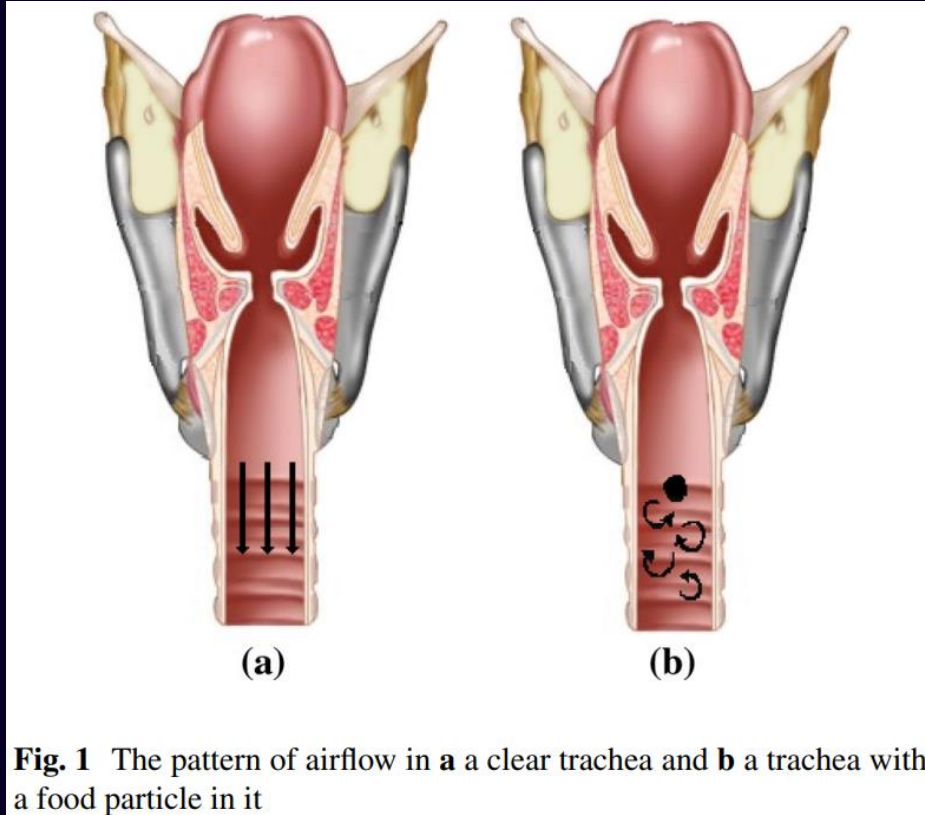
**Table 6** Statistically significant features (healthy vs non-healthy thin swallows)

Feature	A-P	S-I	Sound
Skewness	$p < < 0.001$	$p < < 0.001$	$p < < 0.001$
Kurtosis	$p < < 0.001$	$p < < 0.001$	$p < < 0.001$
Entropy rate	$p < < 0.001$	$p < < 0.001$	$p < < 0.001$
L-Z complexity	$p < < 0.001$	$p < < 0.001$	$p < < 0.001$
Peak frequency	$p < < 0.001$	$p < < 0.001$	$p < < 0.001$
Center frequency	$p < < 0.001$	$p < < 0.001$	$p < < 0.001$
Bandwidth	$p < < 0.001$	$p < < 0.001$	$p < < 0.001$
Wavelet entropy	$p < < 0.001$	$p < < 0.001$	$p < < 0.001$

