

IIT-K students develop sleep monitoring device

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Students from the Indian Institute of Technology Kharagpur (IIT-K) have developed a wireless sleep assistant called Sleep Doc, which uses a wireless device to monitor sleep patterns. It also uses intelligent voice-interactive system to suggest changes to the user.

It uses a live data monitoring system which tracks a user's heart and breathing rate and alerts the nearest doctor if there's any discrepancy in these parameters.

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Other winners of the competition organised by global professional services Accenture were students from Dronacharya Group of Institution, Noida; Indian Institute of Space Science and Technology, Thiruvananthapuram; IIT-Roorkee; Shri Vishnu Engineering College for Women, Bhimavaram and IIT-Madras.