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Hello,

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

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:

- Digital Lifelines Scotland Annual Conference 2024
- Futurescot AI Challenge
- Digital Futures in Health and Social Care Course

Happy reading!

In your news



Digital Lifelines Scotland Annual Conference

Join us for The Digital Lifelines Scotland Third Annual Conference for a day of networking, celebrating, and looking to the future of how digital can help reduce drugrelated harm in Scotland, held in person on Tuesday 10th September at The Surgeons Quarter in Edinburgh.

Reserve a ticket today to join Christina McKelvie, Minister for Drug and Alcohol Policy, and other keynote speakers celebrating the achievements of the programme so far and looking to the future of how digital can help reduce drug-related harms in Scotland.

Register to attend

Useful sources of health and social care information

The Scottish Parliament has released data resources to help people find information on health services, advice, medicine, and social care in Scotland.

Access resource

Participate in the ONCODIR Survey

This survey aims to gather insights into identifying key behavioural barriers impacting health-related quality of life.

Share your thoughts

Enter the Futurescot AI Challenge

This challenge is open to all public sector bodies in Scotland, aiming to solve problems and enhance services through the use of Artificial Intelligence.

Learn more & apply



Santander X Global Challenge | Innovation in Healthcare

This innovation challenge is aimed at startups and scaleups from 11 countries, including the UK, USA, and Germany, with a focus on innovative solutions in healthcare. This competition seeks innovative solutions in three key areas: technology and automation to enhance healthcare efficiency, operational efficiency for strategic decision-making, and patient care.

Six winners will receive a share of €120,000 and gain membership in the SantanderX100 community, offering resources such as advice, training, capital, and access to customers and talent. Applications are open until 11 July.

Latest Funding Opportunities

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

View the latest funding opportunities

West of Scotland Innovation Centres Plan Advances

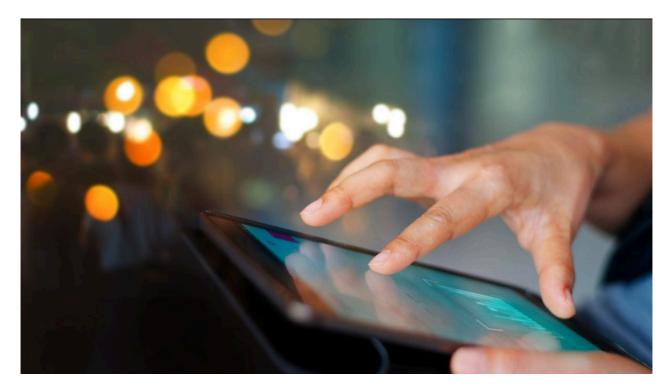
Plans for six innovation centres located in colleges in Glasgow and the west of Scotland took their 'critical' first step as the founding partners met.

Read the article

Insights from the DHI and NES Workshop

Delve into insights from the DHI and NES Exploratory on XR technologies for mental health education and training and find out more on the planned next steps.

Read the blog



Help Us Shape Our New Website

As part of the next evolution of the DHI brand, we are launching a new version of our website this autumn. We invite our network to participate in stakeholder testing to help shape the final version of the website before its launch.

Testing will occur between July 16 and 23, during which you will receive a private link to the site, along with a few questions and a feedback form. Your feedback will directly influence the final touches, ensuring we deliver the best possible user experience!

Sign up

ECHAlliance 6th Digital Health Society Summit

This 2-Day Virtual Summit will look into the challenges healthcare systems face to take advantage of digital technologies and the benefits they could deliver.

Learn more & register to attend

Join a Study on Response Services

Digital Telecare for the Scottish Government seeks Telecare Service Providers to help gather information on reducing ambulance callouts for falls.

<u>Get in Contact</u>

Digital Futures in Health and Social Care Course

This UHI Perth course is aimed at anyone who wants to learn about the changing nature of health alongside the use of digital technology.

Learn more & apply



DHI Masters Seminar and Scholarship places

On May 31st, 2024, the DHI hosted its annual seminar for funded master's students, highlighting digital health and care postgraduate education in Scotland. The event showcased work from 14 students from universities such as Aberdeen, St Andrews, and Strathclyde, covering topics in data science, digital health systems, health psychology, and exercise science. This event facilitated interdisciplinary discussions among attendees.

DHI is offering new Master's scholarships for the 2024-25 academic year with extended application deadlines:

- for students starting in September 2024, the deadline is the 16th of August

- for students starting in January 2025, the deadline is the 15th of November

Learn more & apply

PDA Technology Enabled Care Course (SCQF level 7)

This UHI Perth course would be of interest to those who are new to technologyenabled care as well as those who have experience within the field.

Learn more & apply

Wellcome Early-Career Awards

This scheme supports early-career researchers across disciplines to develop their research identity through innovative projects on human life, health & well-being.

Learn more & apply

Upcoming Events

10 July: NES What Digital Leaders Need to Know, Online webinar

10 September: <u>Digital Lifelines Scotland Annual Conference</u>, Surgeons Quarter Edinburgh

22-24 September: <u>The ECHAlliance Global Health Connector Partner</u> <u>Program</u>, New York & Virtually **25-26 September**: <u>Medical Technology Ireland</u>, Galway Racecourse

26 September: <u>ScotSoft 2024</u>, Edinburgh International Conference Centre

8 October: <u>Digital Justice & Policing 2024</u>, University of Strathclyde Technology & Innovation Centre, Glasgow

15-17 October: <u>North American Conference on Integrated Care 2024</u>, Calgary Canada

22-23 October: <u>Digital Health AI + Data Event</u>, Olympia London

31 October: <u>Digital Glasgow 2024</u>, University of Strathclyde Technology & Innovation Centre, Glasgow

5-6 November: ECHAlliance Digital Health Society Summit, Virtual

26 November: <u>FUTURESCOT DigitalScotland Summit 2024</u>, Edinburgh International Conference Centre

03-04 December: EHTEL 25th Anniversary Symposium, Brussels, Belgium

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