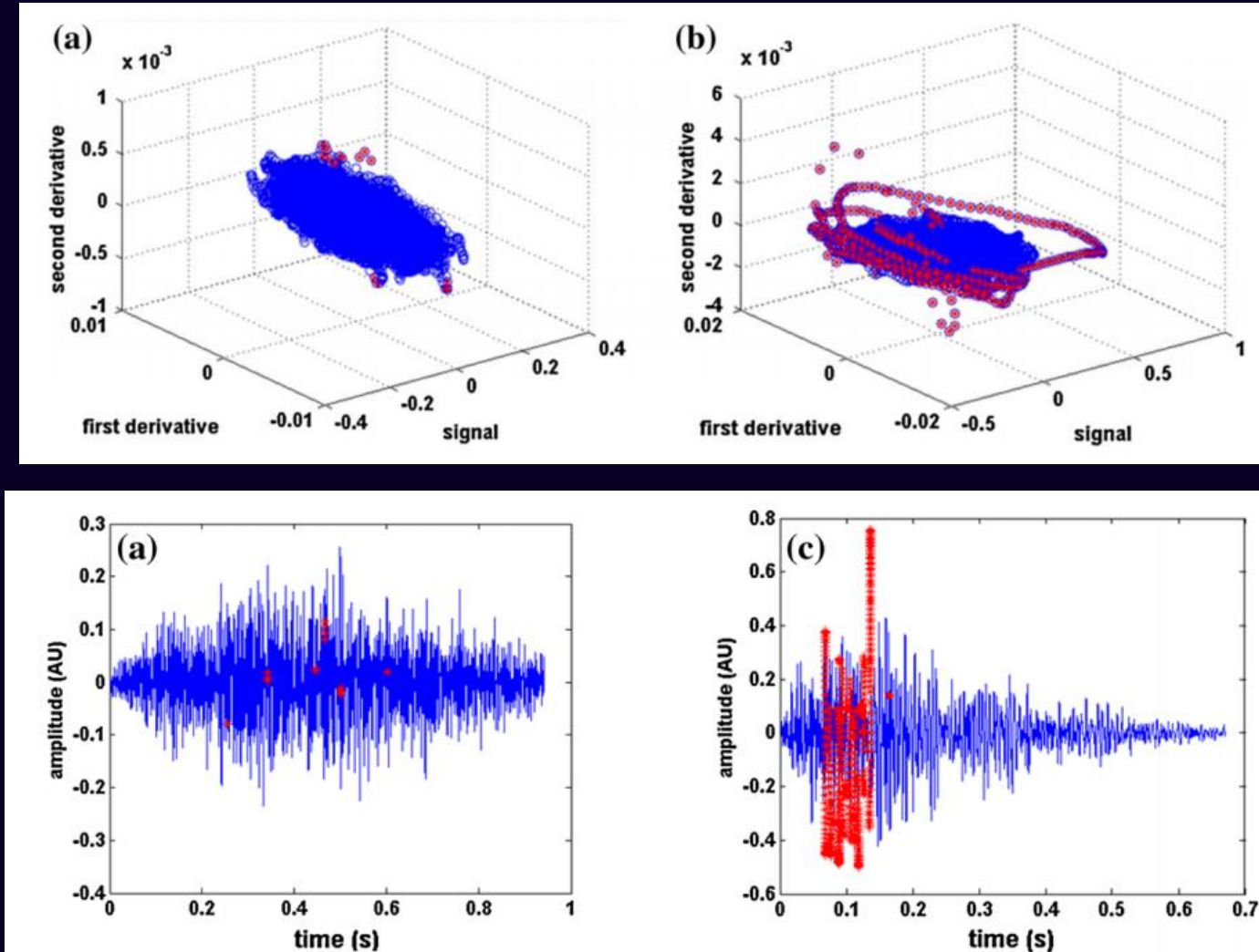




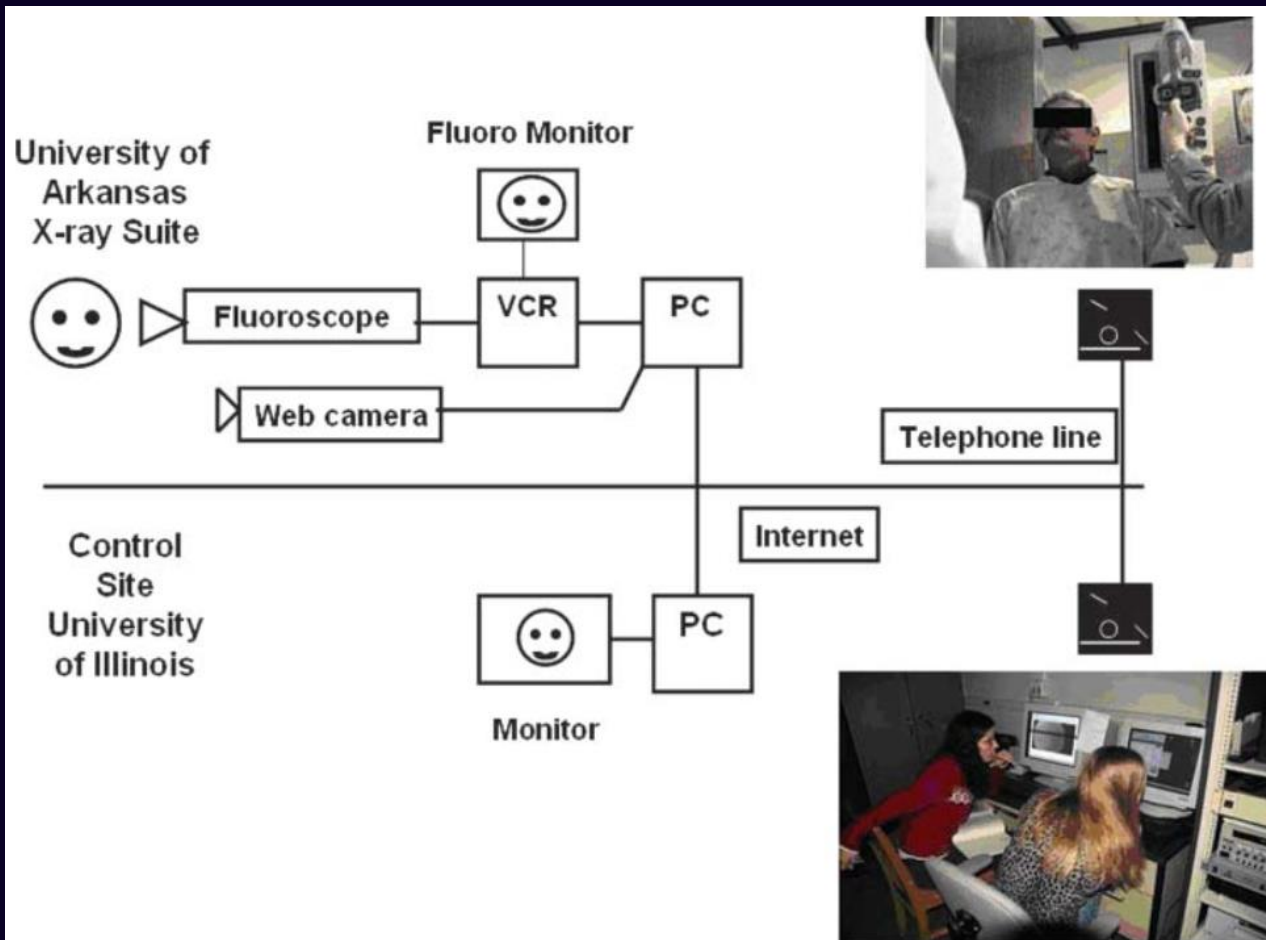
# Microphone + Machine learning



91 % sensitivity and 85 % specificity  
in detection of patients with severe aspiration



# Image (VFSS) + Telemedicine



**Fig. 3.** A CAC screen in the PI's laboratory during live image transmission.

**Table 2.** Recommendation groups, number of discrepancies/disagreements, percentage of agreement, and 95% confidence intervals (CIs) for the percentage of agreement.

Recommendation group	Number of discrepancies/disagreements	% agreement	95% CI for the percentage of agreement	
			Upper bound	Lower bound
Reducing or eliminating oral intake	7/32	78.1	0.89	0.61
Altering meal habits	10/32	68.8	0.82	0.51
Medication administration method	1/32	96.9	1.00	0.84
Control bolus viscosity	6/32	81.2	0.91	0.65
Postural adjustments	5/32	84.4	0.93	0.68
Laryngeal closure maneuvers and exercises	4/32	87.5	0.95	0.72
Strengthening and ROM exercises and maneuvers	2/32	93.7	0.98	0.80
Sensory enhancement	0/32	100	1.00	0.89
Referral to physicians	6/32	81.2	0.91	0.65



