Smart Technology Use in the Home Environment



Three occupational therapy students at the University of Manitoba in Canada are conducting a study to gain an understanding of the experiences of people with physical disabilities who use smart technology (e.g. smartphone, tablet) in their everyday life.

We would like to hear from people who:

- Identify as an experienced smart technology user
- Have been using smart technology devices for 6+ months
- Use their smart technology to control their home environment (examples include: thermostat, lighting, door openers, windows, locks, appliances).

Participant requirements:

- Adults 18+
- Have a physical disability
- English speaking
- Able to participate in a 60-90-minute interview over Zoom

If you are interested in participating in this study, please contact <u>Charmaine Agsalud</u> at <u>agsaludc@myumanitoba.ca</u> at the University of Manitoba or Dr. Jacquie Ripat by phone at <u>1-204-789-3303</u>.

^{*}A small honorarium will be provided.