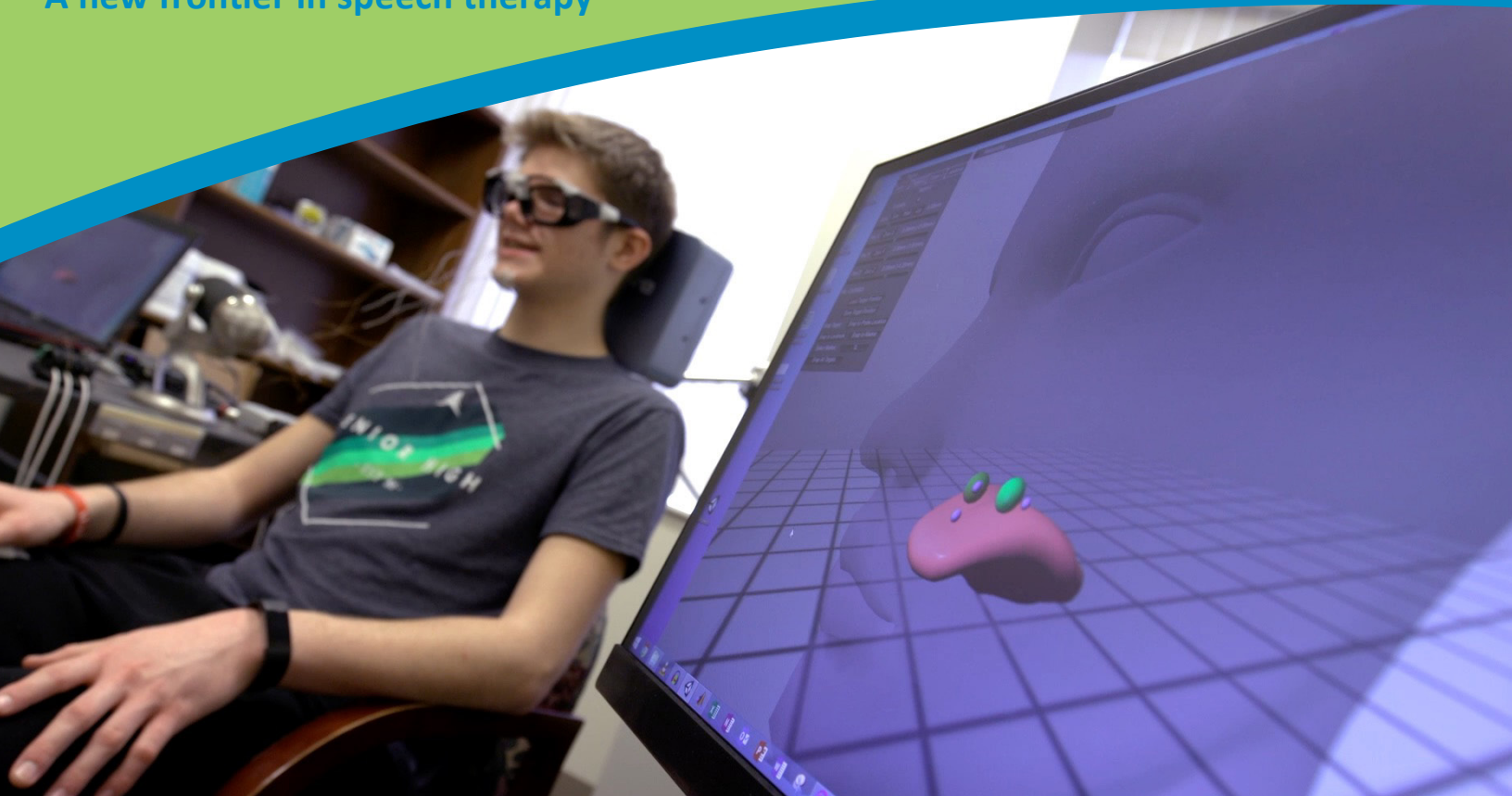


Opti-Speech

A new frontier in speech therapy



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What is Opti-Speech?

- Opti-Speech is a compliment to traditional speech therapy
- State-of-the-art technology is used to visualize the tongue based on the position of tiny sensors
- Seeing the tongue and how it should move can enhance and accelerate results from traditional speech treatment

Who is a candidate?

- Children (8 years of age and older) and adults who have found limited success in traditional speech therapy, or whose progress has stalled
- Especially helpful for individuals working on the “r” and “s” sounds

What is treatment like?

Evaluation

- You will be asked to say the sound(s) you have trouble with many times, and asked to move your tongue, lips, and jaw in different ways
- You will have sensors glued to your tongue so you can see how they feel
- You will be audio recorded while you read a personalized list of words

Visual Fitting

- Based on the movement of your tongue, the treating speech-language pathologist will create visual targets for you that will be used during all treatment sessions

Treatment Sessions

- Each of the 10 treatment sessions are one-hour long
- You will be able to view the visual of your tongue, and work on hitting custom targets to help you correct the sound(s) you have trouble with

Opti-Speech is available at our University Circle Office

Learn more: www.chsc.org/opti-speech or call 216-231-8787