

## **User perspectives on multi-touch tabletop therapy**

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### **ABSTRACT**

Technology-based activities are becoming increasingly popular in therapy programs. In particular, multi-touch tabletops seem to be well suited for many therapy activities. To better understand the benefits of using multi-touch tabletops during rehabilitation, we examined users' attitudes towards rehabilitation activities on a multi-touch tabletop and on a non-interactive surface. Using a standardized questionnaire and semi-structured interviews, we identified many advantages and limitations of using multi-touch tabletops in rehabilitation. We discuss the implications of user expectations and experiences on the design of future activities.

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