



Therapeutic applications of technology in Parkinson's disease

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Brain Modulation: one aspect of functional restoration of the brain

Proposed Definition

Functional brain restoration defined:

Modulation, repair or replacement of brain structures by precise delivery of stimulation, medication or cells to treat disordered brain function.

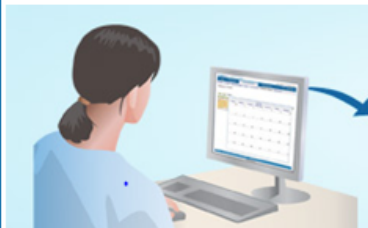


What can we learn from Cardiac Resynchronization Therapy?

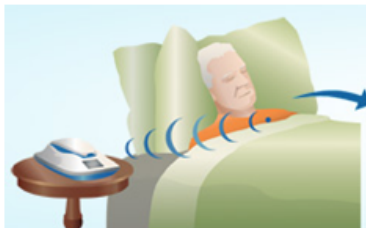


- Therapy: Pacing and Shock algorithms
- Diagnosis: Fluid Status Monitoring
- Patient Management: Remote monitoring system provide fast and easy remote device follow-

How Remote Monitoring Works



Clinic schedules dates for the patient to send information from their device to the clinic.



Device information is sent automatically (for wireless devices, such as ICDs), usually while the patient sleeps.



Device information is sent automatically from the remote monitor to a secure computer server.



The clinic reviews the device information on a secure website.

Note: For non-wireless devices (such as pacemakers), information is sent manually from the patient's device.

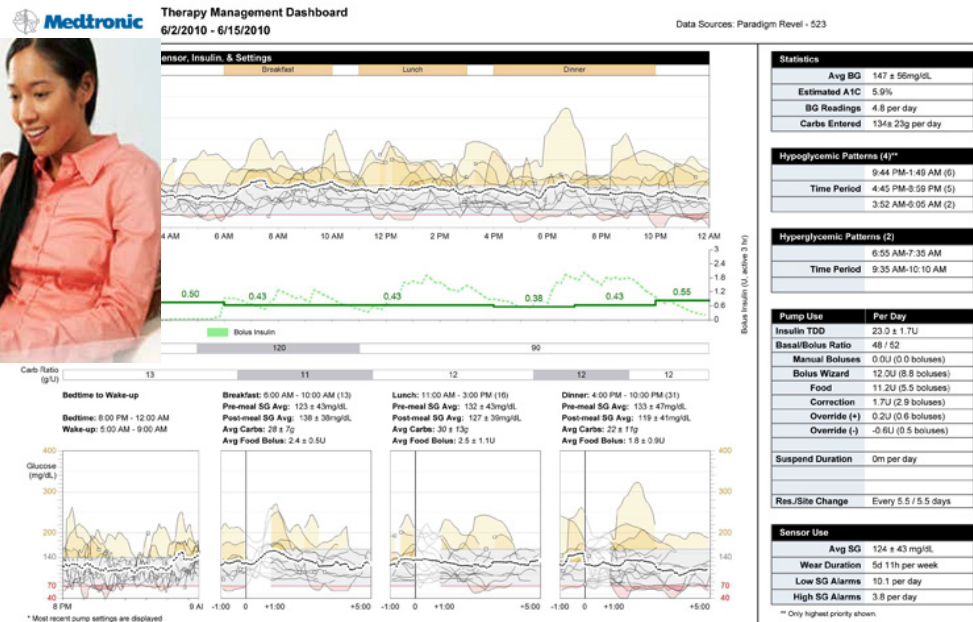
What can we learn from Diabetes?



- Therapy: Threshold Suspend, which automatically stops insulin delivery when sensor glucose values reach a preset low threshold.
- Diagnosis: Continuous blood glucose monitoring
- Patient Management: Patient and Physician reporting on trends

CareLink® Personal Therapy Management Software

CareLink Personal software is a convenient online tool that brings together critical information from your diabetes-monitoring devices, including Medtronic insulin pumps, continuous glucose monitoring systems, and more than 25 of the most popular blood glucose meters.



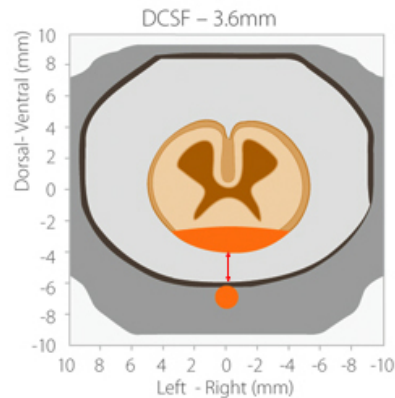
What can we learn from Pain Management?



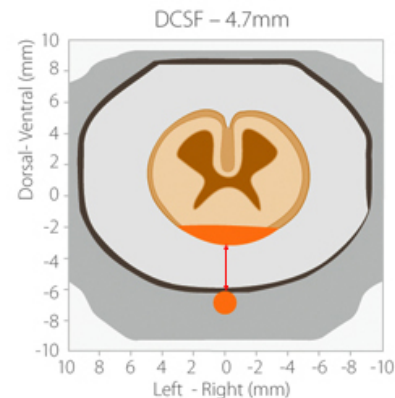
- Therapy: Adaptive Stim automatically adjusts stimulation based on the patient's needs and preferences in different body positions
- Diagnosis: AdaptiveStim Diary provides objective data regarding patient activity



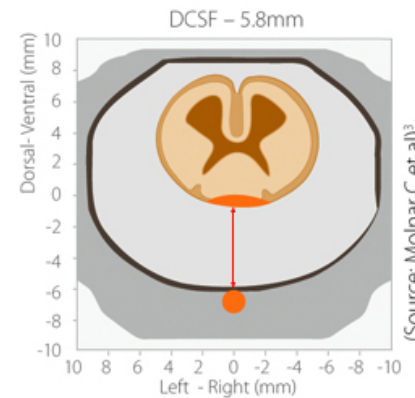
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Sensors and Connected Care