# Microphone & Smartphone + Telemedicine

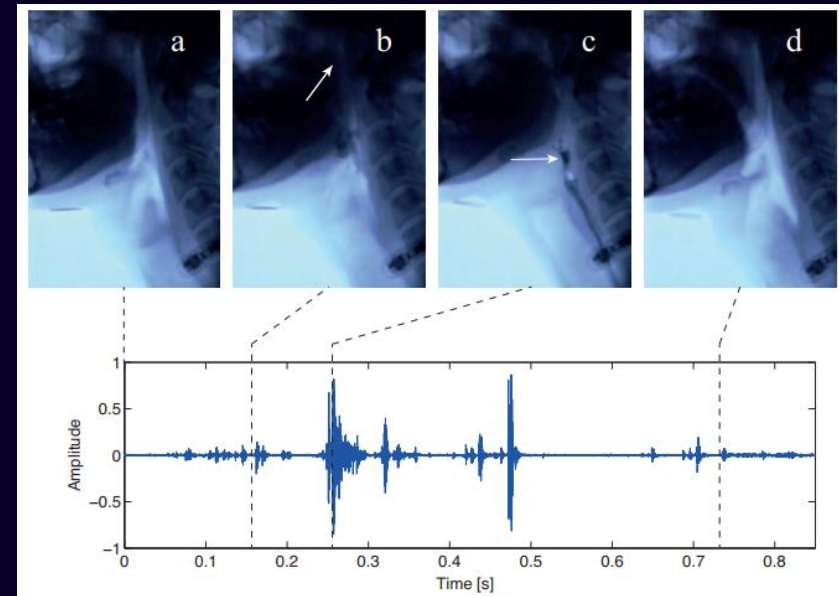
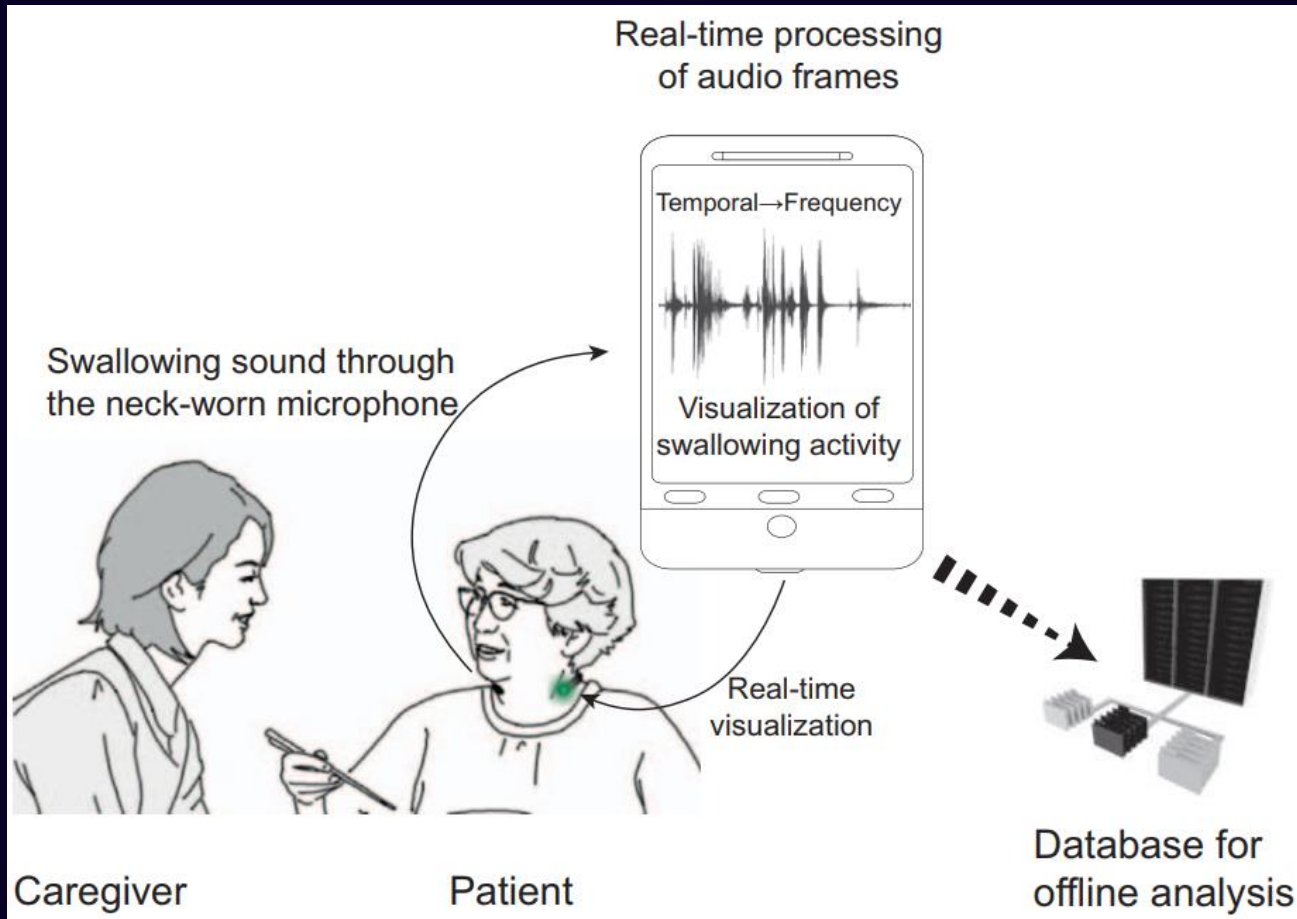
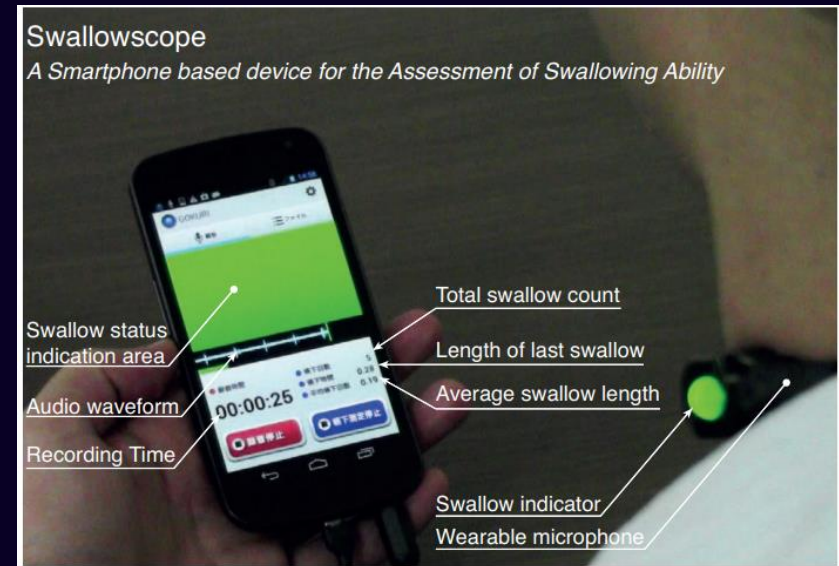


Fig. 2. Comparison of the swallowing sound with the corresponding videofluoroscopic images.



