

## Supplementary Materials

**Table S1.** Tau-U results for Mean Intensity

Participant	Phase	Sustained vowel	Standardized sentences	Personalized sentences	Conversation	Picture description
LSVT01	Pre-Post	Tau-U = <b>0.50</b> , p = 0.009	Tau-U = 0.40, p < 0.001	Tau-U = 0.22, p = 0.014	Tau-U = 1, p = 0.030	Tau-U = 1, p = 0.032
	Pre-FU1	Tau-U = <b>0.50</b> , p = 0.003	Tau-U = 0.48, p < 0.001	Tau-U = 0.33, p < 0.001	Tau-U = 1, p = 0.018	Tau-U = 1, p = 0.015
	Pre-FU2	Tau-U = <b>0.50</b> , p = 0.006	Tau-U = 0.31, p < 0.001	Tau-U = <b>0.21</b> , p = 0.019	Tau-U = 1, p = 0.018	Tau-U = 1, p = 0.018
	Pre-FU3	Tau-U = <b>0.50</b> , p = 0.029	Tau-U = <b>0.42</b> , p < 0.001	Tau-U = <b>0.41</b> , p < 0.001	Tau-U = 0.83, p = 0.059	Tau-U = 0.83, p = 0.063
LSVT02	Pre-Post	Tau-U = <b>0.44</b> , p = 0.012	Tau-U = 0.32, p = 0.001	n.a.	Tau-U = -0.17, p = 0.695	Tau-U = 0.56, p = 0.157
	Pre-FU1	Tau-U = <b>0.44</b> , p = 0.008	Tau-U = 0.21, p = 0.031	n.a.	Tau-U = 0.17, p = 0.764	Tau-U = 0.44, p = 0.278
	Pre-FU2	Tau-U = <b>0.44</b> , p = 0.010	Tau-U = 0.21, p = 0.034	n.a.	Tau-U = 0.5, p = 0.224	Tau-U = 0.78, p = 0.059
	Pre-FU3	Tau-U = <b>0.37</b> , p = 0.033	Tau-U = <b>-0.37</b> , p < 0.001	n.a.	Tau-U = 0.06, p = 0.970	Tau-U = 0.56, p = 0.156
LSVT03	Pre-Post	Tau-U = <b>0.56</b> , p = 0.001	Tau-U = 0.12, p = 0.206	Tau-U = <b>0.34</b> , p < 0.001	Tau-U = 0.50, p = 0.320	Tau-U = 0.50, p = 0.224
	Pre-FU1	Tau-U = <b>0.56</b> , p = 0.001	Tau-U = -0.09, p = 0.331	Tau-U = <b>0.24</b> , p = 0.007	Tau-U = 0.50, p = 0.220	Tau-U = 0.50, p = 0.219
	Pre-FU2	Tau-U = <b>0.56</b> , p = 0.001	Tau-U = <b>-0.22</b> , p = 0.016	Tau-U = 0.14, p = 0.127	Tau-U = 0.50, p = 0.316	Tau-U = 0.50, p = 0.221
	Pre-FU3	Tau-U = <b>0.56</b> , p = 0.001	Tau-U = 0.17, p = 0.066	Tau-U = <b>0.32</b> , p < 0.001	Tau-U = 0.50, p = 0.223	Tau-U = 0.50, p = 0.221

Note. CoV, coefficient of variation; dB, decibels; ST, semitones; Pre, Pre-treatment; Post, Post-treatment; FU1, follow-up 1 (1 week); FU2, follow-up 2 (4 weeks); FU3, follow-up 3, (8 weeks); n.a., not available. Significant results (p>0.05) shown in bold.