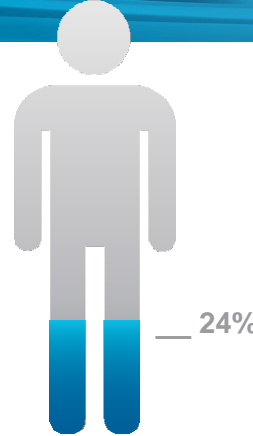
1. Patient Screening and Diagnosis
2. 24/7 patient optimized therapy
 - Responsive Therapy
 - Automatic therapy adjustment
3. Improved patient self management
4. Remote patient monitoring
5. Remote patient management
6. Automatic quantification of outcomes to prove value to payers
7. Scientific discovery
 - Large patient datasets
 - Rare events

Challenge: Many qualified DBS candidates do not have access to the therapy

Of the estimated 1,000,000+ Americans with PD

110,000

Are potential candidates for DBS Therapy



only

24%

receive an implant

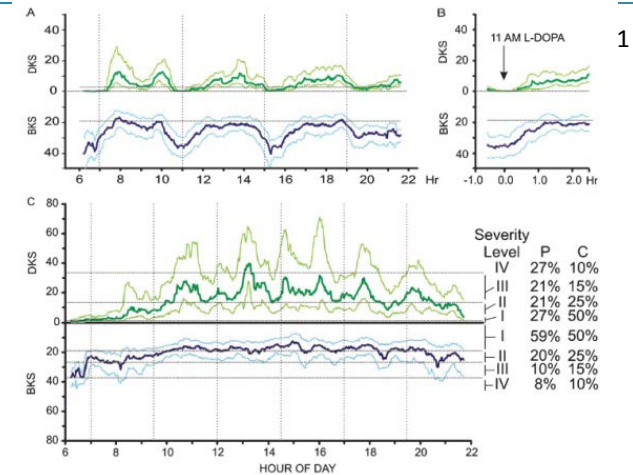
We are all striving for the best in patient care which involves making therapies more **accessible**.

Misconception: Patient is not yet a candidate for DBS or DBS may not provide the expected outcome

TECHNOLOGY SOLUTION = Quantifying symptom fluctuation for DBS application

Technology Goal

- Improve patient selection and identify “DBS-ready” patients
- Confidence in decision with objective measures
- Reduce physician burden and simplify patient follow-up



Sensor-based Quantification



Objective Assessments



Impact to Practice

- Patient selection for DBS
- Therapy optimization
- Quantification of therapeutic benefit

KITE Study

Study Title:

Evaluation of the Parkinson's KinetiGraph Data Logger (PKG) as a tool to measure motor fluctuations and support the DBS eligibility assessment of Parkinson's disease patients.

Study Objective:

To evaluate whether the GKC algorithm can differentiate DBS ready from DBS not-ready patients as assessed during the visit at the clinical site by the DBS specialist

Study Design:

Prospective, dual-center, non-interventional, post-market release clinical study

Primary endpoint:

Percentage of agreement on DBS eligibility classification between DBS specialists assessment and GKC assessment

Sites: Prof. Moro (Grenoble, France) and Prof. Volkmann (Würzburg, Germany)

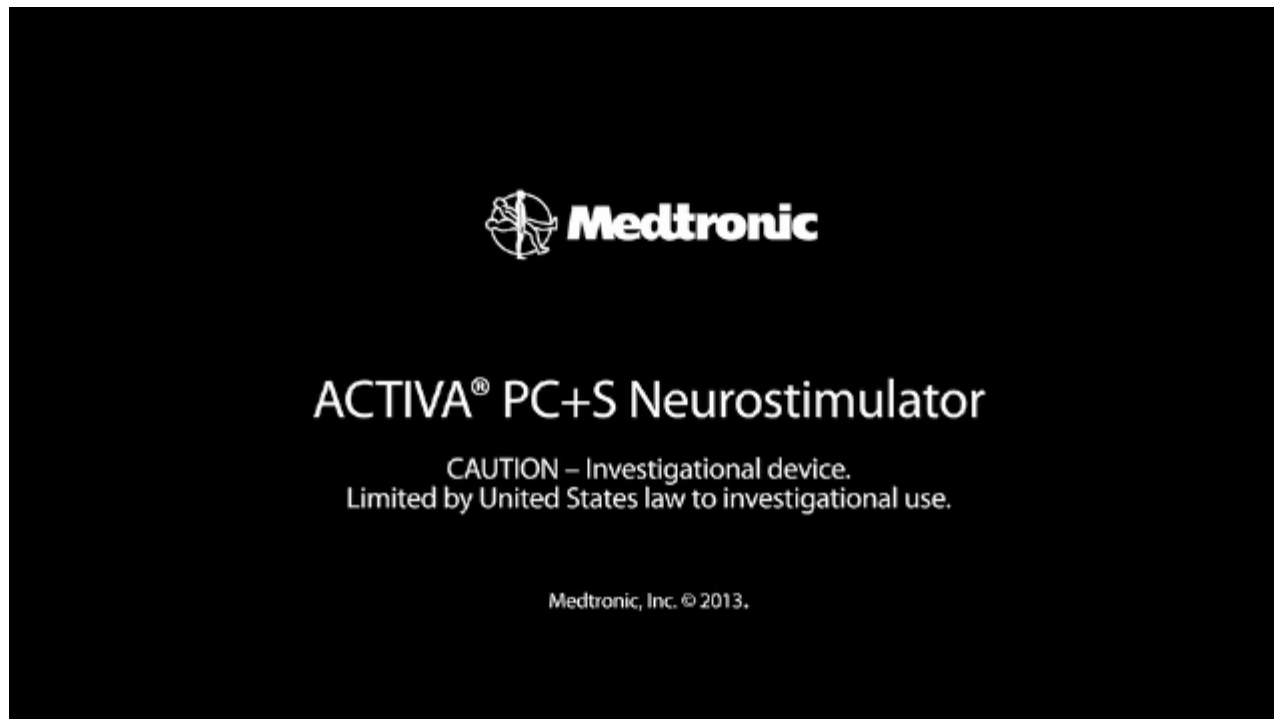
Patients: 36 evaluable patients

Device:

- PKG Data logger (PKG) is a CE mark device.
- Manufactured by Global Kinetics Corporation (GKC).

Brain sensing

Animation of brain activity sensing built into a commercial Activa DBS system (like a CRDM device that measures electrophysiology)*

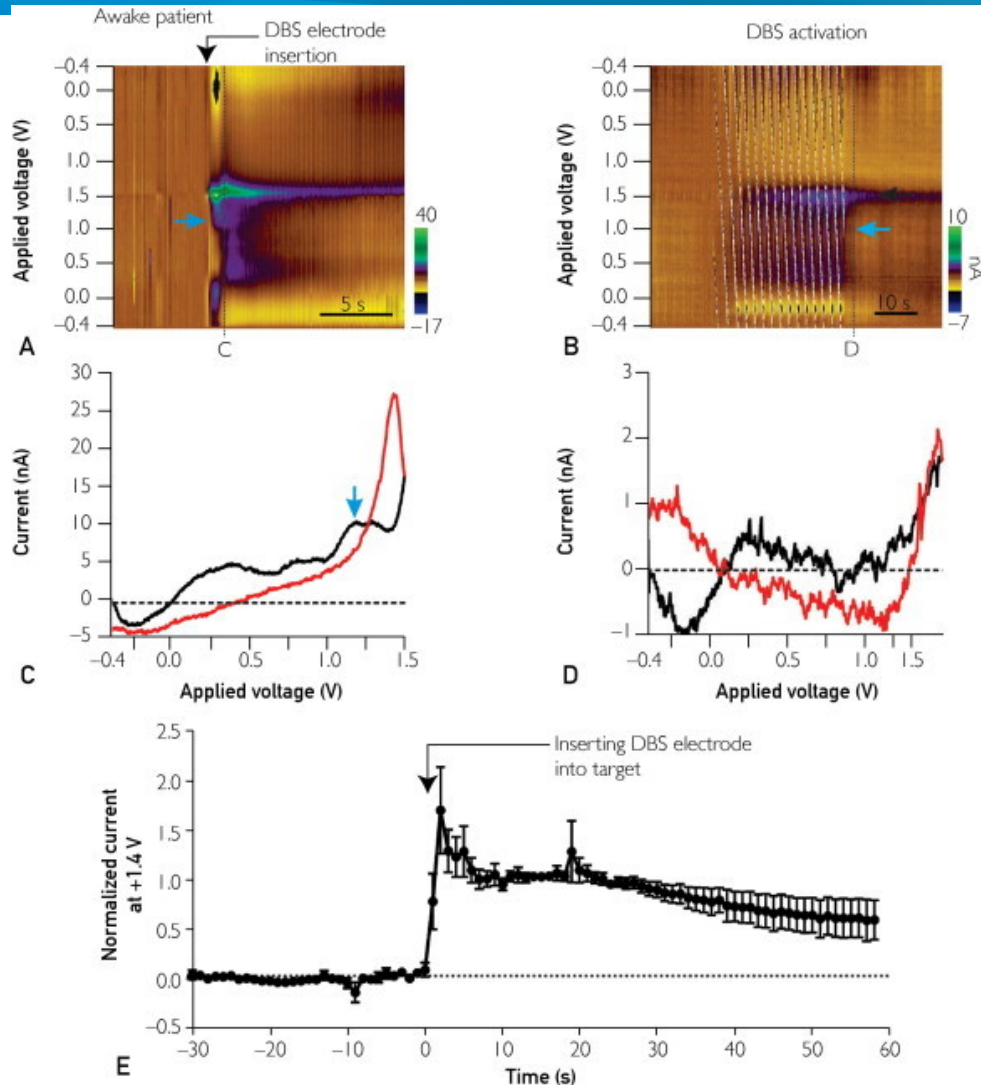


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VIM DBS induces adenosine release in ET patients

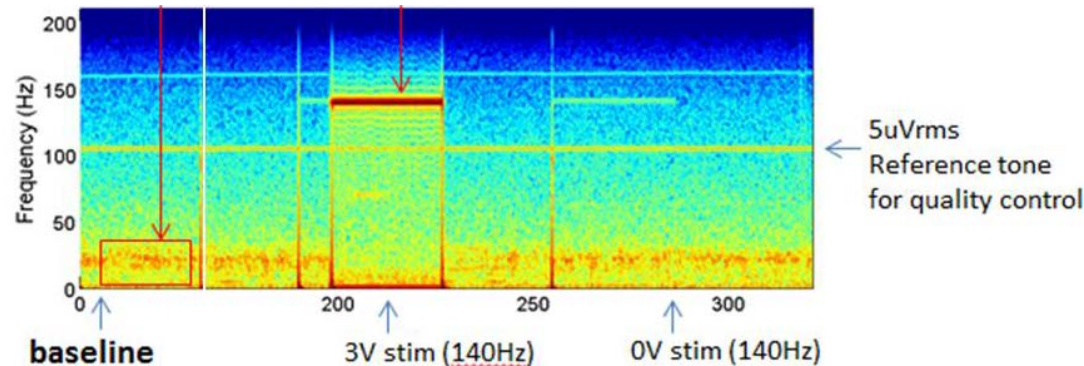


Chang SY et al. Wireless fast-scan cyclic voltammetry to monitor adenosine in patients with essential tremor during deep brain stimulation. Mayo Clin Proc. 2012 Aug;87(8):760-5.