Swallowscope: A Smartphone based device for the Assessment of Swallowing Ability, IEEE-EMBS International Conference on Biomedical and Health Informatics (2014)



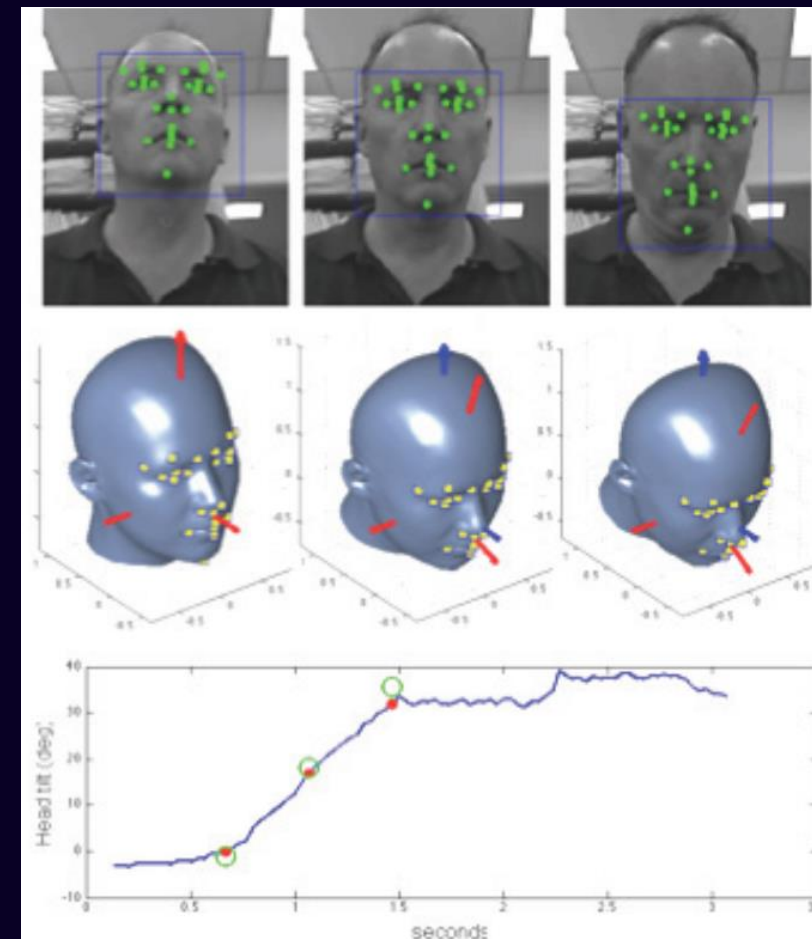
# Image + Machine learning + Personalized treatment + Telemedicine

Action Sequence	Common Errors	System Requirement (sysreq)
		1. Detect nearby face in view of camera (determine when to initiate monitoring)
Sit in upright position	Head/trunk misaligned	2. Estimate head/trunk alignment
Sip liquid/spoon in food	Swallow before tuck	3. Track cup/utensil movement toward and into mouth.
Tuck chin to chest	Forget to perform tuck Incomplete tuck Swallow mid-tuck	4. Estimate head/angle to torso in sagittal plane
Swallow in that position	Raise head during swallow	5. Detect swallow (timing and omission errors)
Raise the head	Swallow post tuck	

Table 1. Chin Tuck Actions and Errors

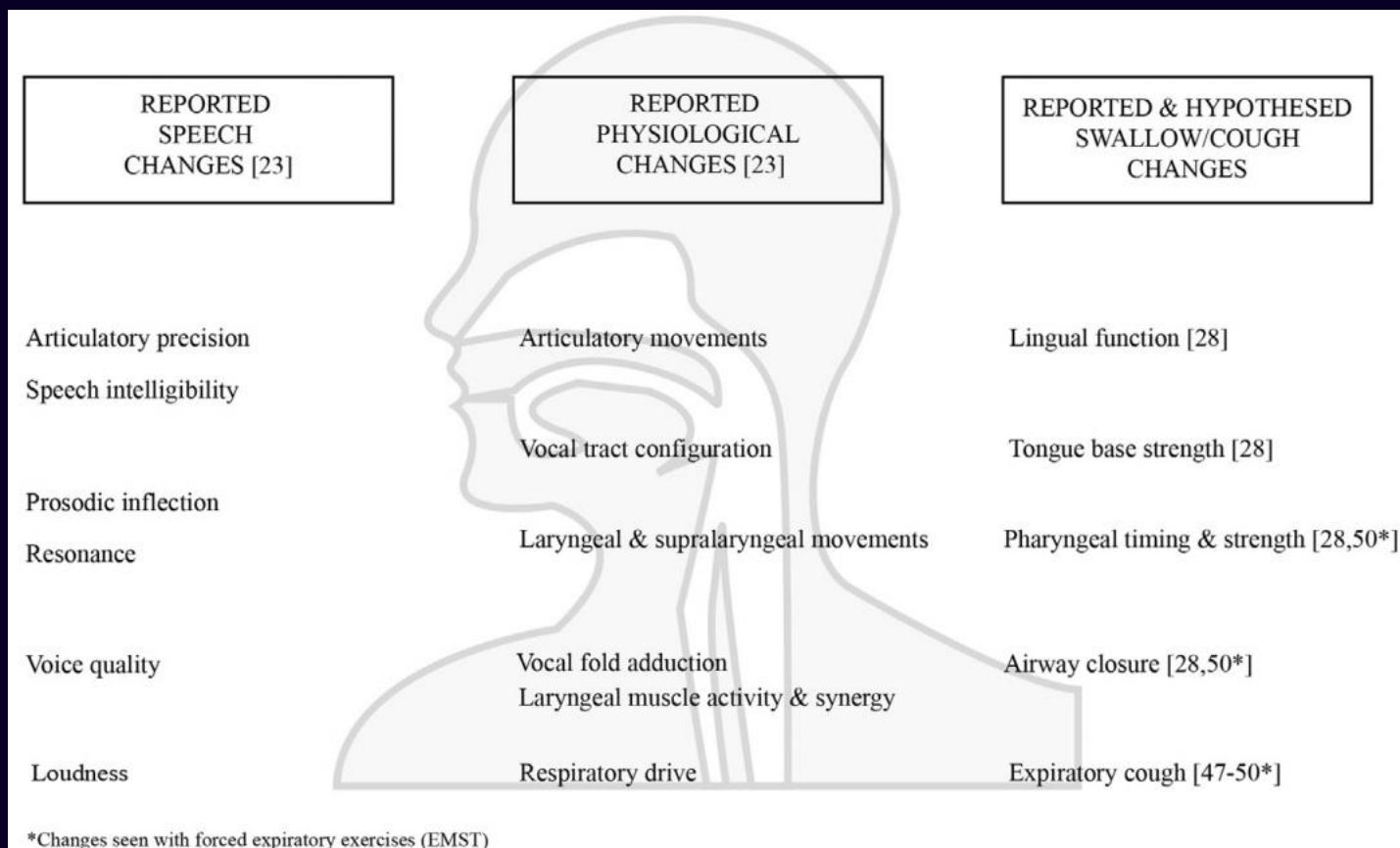


Figure 1. Dysphagia Coach prototype showing detection of user and feedback on a chin tuck maneuver.

