WorryBusters Story Telling App

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Who : pre-diagnosis children affected by OCD and their parents

Why : <15% of children who experience OCD as a child get access to specialist services, this is mainly due to the barriers of access to care

What: A personalisable bedtime story telling app that has embedded CBT techniques

How: Allows parents to have an active role in the management of their childs illness. Allows both parent and child access to helpful techniques with the minimum of barriers to access.



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GET STARTED

Welcome Screen

Name is not label focussed but symptom focussed to enable pre-diagnosis use.



BEDTIME WORRY BUSTERS STORIES HELP YOU AND YOUR CHILD TO TACKLE THEIR WORRYING THOUGHTS AT BEDTIME.

THIS APP HELPS YOU CREATE PERSONALISED STORIES WITH EMBEDDED TECHNIQUES TO HELP YOUR CHILD TO CHALLENGE THEIR BAD THOUGHTS AND SLEEP BETTER.

PICK A STORY

Introduction

This is the initail, parent-focussed, set-up section. It introduces the aim and function of the app.



Story Selection

We intend for a range of stories to be available for selection by the parent and child.



Name Entry

Allows the child to be included a character in the story, to improve investment by child into reading the story.



Detail Entry

Entering the obsession allows it to be challenged by the therapy techniques.

	THE LITTLEST PRINCE
	CHAPTER1
Ŧ	- Action/Sound - Technique
	LISTEN TO WIND
	- $A(1)$
5	PADDLE THEBOAT
1	SAY FEAR ONCE

Story Review

Allows the parent to read through the story. Actions for the child are shown in two colours, green for normal actions and red for therapy actions.



Slide-out side panel

This slide-out panel allows parents to share comments on ideas for performing actions, and how to read. It also provides detail of what the therapy techniques aim to achieve.

READY TO READ

Ready to read

Once the parent has reviewed the story they are ready to move to the shared interface for reading with their child.



Front Page

First page the child sees of the app. Title is personalised with childs name.

CHAPTER 1

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Each chapter has a series of actions one of which is a therapy technique.



Page of Text

Story is combined with an illustration and an action on each page. The actions all look the same, whether therapy or not. Tapping on the action (in red box) opens a new dialogue window.



Action Dialogue Window

The action has specific instructions, and allows you to collect a coin for completing it.



Coin Burst

A coin burst animation is achieved when the action is completed. This helps positively reinforces the completion of tasks.

THE STRONG KNIGHT SWUNG HIS SWORD....



THE KNIGHT CROSSED THE WOBBLY BRIDGE. LISTEN TO THE RIVER BELOW.

Page of Text

Actions vary from performance to listening to sound affects. Actions for therapy or not look the same to child.



Sound Dialogue Window

Sound plays on tapping the action.

CHAPTER 2

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The chapters build up the therapy techniques over time so they can be read over a period of time. They also can be repeated to reinforce the actions and story for the child.



Page of text

Formatting matches across all pages in the book to allow easy navigation.



Action Dialogue Window

This time the child can collect the second coin, recognising the build-up from the day before.



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END OF CHAPTER 3



Chapter End / Story End

At the end of a chapter or the story the child can see how many coins have been collected.