TECHNOLOGY SOLUTION = Medtronic Integrated technology

Physiological Brain Modulation enabled by sensing technology and algorithms – Activa PC+S

Biomarker identification through sensing and closed loop systems are expected to reduce patient management burden and may lead to automated programming



Data file courtesy of Bronte-Stewart, Stanford; interpretation by Medtronic.

Why sensing?

- Basic understanding of Neuroscience
- Serendipitous discovery
- Monitoring of disease progression and therapy effectiveness
- Programming guidance
- Automated Programming
- Patient personalized stimulation

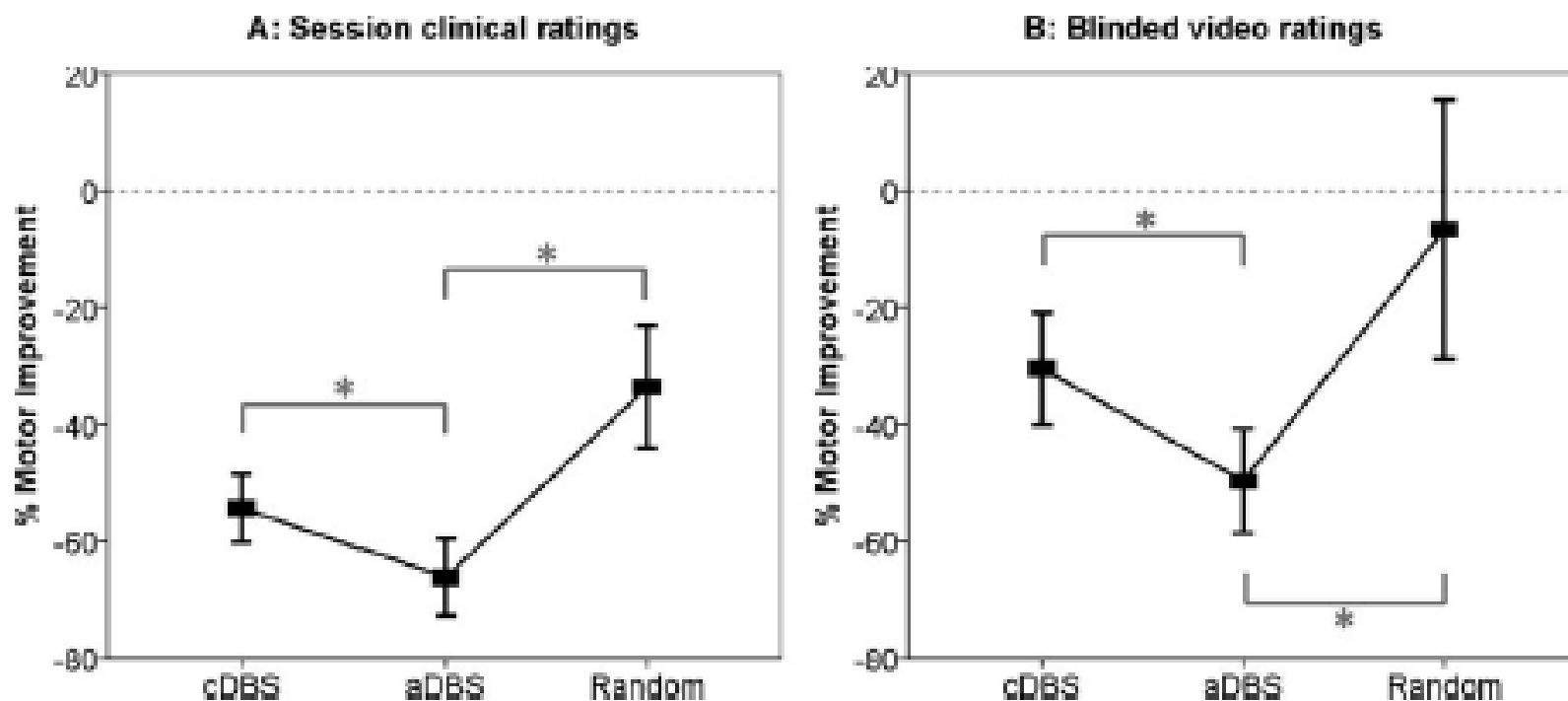
Sensing Research Status:

- A number of physician-sponsored studies ongoing globally
- Numerous devices implanted across a range of disease states/conditions
- Several manuscripts in progress

Potential long-term impact:

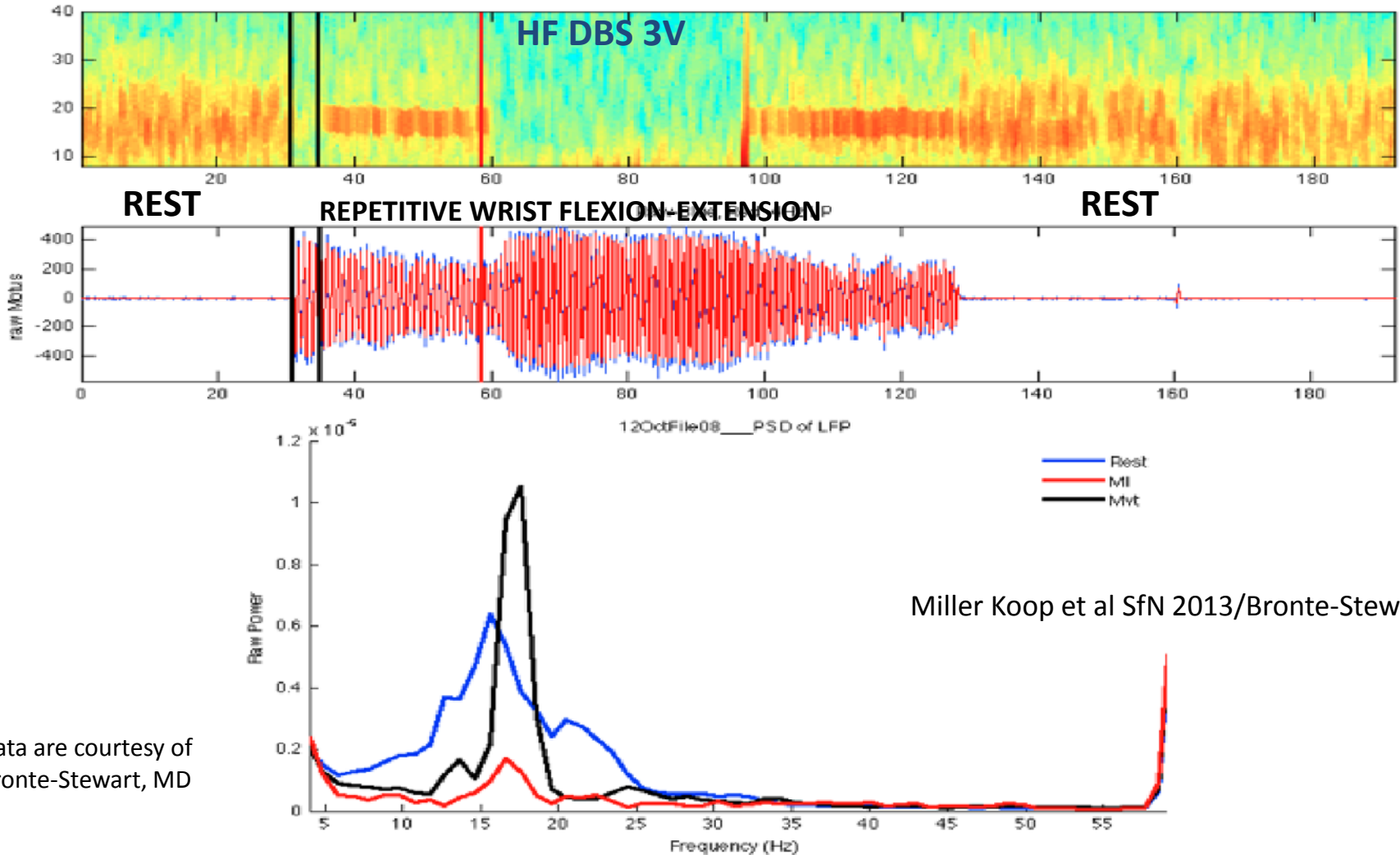
Closed-loop stimulation to deliver patient personalized stimulation

