Wheelchair assistive technology integration - possibilities and pitfalls

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Summary
Our clinical team is noticing increasingly that powered wheelchair control systems seem to be becoming more able to implement reliable environmental control and computer access functions. For those clients that have the cognitive ability to make use of this, integration of these functions may have the potential to improve the life experience of the user by making their assistive technology access system as mobile as they are.

Aims and objectives
This session will list some of the manufacturers whose systems have the potential to do this, and we will talk about the particular capabilities of each system. We will go on to describe our experiences of trying to implement these systems.