Participate in Research

R2Play: A simulated sports environment to support return-to-play decision-making following youth concussion



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We invite you to take part in a research study to advance the development of a system that helps youth with concussion return to their sport life (return-to-play).

The system *R2Play*, will be designed using your opinions and feedback.

What is this study about?

We want to learn about the return-to-play experiences of youth with concussion and their guardians, sport coaches and clinicians, to guide the design of the *R2Play* system.

Who can participate?

- Youth athletes and their guardians, sport coaches and clinicians.
- <u>Youth:</u> must have a diagnosis of concussion, be in the age range of 12-18, and participate in competitive junior sports.
- <u>Guardians</u>: must be caregivers to children who experienced concussion.
- <u>Clinicians and coaches</u>: must have at least one-year experience working with youth aged 6-19.
- All participants must be able to attend their focus group session in person and understand English.
- Exclusion criteria includes the inability to provide consent.

What's involved?

 Participants will attend an online interview session for one hour using the video conferencing platform Zoom.

Potential Benefits?

 By participating, your feedback will help in designing an improved system that will aid experts in assessing return-to-play decisions.

Potential Risks?

• Some participants may feel uncomfortable talking in an interview.

Participants will receive a small token of appreciation to thank them for their time. Volunteer hours are available upon request.





