Want to be a cyborg? Here are 5 steps you can take

We've put together a list to introduce you to some of the most interesting products that can help you upgrade yourself from head to toe.

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[Amal Graafstra is] making an NFC, or near-field communication, tag called a <u>VivoKey</u> Mini that can be implanted in your hand and will act as a secure token to help you do things like prove your identity when you log in to your online bank account.

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[Dana] Lewis, who has type 1 diabetes, founded <u>OpenAPS</u> (also known as the Open Artificial Pancreas System), which helps people like her use an existing diabetes pump and continuous glucose monitor to automatically deliver insulin as their blood-sugar level changes.

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AlterEgo, a <u>research project</u> created by [Arnav] Kapur, a grad student at MIT's Media Lab, is a prototype of a gadget that sits on your face and lets you communicate silently with objects and other people.

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[Tim] Swift runs <u>Roam Robotics</u>, a startup that wants to make inflatable robotic exoskeletons to help people with all kinds of physical activities.

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[David] Cannington is the cofounder of <u>Nuheara</u>, a startup whose wireless earbuds let you amplify some sounds (such as voices) and quiet others. The devices are meant for people who don't need a hearing aid but have trouble hearing in noisy environments.

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