

# The AT&T Foundry for Connected Health – Aira Wearables



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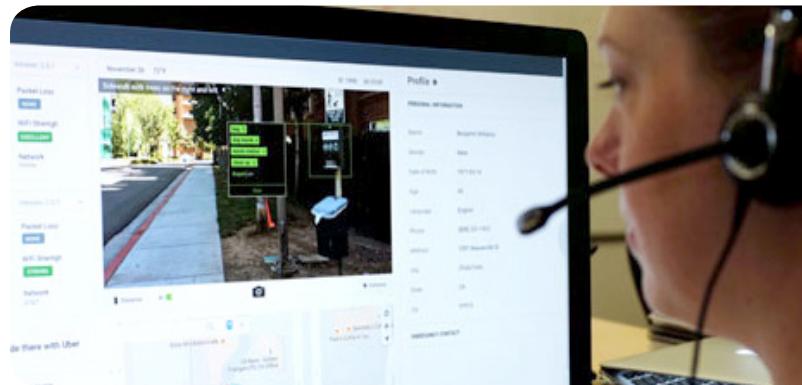
Focused on digital health innovations, the AT&T Foundry for Connected Health is a space where AT&T collaborates with hospitals, caregivers, administrators, and startups to address real-world clinical problems.

The first product to come out of the AT&T Foundry for Connected Health was Aira. The project uses wearable glasses with a connected video camera and remote human agents to help blind and visually impaired customers complete everyday tasks with greater efficiency.

In April 2017, a runner in the Boston Marathon with a severe degenerative eye disease wore the Aira glasses, the first time anyone has competed in the event with the help of a remote human agent.



Aira uses wearable glasses to give blind/visually impaired users information about their surroundings.



Agents can “see” from the wearer’s perspective in near real-time, and then communicate information and instructions back to the wearer.

Aira is emblematic of the mission of the AT&T Foundry for Connected Health: to provide an atmosphere for collaboration and innovation in the health care space, and to solve some of the most critical health care challenges in the world today.

The AT&T Foundry has always been about bringing ideas from concept to commercialization faster than previously possible through a unique innovation culture. With the AT&T Foundry for Connected Health, we’re merging that mission with a drive to improve lives and give medical experts the tools they need to advance the next generation of care.

