West Park's Experience with i-Limb Hand & Prodigits from Touch Bionics

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Presentation Goal

- i-Limb Hand over view
- Identify the unique features of the i-limb Hand and Prodigits
- Considerations for high end device funding
- Ensuring success in fit, comfort and function
- Optimize device acceptance

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Considerations high end device funding

- Review patient in clinic
- Make specific device and component recommendation
- Indicate client's ability to control and benefit from the device
- Obtain clinic note
- Prepare device cost estimate
- Write supporting letter indicating the necessity and benefit of device recommendation to client
- Follow up with funding agency

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Unique Features









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Precision Grip





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Management of Partial Hand Amputees with Prodigits





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Prodigit Kit



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Stailess Steel Lamination Plate



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Silicone Carpal Obturator Socket (SCOS)



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Prodigit finishing considerations



- Review optimal thumb position with patient
- Determine trim lines
- Finish knuckle base of thumb and digits

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Finishing details for i-Limb Hand



- Proximal Exo-shell for electrodes, controller, battery pack and switch
- Blend the knuckles



• Blend the thumb

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Prodigits with thumb remaining





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New TB Prodigit Controller



- New Touch Bionics Prodigit Controller
- Patient demographical data
- Wireless signal calibration
- Bluetooth Dongle

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Silicone Carpal Obturator Socket (SCOS)



- Silicone Carpal Obturator Socket allows ease in donning
- Anterior Prodigit motor lead channel
- Rigid Acrylic posterior laminate strip
- Enhanced finished device cosmesis

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Striving for successful outcome

- Assessment and Consultation
- Review components by manufacturer with client
- Narrow gap between client expectation and current industry technology
- Device Trial Fit
- Functional Training with OT in mock up device
- Functional Training with finished device

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- Review components options and specific features with client
- Discuss possible trial of component with time limits
- Explain company and manufacturer's warranty policies
- Client signs Goods Received Form





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