

## MISA - CASE STUDY



### Overview:

Virtual Reality Ireland and Adaptas Training have an ongoing relationship with MISA, the - Mercer Institute for Successful Aging at St James' hospital.

### Solution:

As part of the ongoing relationship with MISA, Virtual Reality Ireland and Adaptas Training ran a demo session where patients and staff got to try multiple pieces of VR content including:

- The Body VR where the viewer can interact with and explore the anatomy of the human body
- Eye training applications where patients with eye conditions (e.g. post stroke) can go through visual simulation games to improve the condition
- Druids Way meditation app through which patients and staff were transported to a beautiful scene in Ireland for a calming mindfulness experience
- VR films from Virtual Reality Ireland bringing patients (virtually) to the National Botanic Gardens to enjoy its beauty on a sunny day or Glasnevin Cemetery to hear an actor re-enact the famous oratory by Padraig Pearse at the grave of O'Donovan Rossa.

### Outcomes:

The demo session had a pre and post questionnaire to evaluate feedback from both staff and patients at MISA to discover where best opportunities might lie for these new technologies. Work in progress....watch this space.... !