Initial efforts towards closed loop systems based on LFP sensor



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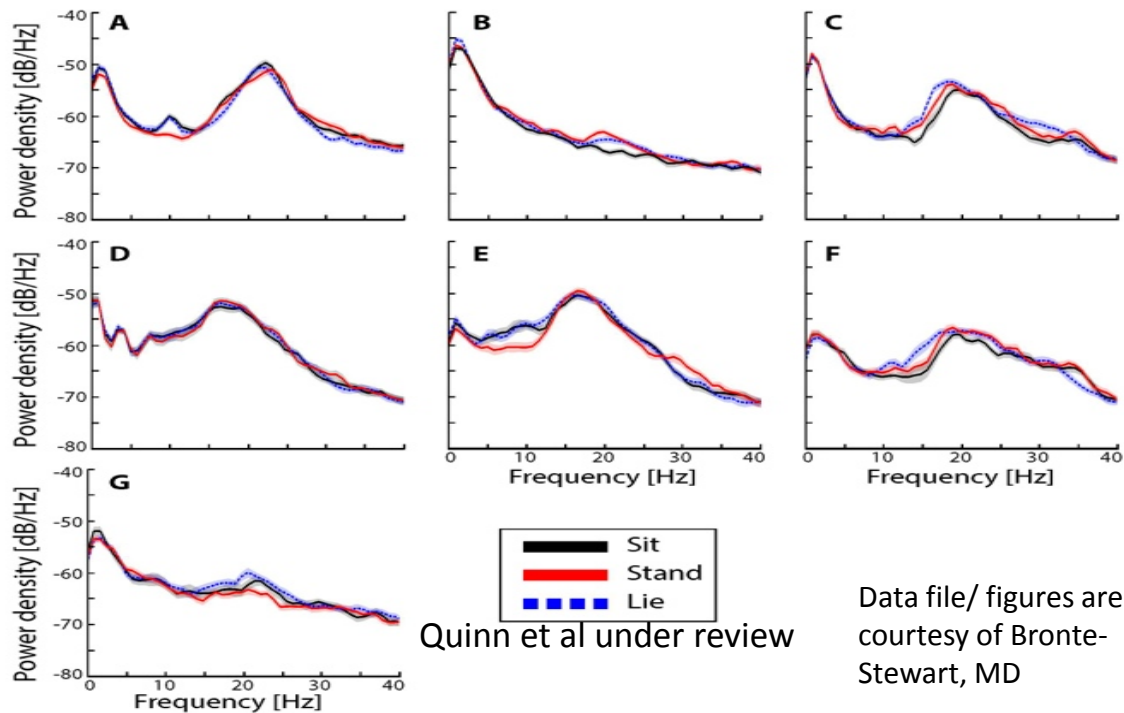
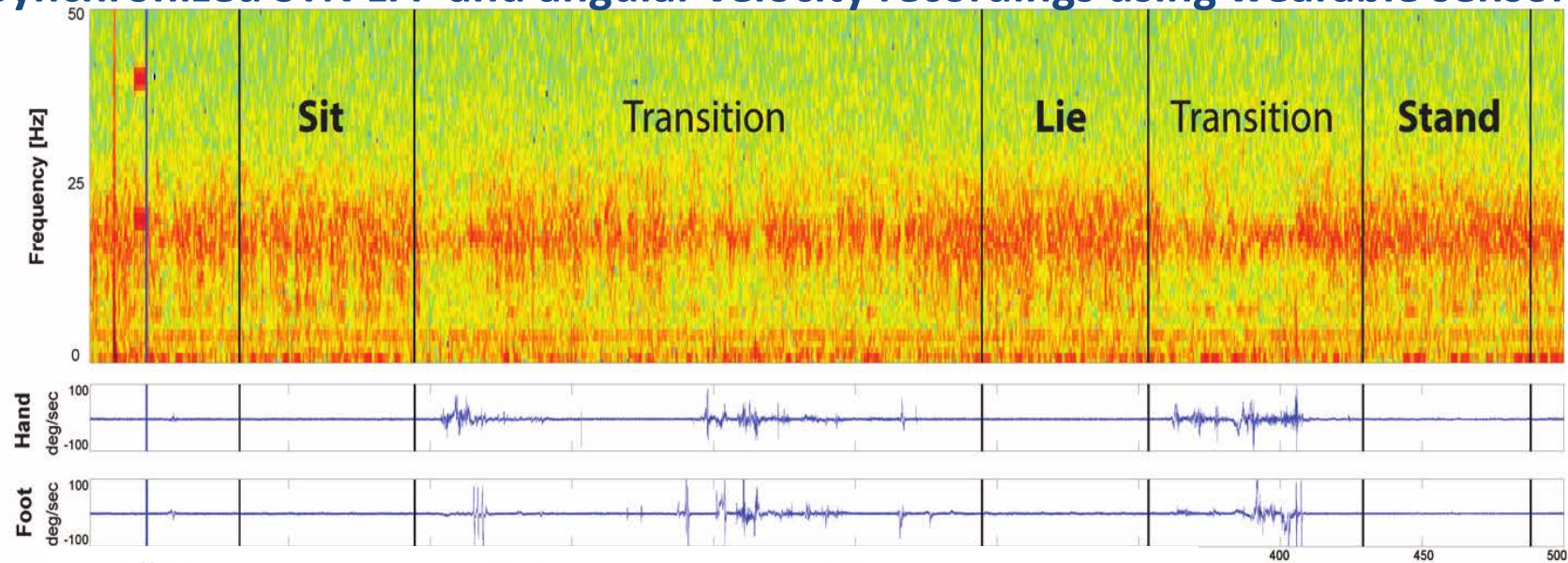
Synchronized LFPs and kinematic recordings during continuous wrist flexion-extension before and during HF DBS using a wearable angular velocity sensor



Data are courtesy of
Bronte-Stewart, MD

Miller Koop et al SfN 2013/Bronte-Stewart Lab

Synchronized STN LFP and angular velocity recordings using wearable sensors



Quinn et al under review

Data file/ figures are courtesy of Bronte-Stewart, MD

Continuous > 8 min neural and kinematic recordings from a sensing neurostimulator in freely moving PD people. Wearable sensors detect when person moving or stationary



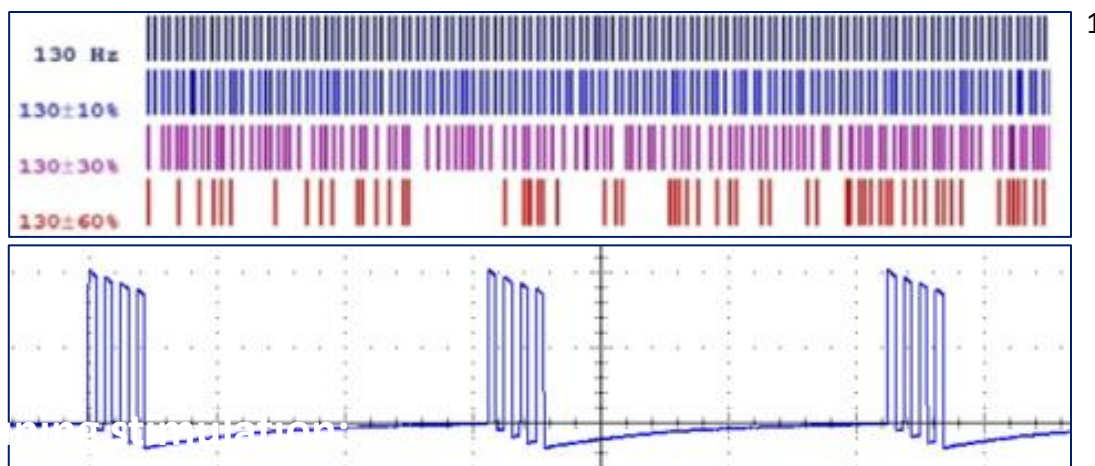
Novel Pulses: From High Frequency Stimulation to Novel Patterns

Today: High frequency continuous stimulation

Tomorrow: Temporal or Waveform modulation to potentially improve therapy outcomes

Temporal modulation, e.g.:

