



Digital Health & Care Innovation Centre

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Hello ,

Welcome to the latest edition of our Digital Health & Care Innovation Centre e-newsletter.

We hope you had a fantastic Easter!

Now, let's pause for a moment to catch up on the latest news and events from across the sector.

In this edition, look out for:

- The Digital Lifelines Project making headlines
- Success for the Moray Health Data Project
- NHS funding applications currently accepting submissions

Enjoy your read!

In your news



**Digital Lifelines
Scotland**

A progressive new approach to Scotland's 'unacceptable' drug death rates

The Digital Health & Care Innovation Centre has worked closely with our partners and PR agency, Story Shop, to craft a media package that showcased the vision and impact of the Digital Lifelines Scotland project.

This project is a pioneering and progressive digital inclusion programme aimed at reducing 'unacceptable' levels of drug-related harm and deaths across the nation.

The journey of Digital Lifelines has captured the attention of media outlets, each shedding light on the project's innovative approach and the tangible benefits it brings to Scotland's at-risk communities.

[Browse the media coverage](#)

Latest Funding Opportunities

Check out the latest digital health and care funding opportunities from across the sector.

[View the latest funding opportunities](#)

Funded PhD Opportunity Supported by DHI

Explore a fully funded PhD in digital sleep interventions at the University of Strathclyde within the Department of Psychological Sciences and Health.

[Learn more and apply.](#)

RAP MSc Funding Applications Now Open

NHS Education for Scotland (NES) is funding 10 Scottish rural nurses and AHP practitioners in remote, rural and island areas for the RAP MSc programme by UHI.

[Apply Today](#)

Holly Health Digital Health Tool Reduces GP Visits

This article highlights how Primary Care Networks are using the Holly Health digital health and well-being coaching tool to support their patients.

[Read the article](#)



Moray Health Data Project Wins Prestigious ITEC 2024 Award

We are delighted to announce one of our innovative DHI Moray Rural Centre of Excellence's living lab projects, a collaboration with, Archangel[®] and Mydex CIC, has recently been awarded the distinguished Up-and-Coming TEC Innovation Award at this year's ITEC Awards.

This award reflects the project's profound commitment to enhancing healthcare through an innovative holistic, integrated, and person-centred approach. Recognition from the TSA – the voice of technology-enabled care – highlights the significant impact and innovation brought by the project.

[Learn more](#)

South-East Scotland NHS Innovation Course

Registration now open for the innovation intrapreneur course. Learn how you can contribute and inspire others to ensure the long-term sustainability of the NHS.

[Discover more](#)

NES Digital Mindset Session for Board Members

An online session designed to support board-level leaders adopt a digital mindset and see possibilities to transform services through technology as an enabler.

[Learn more & register](#)

Wellcome Early-Career Awards

This scheme provides funding for early-career researchers from any discipline related to human life, health and wellbeing.

[Discover more](#)

Essentials of Digital Health Online Course

This online certificate course is a self-paced programme that is entirely online & endorsed by ECH Alliance and taught by global leaders of digital health.

[Enrol now](#)

#DIGI INVENTORS CHALLENGE

Primary School Edition

CELEBRATING PRIMARY SCHOOL INNOVATORS



#DigiInventors Challenge 2024: Primary School Winners

Primary school pupils across Scotland showcased their innovative digital solutions for Health and Care Challenges in this year's #DigiInventors challenge. These young innovators have shown that age is certainly no barrier to innovation and social impact!

This year we saw an overwhelming response, with 103 submissions from schools across Scotland, marking a significant 54% increase from the previous year. Discover the champions of this year's challenge below!

[Read the article](#)

Webinar: Patient-Centered Care

Upcoming webinar 'Patient-centred care: derisking the approach by learning from industry' with speaker Simon Eccles VP & Chief Health Officer at Salesforce.

[Register to attend](#)

Diamond Jubilee: Town & Gown Lecture Series

The first speaker in the series is Professor Dame Anne Glover who will engage audiences with a compelling discussion on 'Inventing the Future'.

[Register to attend](#)

More Years, Better Lives - Call for research proposals

This call aims to address how new forms of technological development and digitisation have the potential to be transformative and mitigate labour shortages.

[Discover more](#)

EU Parliament approves Artificial Intelligence Act

The EU Parliament has approved an Artificial Intelligence Act that ensures safety and compliance with fundamental rights while boosting innovation.

[Read the article](#)

Upcoming Events

16 April: [FUTURESCOT Health & Care Transformation 2024](#), TIC, Glasgow

22 April: [Edinburgh Mental Health Annual Conference 2024](#), John McIntyre Conference Centre, University of Edinburgh

22-24 April: [24th International Conference on Integrated Care](#), Belfast, Northern Ireland

02 May: [ScotlandIS Digital Technology Awards 2024](#), Radisson Blu Hotel Glasgow

13-17 May: [Glasgow Tech Week](#), Glasgow City Region

13-19 May: [European Mental Health Week](#)

16 May: [Glasgow Tech Fest 2024](#), Glasgow City Region

21-23 May: [Radical Health Festival Helsinki 2024](#), Helsinki, Finland

23 May: [MDMC Annual Conference](#), Glasgow University Union

17-20 June: [HLTH Europe 2024](#) - RAI Convention Centre, Amsterdam

25-26 September: [Medical Technology Ireland](#), Galway Racecourse

26 September: [ScotSoft 2024](#), Edinburgh International Conference Centre

22-23 October: [Digital Health AI + Data Event](#), Olympia London

26 November: [FUTURESCOT DigitalScotland Summit 2024](#), Edinburgh International Conference Centre

03-04 December: [EHTEL 25th Anniversary Symposium](#), Brussels, Belgium

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