The Amulet is an open wearable platform enabling long-term studies in health and sensing.

The **Amulet** is a smartwatch with months-long battery life…

...which communicates with body-area sensors like our EDA sensor…

...enabling a diverse set of applications and interactions.

The Amulet platform is an open-hardware, open-software research platform, currently deployed in two health-related research studies, monitoring stress and geriatric physical activity.

**Amulet platform**

Isolates applications and generates final firmware for upload to Amulet.

**AmuletOS** provides an interface for the programmer to sense, communicate over BLE, and interact with the user through buttons, the screen, and the buzzer.

**Stress monitoring**

Assessing the reliability and validity of using the Amulet to measure stress.

The Amulet can collect sensor data such as EDA and heart rate and use these data to generate an event-based ecological momentary assessment delivered to the user via the Amulet UI. Participants can then respond about how stressed they feel in the moment.

**Activity Monitoring**

Amulet applications for engaging older adults in physical activity.

Activity type (sedentary, moderate, vigorous), upper and lower extremity strength (using a Bluetooth-enabled resistance band and a simple sit-to-stand chair test), and a pedometer will support remote sensing and health behavior change by providing real-time, self-monitored feedback.