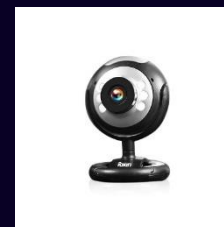


# Image + Personalized treatment + Telemedicine

## Lee Silverman Voice Treatment (LSVT)



**Web camera**



Face-to-face interaction

LSVT education  
Personal relationship  
Homework tasks

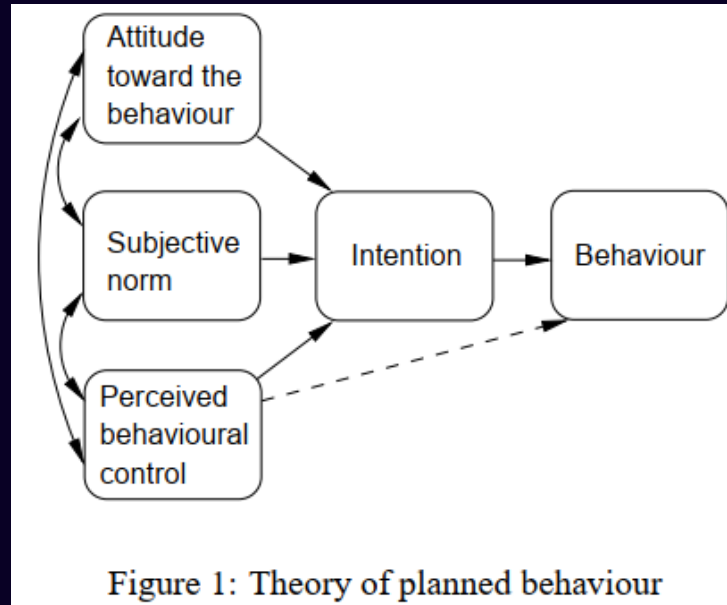


**A clinician certified  
in LSVT**



Delivering the Lee Silverman Voice Treatment (LSVT) by web camera: A feasibility study,  
International Journal of Language & Communication Disorders (2008)

# Personalized management + Machine learning



Måltidsplaneringssystem

**Matsedel** Detta är matsedelsförslag nr 1. [Läs förra förslaget](#) [Läs nästa förslag](#) [Logga ut](#) [Avsluta](#)

[Se tidigare matsedlar](#) [Ändra inställningar](#) [Spara betyg och uppdatera matsedel](#) [HJÄLP PÅ](#) [HJÄLP AV](#)

2005-10-06 Torsdag

Lunch: Tasty Tuna Burgers [Läs](#) [Ändra](#)  Mitt betyg: 5

2005-10-07 Fredag

Lunch: Pasta with Mushroom-Zucchini Sauce [Läs](#) [Ändra](#)  Mitt betyg: 4

2005-10-08 Lördag

Lunch: DUTCH MEATLOAF [Läs](#) [Ändra](#)  Mitt betyg: 4

2005-10-09 Söndag

Lunch: Bistro Cheeseburger [Läs](#) [Ändra](#)  Mitt betyg: 4

2005-10-10 Måndag

Lunch: Chicken Broccoli Parmesan [Läs](#) [Ändra](#)  Mitt betyg: 4

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**HJÄLP**

**MATSEDEL**  
Till vänster ser du ett förslag på matsedel. Du kan sätta betyg på de olika recepten genom att röra handtaget bredvid fram och tillbaka, och sedan trycka på knappen märkt "Spara betyg och uppdatera matsedeln" ovanför matsedeln.

Klicka på knappen märkt "Hjälp av" ovan för att dölja denna hjälpruta.