**Table S2.** Tau-U results for Pitch Control during Pitch Glides

Participant	Phases	Max F0	Range upwards	Min F0	Range downwards
LSVT01	Pre-Post	Tau-U = 0.116, $p = 0.536$	<b>Tau-U = -0.401, <math>p = 0.027</math></b>	Tau-U = <b>-0.657, <math>p &lt; 0.000</math></b>	Tau-U = -0.234, $p = 0.075$
	Pre-FU1	Tau-U = 0.286, $p = 0.112$	Tau-U = -0.3, $p = 0.090$	<b>Tau-U = -0.713, <math>p &lt; 0.000</math></b>	<b>Tau-U = -0.27, <math>p = 0.026</math></b>
	Pre-FU2	Tau-U = 0.301, $p = 0.100$	Tau-U = -0.352, $p = 0.051$	<b>Tau-U = -0.75, <math>p &lt; 0.000</math></b>	<b>Tau-U = -0.29, <math>p = 0.021</math></b>
	Pre-Fu3	Tau-U = 0.343, $p = 0.070$	Tau-U = -0.357, $p = 0.052$	<b>Tau-U = -0.75, <math>p &lt; 0.000</math></b>	<b>Tau-U = -0.461, <math>p = 0.003</math></b>
LSVT02	Pre-Post	Tau-U = 0.161, $p = 0.320$	Tau-U = -0.036, $p = 0.841$	Tau-U = 0.278, $p = 0.140$	<b>Tau-U = -0.544, <math>p = 0.003</math></b>
	Pre-FU1	Tau-U = 0.177, $p = 0.284$	Tau-U = 0.034, $p = 0.858$	Tau-U = -0.142, $p = 0.445$	<b>Tau-U = -0.355, <math>p = 0.048</math></b>
	Pre-FU2	<b>Tau-U = 0.355, <math>p = 0.030</math></b>	Tau-U = 0.164, $p = 0.335$	Tau-U = 0.13, $p = 0.486$	<b>Tau-U = -0.515, <math>p = 0.003</math></b>
	Pre-Fu3	Tau-U = 0.194, $p = 0.240$	Tau-U = -0.036, $p = 0.838$	<b>Tau-U = 0.5, <math>p = 0.005</math></b>	<b>Tau-U = 0.357, <math>p = 0.003</math></b>
LSVT03	Pre-Post	Tau-U = 0.154, $p = 0.409$	<b>Tau-U = 0.401, <math>p = 0.028</math></b>	<b>Tau-U = 0.625, <math>p = 0.001</math></b>	Tau-U = 0.005, $p = 0.999$
	Pre-FU1	<b>Tau-U = 0.500, <math>p = 0.006</math></b>	<b>Tau-U = 0.463, <math>p = 0.009</math></b>	<b>Tau-U = 0.625, <math>p &lt; 0.000</math></b>	Tau-U = -0.02, $p = 0.912$
	Pre-FU2	Tau-U = 0.333, $p = 0.070$	<b>Tau-U = 0.486, <math>p = 0.008</math></b>	<b>Tau-U = 0.625, <math>p &lt; 0.000</math></b>	<b>Tau-U = 0.375, <math>p = 0.036</math></b>
	Pre-Fu3	<b>Tau-U = 0.500, <math>p = 0.005</math></b>	<b>Tau-U = 0.488, <math>p = 0.008</math></b>	<b>Tau-U = 0.625, <math>p &lt; 0.000</math></b>	<b>Tau-U = 0.526, <math>p &lt; 0.000</math></b>

Note. Max F0, maximum fundamental frequency; Min F0, minimum fundamental frequency; Pre, Pre-treatment; Post, Post-treatment; FU1, follow-up 1 (1 week); FU2, follow-up 2 (4 weeks); FU3, follow-up 3, (8 weeks). Statistically significant results ( $p > 0.05$ ) shown in bold.