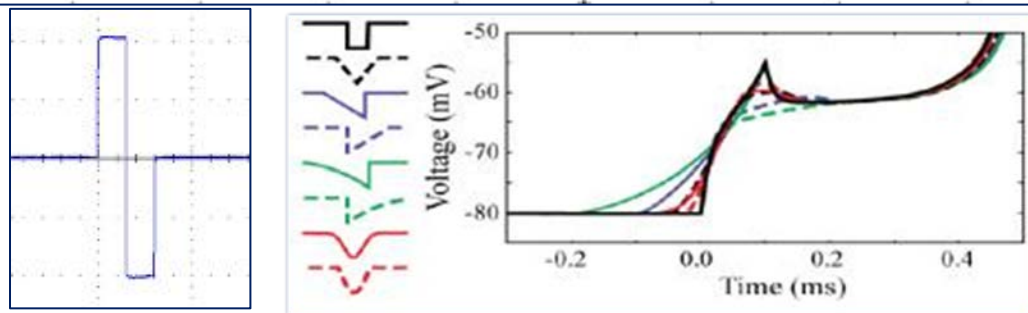
- Pseudorandom
- Burst
- Stochastic



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Waveform modulation, e.g.:

- Square-biphasic
- Non-square
- Arbitrary



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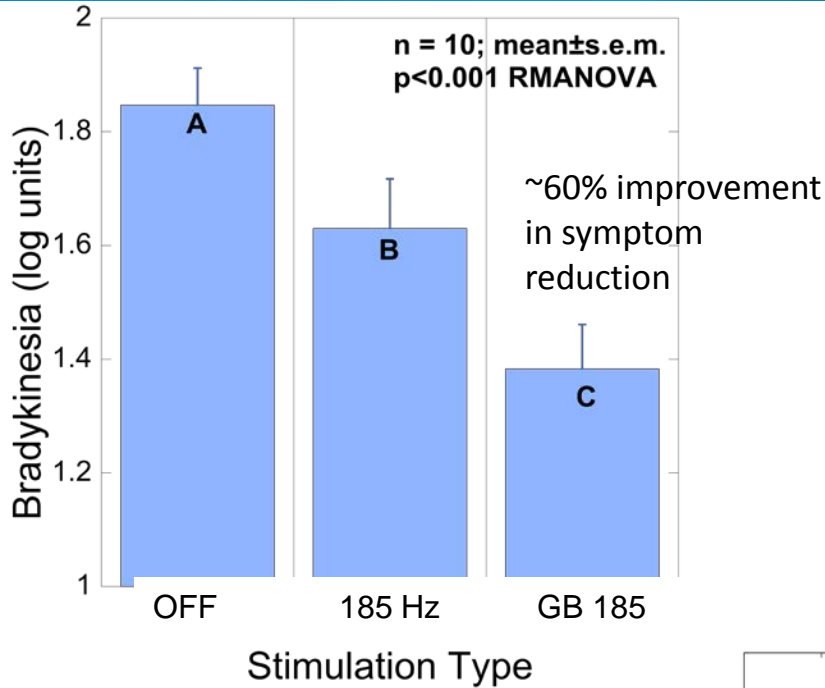
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²J Neural Eng. 2010 Dec;7(6):066008. doi: 10.1088/1741-2560/7/6/066008. Epub 2010 Nov 17. Evaluation of novel stimulus waveforms for deep brain stimulation. Foutz TJ1, McIntyre CC.

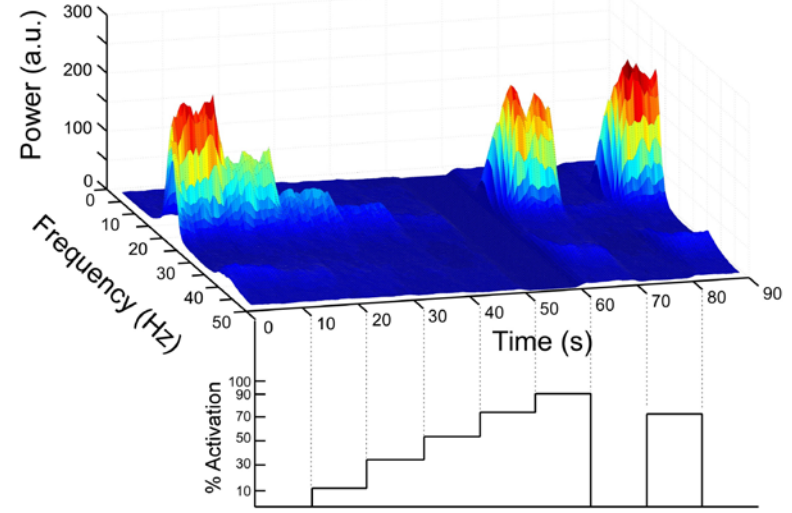
Novel Pulses: Feasibility data from Duke

Improve Efficacy

and Reveal Mechanisms

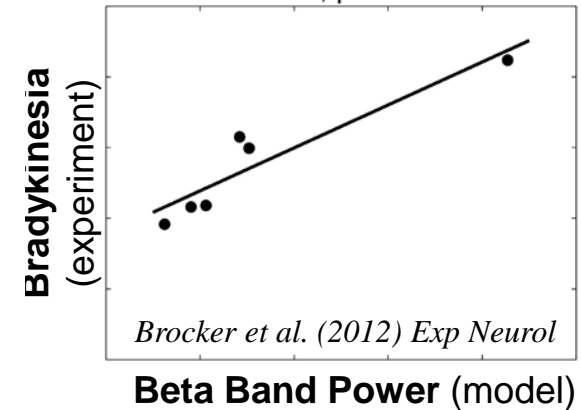
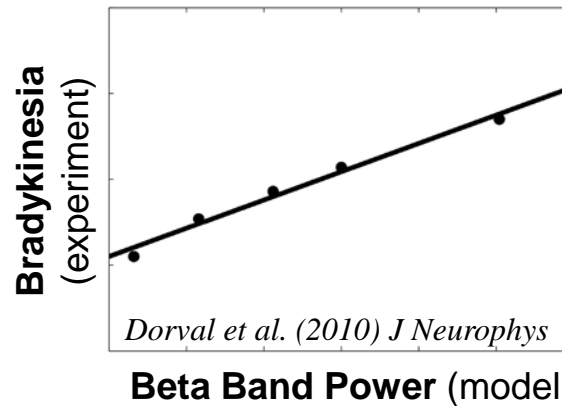


DBS Suppresses Abnormal Neural Oscillations



r=0.99, p=0.001

r=0.93, p=0.007



Strong correlation between symptom reduction and suppression of oscillatory activity across patterns of DBS

Data file courtesy of Warren Grill, Ph.D.