Figure 3: Meal planning system output: a recommended meal plan

# Wellness device vs. Medical device

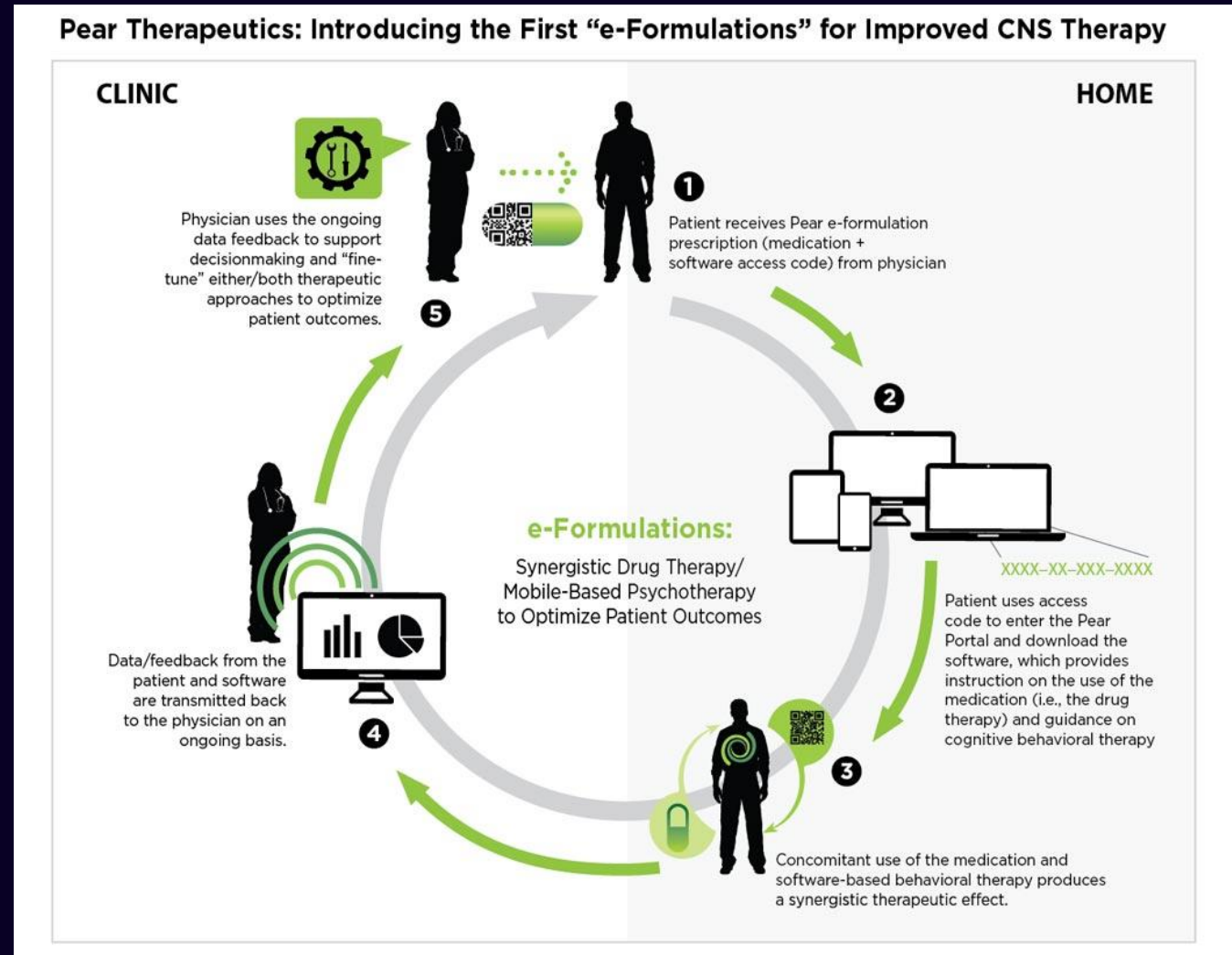
- **Wellness device**

- 일상적 건강관리용
- 만성질환자 건강관리용

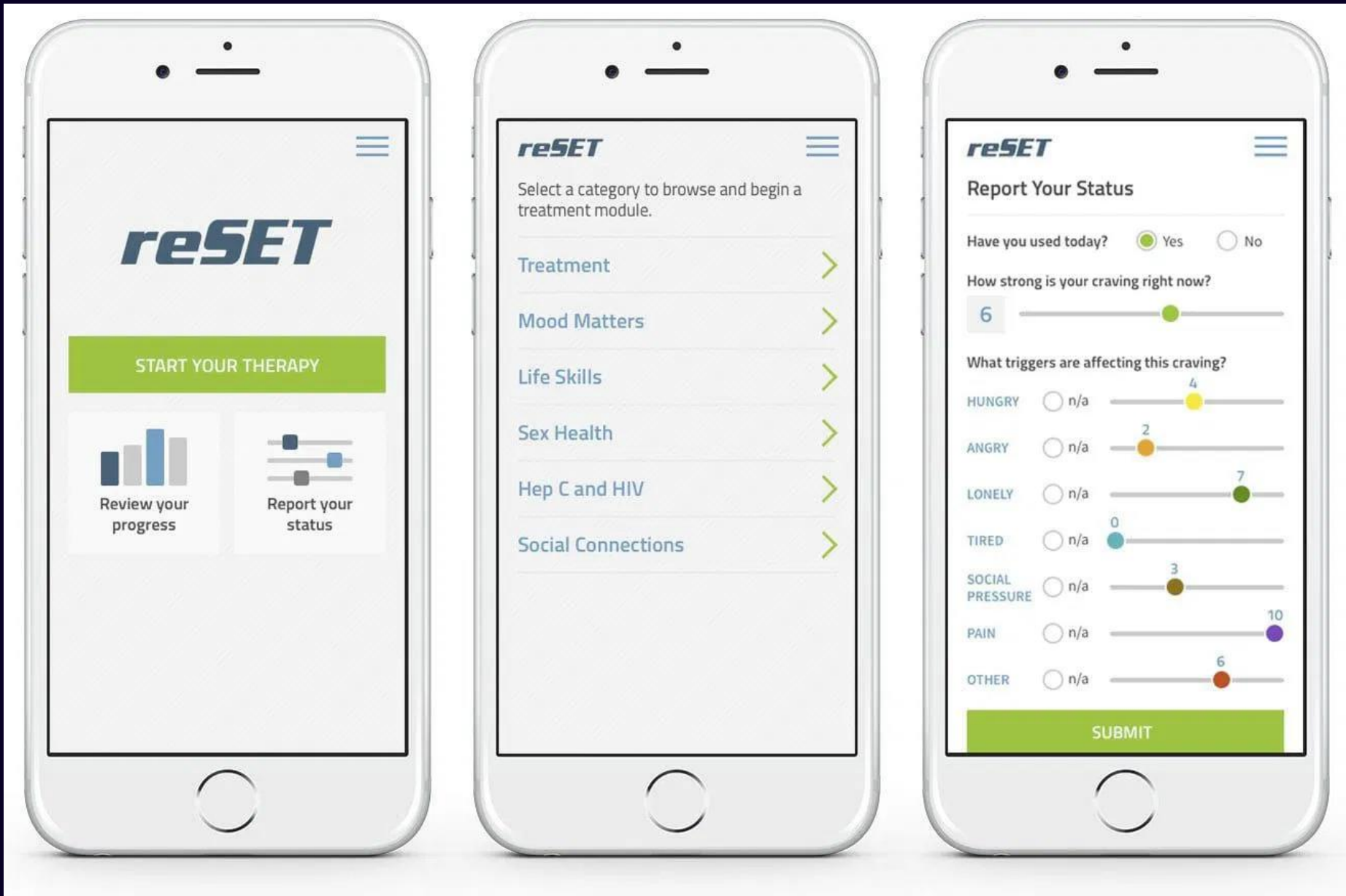
- **Medical device**

- 질병을 진단, 치료, 경감, 처치 또는 예방할 목적으로 사용하는 제품
- 상해 또는 장애를 진단, 치료, 경감 또는 보정할 목적으로 사용하는 제품
- 구조 또는 기능을 검사 대체 또는 변형할 목적으로 사용하는 제품
- 임신을 조절할 목적으로 사용하는 제품

# Digital therapeutics

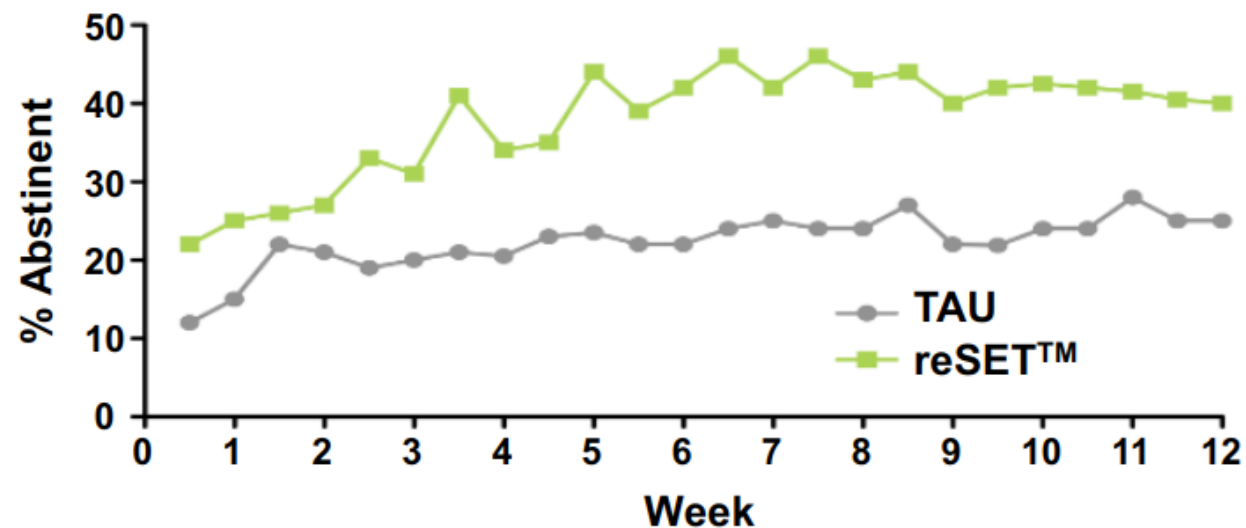








507 patients with Substance Use Disorder at 10 nationwide treatment centers were randomized to 12 weeks of typical outpatient treatment (TAU) vs reSET<sup>®</sup> with limited clinician exposure and abstinence was measured through urine analysis and self reports<sup>1</sup>