**Table S3.** Tau-U statistics for voice quality measures.

Participant	Phase	AVQI	CPPS	HNR	Shimmer%	Shimmer dB	Jitter	Median pitch
LSVT01	Pre-Post	Tau-U = <b>-0.50, p = 0.010</b>	Tau-U = <b>0.50, p = 0.005</b>	Tau-U = <b>0.50, p = 0.005</b>	Tau-U = <b>-0.49, p = 0.006</b>	Tau-U = <b>-0.50, p = 0.006</b>	Tau-U = <b>-0.46, p = 0.009</b>	Tau-U = <b>0.56, p = 0.001</b>
	Pre-FU1	Tau-U = <b>-0.50, p = 0.004</b>	Tau-U = <b>0.50, p = 0.006</b>	Tau-U = <b>0.50, p = 0.005</b>	Tau-U = <b>-0.50, p = 0.005</b>	Tau-U = <b>-0.50, p = 0.005</b>	Tau-U = <b>-0.46, p = 0.0092</b>	Tau-U = <b>0.60, p &lt; 0.001</b>
	Pre-FU2	Tau-U = <b>-0.50, p = 0.030</b>	Tau-U = <b>0.50, p = 0.004</b>	Tau-U = <b>0.50, p = 0.006</b>	Tau-U = <b>-0.41, p = 0.0211</b>	Tau-U = <b>-0.40, p = 0.025</b>	Tau-U = <b>-0.45, p = 0.0133</b>	Tau-U = <b>0.61, p &lt; 0.001</b>
	Pre-FU3	Tau-U = <b>-0.17, p = 0.706</b>	Tau-U = <b>0.50, p = 0.029</b>	Tau-U = <b>0.17, p = 0.502</b>	Tau-U = <b>-0.17, p = 0.481</b>	Tau-U = <b>-0.17, p = 0.490</b>	Tau-U = <b>-0.07, p = 0.716</b>	Tau-U = <b>0.50, p = 0.009</b>
LSVT02	Pre-Post	Tau-U = <b>-0.75, p &lt; 0.001</b>	Tau-U = <b>0.63, p &lt; 0.002</b>	Tau-U = <b>0.61, p &lt; 0.001</b>	Tau-U = <b>-0.61, p &lt; 0.001</b>	Tau-U = <b>-0.61, p &lt; 0.001</b>	Tau-U = <b>-0.50, p = 0.007</b>	Tau-U = <b>0.63, p &lt; 0.001</b>
	Pre-FU1	Tau-U = <b>-0.75, p &lt; 0.001</b>	Tau-U = <b>0.63, p &lt; 0.001</b>	Tau-U = <b>0.60, p &lt; 0.001</b>	Tau-U = <b>-0.61, p &lt; 0.001</b>	Tau-U = <b>-0.61, p &lt; 0.001</b>	Tau-U = <b>-0.50, p = 0.005</b>	Tau-U = <b>0.46, p = 0.009</b>
	Pre-FU2	Tau-U = <b>-0.75, p &lt; 0.001</b>	Tau-U = <b>0.64, p &lt; 0.001</b>	Tau-U = <b>0.58, p = 0.001</b>	Tau-U = <b>-0.50, p = 0.005</b>	Tau-U = <b>-0.49, p &lt; 0.007</b>	Tau-U = <b>-0.50, p = 0.006</b>	Tau-U = <b>0.53, p = 0.003</b>
	Pre-FU3	Tau-U = <b>-0.75, p &lt; 0.001</b>	Tau-U = <b>0.63, p &lt; 0.001</b>	Tau-U = <b>0.600, p &lt; 0.001</b>	Tau-U = <b>-0.61, p &lt; 0.001</b>	Tau-U = <b>-0.61, p &lt; 0.001</b>	Tau-U = <b>-0.50, p = 0.005</b>	Tau-U = <b>0.625, p &lt; 0.001</b>
LSVT03	Pre-Post	Tau-U = <b>--0.39, p = 0.025</b>	Tau-U = <b>0.24, p = 0.193</b>	Tau-U = <b>0.36, p = 0.043</b>	Tau-U = <b>-0.45, p = 0.013</b>	Tau-U = <b>-0.45, p = 0.013</b>	Tau-U = <b>-0.50, p = 0.005</b>	Tau-U = <b>0.24, p = 0.185</b>
	Pre-FU1	Tau-U = <b>--0.39, p = 0.025</b>	Tau-U = <b>0.23, p = 0.215</b>	Tau-U = <b>0.338, p = 0.067</b>	Tau-U = <b>-0.40, p = 0.027</b>	Tau-U = <b>-0.44, p = 0.014</b>	Tau-U = <b>-0.50, p = 0.005</b>	Tau-U = <b>0.30, p = 0.098</b>
	Pre-FU2	Tau-U = <b>--0.37, p = 0.030</b>	Tau-U = <b>0.38, p = 0.034</b>	Tau-U = <b>-0.50, p = 0.007</b>	Tau-U = <b>-0.50, p = 0.007</b>	Tau-U = <b>0.13, p = 0.501</b>	Tau-U = <b>0.48, p = 0.008</b>	Tau-U = <b>-0.50, p = 0.006</b>
	Pre-FU3	Tau-U = <b>-0.36, p = 0.031</b>	Tau-U = <b>0.36, p = 0.044</b>	Tau-U = <b>-0.40, p = 0.029</b>	Tau-U = <b>-0.48, p = 0.007</b>	Tau-U = <b>0.04, p = 0.832</b>	Tau-U = <b>0.28, p = 0.132</b>	Tau-U = <b>-0.50, p = 0.005</b>