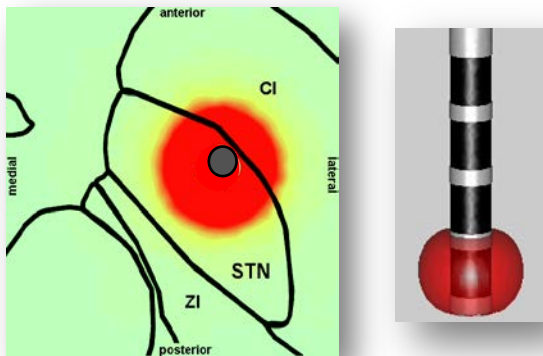
Warren Grill
Duke University

Technology Solution = Anatomical field shaping

Potentially better patient outcomes from personalized stimulation

Traditional DBS

Circumferential Stimulation

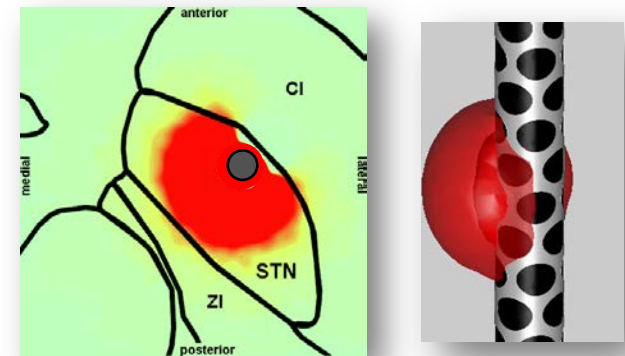


Current spreads into adjacent structures especially if lead position is not perfect

- Side effects limit amount of stimulation that can be applied¹
- Limited data available from lead in final placement

Future DBS

Field Shaping



Current can be moved away from adjacent structures and focused on target structures

- Potential for higher stimulation with fewer side effects², leading to better therapy
- Potential to augment interoperative data with directionally-sensed LFP

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TECHNOLOGY SOLUTION = Auto optimization of programming

Tools provided to today's optometrist:



Automated starting point

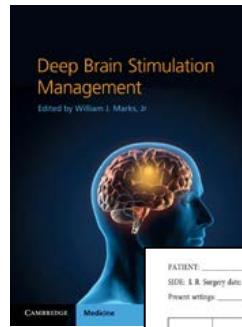
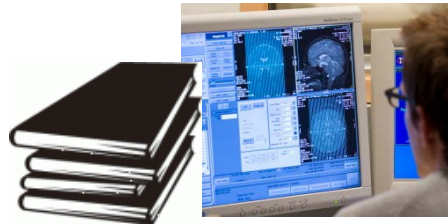


Patient exam, "subjective refraction"



Effective prescription

Tools provided to today's neurologist:



PATIENT: _____		DATE: _____				
SIDE: I R Surgery date: _____ Date of last parameter change: _____						
Patient settings: _____ electrodes _____ Vitek _____ pm _____ Hz						
Impedance (Ω)	Current (µamp)	Electrode	Amplitude threshold for beneficial parietal	Amplitude threshold for parietal (1-7 mV) parietal	Amplitude threshold for anticholinergic or anticholinergic test seizures	Other amplitude thresholds for beneficial and adverse effects
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		Monopolar 1				
		Monopolar 2				
		Monopolar 3				
		Other				
		Other				

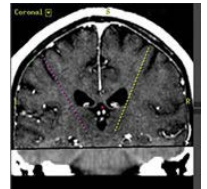
Modifications:
Final stimulation parameters at end of this session: _____ electrodes _____ Vitek _____ pm _____ Hz

Beneficial effects:
Adverse effects:
Comments:

Manual protocol

Can we make an "autorefractor" for the neurologist?

Software identifies lead location in patient's brain



Predict the tissue stimulated by a given DBS setting

Assign a "score" based on tissue stimulated (target vs side-effect)



Conduct smart search to find highest scoring DBS settings

Automated starting point tailored to this patient

TECHNOLOGY SOLUTION = Auto optimization of programming

Given patient's anatomy and lead location,
prototype algorithm suggests DBS parameter settings:

Optimize DBS Params

Search for good DBS program settings:

Search Stop

Rank-ordered Suggestions:

choice:	Anode	Cathode(s)	AMP	PW	RATE	Score
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<input type="radio"/> 7	7	1 2	4.50	140	135	17221.382

inferior->superior

View point choice:
 Coronal Sagittal Horizontal Oblique

E1-213

Brain Regions:

Target for stimulation:

- STN
- Show MER boundaries

Probably OK to stim:

- Zona Incerta
- S. Nigra pars reticulata

May cause side-effects

- S. Nigra pars compacta
- VIM of Thalamus
- Red nucleus

For visual orientation:

- Caudate nucleus

DBS Information:

- Lead
- Vol of Tissue Activated

Trajectory must avoid:

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What if Sapiens?

**Top-scoring parameter settings
(out of > 90,000 possibilities)**

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