Population	Time Point	reSET <sup>®</sup> (n=255)	TAU (n=252)	Odds Ratio (95% CI)	P-value*
All comers	Week 9-12	<b>29.7%</b>	<b>16.0%</b>	2.22 (1.24, 3.99)	0.0076
Non-abstinent at start	Week 9-12	<b>10.1%</b>	<b>3.0%</b>	3.59 (1.36, 9.48)	0.0099

<sup>1</sup> Campbell et al. Am J Psychiatry. 2014.



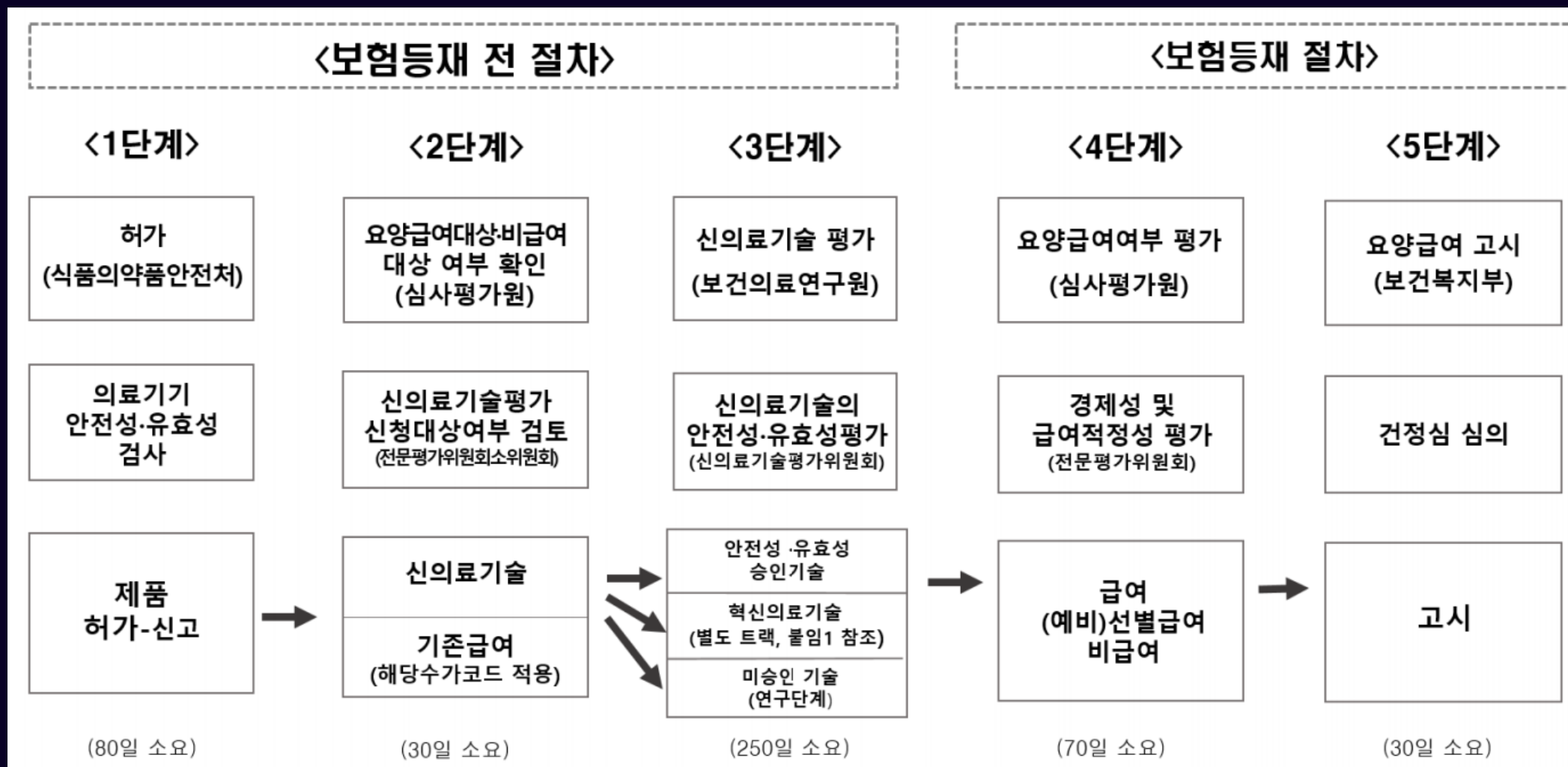
**Table 1.** Sampling the Digital Therapeutics Pipeline.

Company	Product	Indication(s)	Status	Commercial partner	Investment partner
Pear Therapeutics	reSET	Substance use disorder <sup>25,26</sup>	Marketed	Sandoz <sup>a27</sup>	Novartis
	reSET-O	Opioid use disorder <sup>28</sup>	Marketed	Sandoz <sup>a</sup>	
	Somryst	Chronic insomnia <sup>29</sup>	Marketed		
	Pear-004	Schizophrenia	Marketed <sup>b</sup> Pivotal		
	Pear-006	Multiple sclerosis	Discovery	Novartis <sup>30</sup>	
	Unspecified	Gastrointestinal conditions	Discovery	Ironwood Pharmaceuticals <sup>31</sup>	
Welldoc	Bluestar	Type I diabetes, Type II diabetes <sup>32</sup>	Marketed	Astellas <sup>33</sup>	
Akili Interactive	Endeavor	ADHD <sup>34</sup>	Marketed	Shionogi <sup>35</sup>	Amgen, Merck
	AKL-T02	Autism spectrum disorder <sup>36</sup>	Pilot		
	AKL-T03	Major depressive disorder	Pilot		
Nightware	Nightware	Post-traumatic stress disorder	Marketed		
Click Therapeutics	CT-152	Major depressive disorder	Pivotal	Otsuka <sup>37</sup>	Sanofi, Hikma
Cognoa	Autism Diagnostic	Autism spectrum disorder	Pivotal	EVERSANA	
	Autism Therapeutic	Autism spectrum disorder <sup>38</sup>	Feasibility		
Biofourmis	BiovitalsHF V1	Heart failure	Marketed	Novartis <sup>39</sup>	
	BiovitalsHF V2	Heart failure <sup>40</sup>	Pivotal		
	BF140	Pain <sup>41</sup>	Pilot	Chugai <sup>42</sup>	
Propeller Health	Propeller	Asthma <sup>43</sup> , chronic obstructive pulmonary disease <sup>44</sup>	Marketed	AstraZeneca <sup>45</sup> , GlaxoSmithKline, Novartis, Orion, Boehringer Ingelheim	
AppliedVR	EaseVRx	Chronic pain <sup>46</sup>	Efficacy		
	RelieVRx	Acute postoperative pain <sup>47</sup>	Efficacy		
	AnxietyVRx	Generalized anxiety	Discovery		
Happify Health	Happify	Multiple sclerosis-associated depression and anxiety	Discovery	Sanofi <sup>48</sup>	