Note. AVQI, Acoustic Voice Quality Index; CPPS, Cepstral Peak Prominence Smoothed; HNR, Harmonic to Noise Ratio; dB, decibels; Pre, Pre-treatment; Post, Post-treatment; FU1, follow-up 1 (1 week); FU2, follow-up 2 (4 weeks); FU3, follow-up 3, (8 weeks). Statistically significant results ( $p > 0.05$ ) shown in bold

**Table S4.** Prosody – Speech and Pause measures

Participant	Phase	Percentage of pause	Speech duration	Total duration	Mean pause duration	Mean speech duration
LSVT01	Pre-post	Tau-U = -0.333, $p = 0.459$	Tau-U = -0.166, $p = 0.692$	Tau-U = -0.333, $p = 0.465$	Tau-U = -0.666, $p = 0.081$	Tau-U = 0.166, $p = 0.831$
	Pre-FU1	Tau-U = -0.277, $p = 0.536$	Tau-U = -0.277, $p = 0.535$	Tau-U = -0.500, $p = 0.226$	Tau-U = -0.666, $p = 0.076$	Tau-U = 0.166, $p = 0.763$
	Pre-FU2	Tau-U = -0.500, $p = 0.227$	Tau-U = -0.500, $p = 0.216$	Tau-U = -0.500, $p = 0.227$	<b>Tau-U = -0.888, <math>p = 0.030</math></b>	Tau-U = 0.277, $p = 0.531$
	Pre-FU3	Tau-U = -0.500, $p = 0.319$	Tau-U = -0.500, $p = 0.315$	Tau-U = -0.500, $p = 0.325$	Tau-U = -0.833, $p = 0.061$	Tau-U = 0.166, $p = 0.836$
LSVT02	Pre-post	Tau-U = -0.277, $p = 0.542$	Tau-U = 0.111, $p = 0.781$	Tau-U = 0.111, $p = 0.781$	Tau-U = 0.055, $p = 0.970$	Tau-U = 0.500, $p = 0.225$
	Pre-FU1	Tau-U = -0.277, $p = 0.543$	Tau-U = 0.666, $p = 0.114$	Tau-U = 0.222, $p = 0.579$	Tau-U = 0.388, $p = 0.348$	Tau-U = 0.500, $p = 0.220$
	Pre-FU2	Tau-U = -0.055, $p = 0.968$	<b>Tau-U = 0.000, <math>p = 0.028</math></b>	Tau-U = 0.111, $p = 0.786$	Tau-U = -0.166, $p = 0.684$	Tau-U = 0.388, $p = 0.343$
	Pre-FU3	Tau-U = -0.388, $p = 0.322$	Tau-U = 0.222, $p = 0.573$	Tau-U = 0.111, $p = 0.780$	Tau-U = 0.500, $p = 0.210$	Tau-U = 0.500, $p = 0.217$
LSVT03	Pre-post	<b>Tau-U = -1.00, <math>p = 0.018</math></b>	Tau-U = -0.500, $p = 0.224$	Tau-U = -0.500, $p = 0.218$	Tau-U = -0.500, $p = 0.212$	<b>Tau-U = 1.00, <math>p = 0.020</math></b>
	Pre-FU1	<b>Tau-U = -1.00, <math>p = 0.016</math></b>	Tau-U = -0.500, $p = 0.227$	Tau-U = -0.500, $p = 0.213$	Tau-U = -0.500, $p = 0.210$	<b>Tau-U = 1.00, <math>p = 0.014</math></b>
	Pre-FU2	<b>Tau-U = -1.00, <math>p = 0.015</math></b>	Tau-U = -0.500, $p = 0.220$	Tau-U = -0.500, $p = 0.222$	Tau-U = -0.166, $p = 0.687$	<b>Tau-U = 1.00, <math>p = 0.017</math></b>
	Pre-FU3	<b>Tau-U = -1.00, <math>p = 0.016</math></b>	Tau-U = -0.500, $p = 0.224$	Tau-U = -0.500, $p = 0.227$	Tau-U = -0.500, $p = 0.233$	<b>Tau-U = 1.00, <math>p = 0.016</math></b>