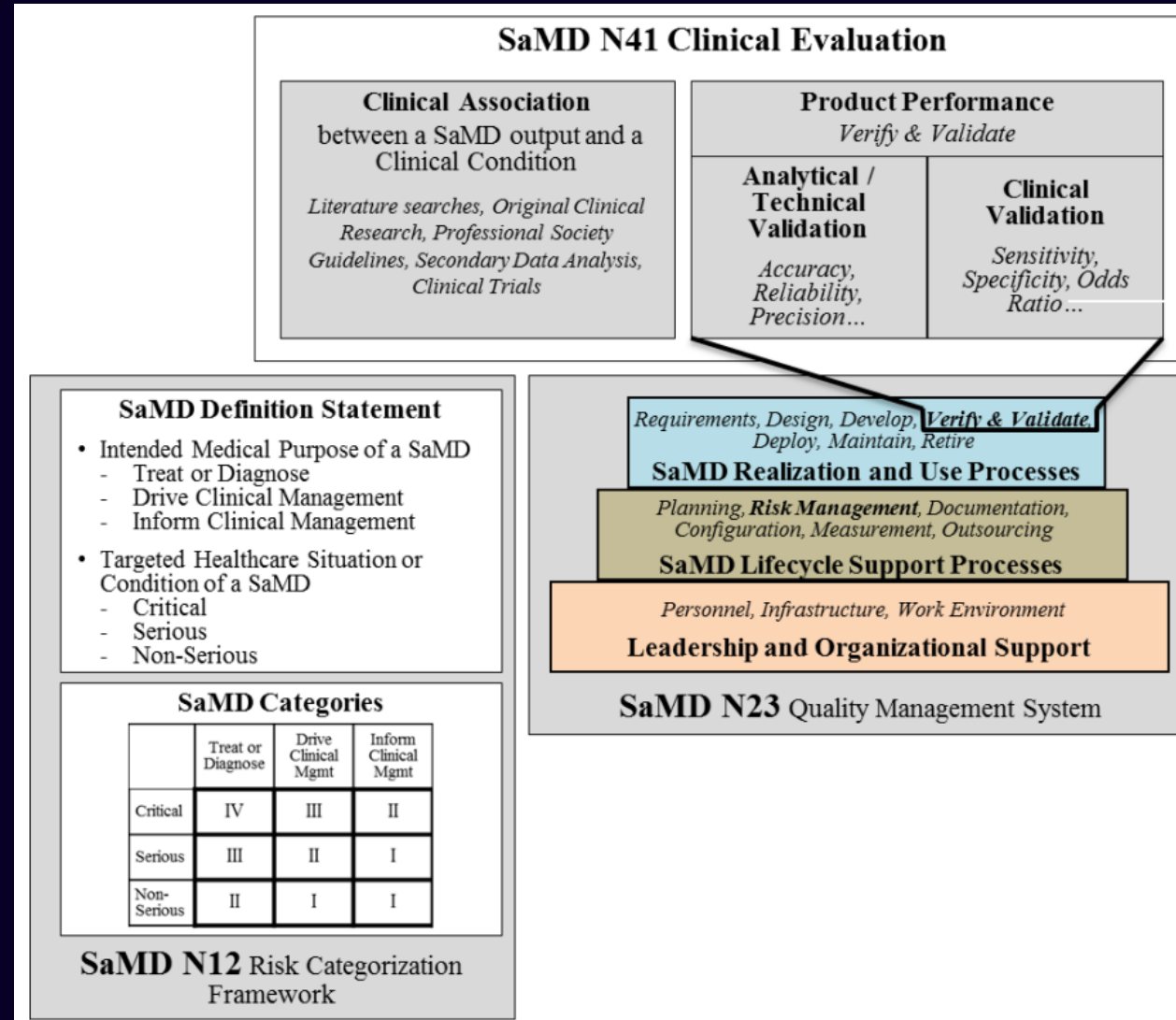
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<sup>a</sup>Dissolved partnership.<sup>b</sup>Marketed temporarily under the FDA Enforcement Policy for Digital Health Devices During the Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) Public Health Emergency.

# Process for evaluating a novel health technology



# Clinical evaluation



# Regulation



# Regulation

## 제34조(원격의료)

- ①의료인(의료업에 종사하는 의사·치과의사·한의사만 해당한다)은 제33조제1항에도 불구하고 컴퓨터·화상통신 등 정보통신기술을 활용하여 **먼 곳에 있는 의료인에게 의료지식이나 기술을 지원하는 원격의료(이하 "원격의료"라 한다)**를 할 수 있다.
- ⊖원격医료를 행하거나 받으려는 자는 보건복지부령으로 정하는 시설과 장비를 갖추어야 한다. <개정 2008. 2. 29., 2010. 1. 18.>
- ⊗원격医료를 하는 자(이하 "원격지의사"라 한다)는 환자를 직접 대면하여 진료하는 경우와 같은 책임을 진다.
- ④원격지의사의 원격의료에 따라 의료행위를 한 의료인이 의사·치과의사 또는 한의사(이하 "현지의사"라 한다)인 경우에는 그 의료행위에 대하여 원격지의사의 과실을 인정할 만한 명백한 근거가 없으면 환자에 대한 책임은 제3항에도 불구하고 현지의사에게 있는 것으로 본다.



# Summary

- Spectrum of digital health
  - Digital health – medicine – therapeutics
- Categories of digital health
  - Data
  - Sensors
  - IT (mobile)
  - Personalized care
  - Telehealth
- Digital medicine in dysphagia
  - No commercial services
  - Usually focused on component technologies
  - Automatic evaluation based on ML
  - Data acquisition with wearable sensors
  - Telemedicine (mobile IT)
  - Personalized medicine
- Issues





# Thank you