Note. Pre, Pre-treatment; Post, Post-treatment; FU1, follow-up 1 (1 week); FU2, follow-up 2 (4 weeks); FU3, follow-up 3, (8 weeks). Statistically significant results ( $p > 0.05$ ) shown in bold

**Table S5.** Prosody – modulations of intensity and pitch during connected speech

Participant	Task	Phase	CoV Intensity (dB)	CoV pitch (ST)
LSVT01	Standardized sentences	Pre-Post	<b>Tau-U = -0.20, p = 0.032</b>	
		Pre-FU1	<b>Tau-U = -0.24, p = 0.008</b>	<b>Tau-U = -0.36, p &lt; 0.001</b>
		Pre-FU2	Tau-U = -0.16, p = 0.083	<b>Tau-U = -0.27, p = 0.004</b>
		Pre-FU3	Tau-U = -0.03, p = 0.760	<b>Tau-U = -0.33, p &lt; 0.001</b>
	Personalized sentences	Pre-Post	Tau-U = -0.01, p = 0.884	<b>Tau-U = -0.33, p = 0.001</b>
		Pre-FU1	Tau-U = -0.16, p = 0.083	Tau-U = 0.03, p = 0.725
		Pre-FU2	Tau-U = 0.06, p = 0.495	<b>Tau-U = 0.05, p = 0.593</b>
		Pre-FU3	Tau-U = 0.15, p = 0.133	<b>Tau-U = -0.05, p = 0.583</b>
	Conversation	Pre-Post	Tau-U = -0.17, p = 0.688	<b>Tau-U = -0.08, p = 0.448</b>
		Pre-FU1	Tau-U = -0.17, p = 0.681	Tau-U = 0.17, p = 0.827
		Pre-FU2	Tau-U = 0.06, p = 0.971	<b>Tau-U = 0.06, p = 0.967</b>
		Pre-FU3	Tau-U = 0.33, p = 0.469	<b>Tau-U = 0.39, p = 0.347</b>
LSVT02	Picture description	Pre-Post	<b>Tau-U = 1.00, p = 0.032</b>	<b>Tau-U = -0.17, p = 0.693</b>
		Pre-FU1	<b>Tau-U = 0.89, p = 0.032</b>	Tau-U = 0.17, p = 0.829
		Pre-FU2	<b>Tau-U = 0.89, p = 0.032</b>	Tau-U = 0.06, p = 0.973
		Pre-FU3	Tau-U = 0.00, p = 1.000	Tau-U = 0.39, p = 0.336
	Standardized sentences	Pre-Post	Tau-U = -0.06, p = 0.513	Tau-U = -0.17, p = 0.688
		Pre-FU1	Tau-U = -0.17, p = 0.089	Tau-U = 0.07, p = 0.502
		Pre-FU2	Tau-U = 0.07, p = 0.512	Tau-U = 0.12, p = 0.216
		Pre-FU3	Tau-U = 0.03, p = 0.748	<b>Tau-U = 0.04, p = 0.682</b>
	Personalized sentences	Pre-Post	n.a.	<b>Tau-U = 0.20, p = 0.035</b>
		Pre-FU1	n.a.	n.a.
		Pre-FU2	n.a.	n.a.
		Pre-FU3	n.a.	n.a.
LSVT03	Conversation	Pre-Post	Tau-U = -0.17, p = 0.695	Tau-U = -0.5, p = 0.323
		Pre-FU1	Tau-U = -0.06, p = 0.968	Tau-U = -0.17, p = 0.683
		Pre-FU2	Tau-U = 0.17, p = 0.759	Tau-U = -0.17, p = 0.687
		Pre-FU3	Tau-U = -0.06, p = 0.971	Tau-U = 0.06, p = 0.969
	Picture description	Pre-Post	Tau-U = 0.17, p = 0.759	Tau-U = 0.17, p = 0.760
		Pre-FU1	Tau-U = 0.17, p = 0.763	Tau-U = 0.17, p = 0.761
		Pre-FU2	Tau-U = 0.17, p = 0.763	Tau-U = 0.28, p = 0.537
		Pre-FU3	Tau-U = 0.17, p = 0.757	Tau-U = 0.28, p = 0.536
	Standardized sentences	Pre-Post	Tau-U = 0.16, p = 0.087	<b>Tau-U = 0.21, p = 0.026</b>
		Pre-FU1	Tau-U = 0.09, p = 0.343	Tau-U = 0.01, p = 0.961

	Pre-FU2	Tau-U = 0.14, $p = 0.142$	Tau-U = -0.08, $p = 0.399$
	Pre-FU3	Tau-U = 0.08, $p = 0.370$	Tau-U = 0.14, $p = 0.129$
Personalized sentences	Pre-Post	<b>Tau-U = -0.21, <math>p = 0.009</math></b>	Tau-U = 0.08, $p = 0.368$
	Pre-FU1	<b>Tau-U = -0.30, <math>p &lt; 0.001</math></b>	Tau-U = -0.002, $p = 0.980$
	Pre-FU2	<b>Tau-U = -0.26, <math>p = 0.001</math></b>	Tau-U = -0.04, $p = 0.622$
	Pre-FU3	Tau-U = -0.14, $p = 0.077$	Tau-U = 0.08, $p = 0.345$
Conversation	Pre-Post	Tau-U = 0.50, $p = 0.316$	Tau-U = 0.17, $p = 0.723$
	Pre-FU1	Tau-U = 0.50, $p = 0.218$	Tau-U = 0.56, $p = 0.143$
	Pre-FU2	Tau-U = 0.50, $p = 0.322$	Tau-U = 0.00, $p = 1.000$
Picture description	Pre-Post	Tau-U = 0.50, $p = 0.221$	Tau-U = 0.22, $p = 0.572$
	Pre-FU1	Tau-U = 0.28, $p = 0.546$	Tau-U = 0.39, $p = 0.353$
	Pre-FU2	Tau-U = 0.28, $p = 0.535$	Tau-U = 0.06, $p = 0.969$
	Pre-FU3	Tau-U = -0.17, $p = 0.685$	Tau-U = -0.17, $p = 0.687$
		Tau-U = 0.39, $p = 0.343$	Tau-U = 0.50, $p = 0.219$

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