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Top news

Funding for eHealth projects in the new Horizon 2020 Work Programme 2016-2017

The new Horizon 2020 Work Programme covering 2016 and 2017 has been published. Have a look at the upcoming funding opportunities for research and innovation projects in the field of ICT for health and wellbeing.

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Call for Expression of Interest: establishing a working group on mHealth assessment guidelines

The European Commission has launched a call for expression of interest to appoint organisations as members of a working group on mHealth assessment guidelines. The mandate of the group is to develop guidelines for assessing the validity and reliability of the data that health apps collect and process.

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Policy

'From Citizen to Citoyen' and other sessions at European Health Forum Gastein 2015

At the high-level summit 'European Health Forum Gastein' (30/9-2/10/2015) the eHealth topic was placed prominently on the agenda. How can citizens become 'citoyens' for example? And how can doctors become confident in using mHealth apps?

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Research & Innovation

From lab to market, see what happens after the projects end

At the ICT 2015 event in Lisbon you could see some of the most promising results of the EU funded ICT research and innovation projects. But what happens once the project is completed and the funding stops? Have you ever wondered if you could buy or use the results of such projects? The answer is yes!

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Artificial pancreas: big improvements made

The AP@Home project has come to an end (EU-contribution: 10,5 million euros). We interviewed project coordinator Lutz Heinemann about the project's work developing an artificial pancreas, a technical cure for diabetes patients.

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European Commission signs agreement to take Human Brain Project into next phase

The Commission has just signed a partnership agreement with the Human Brain Project, a key EU research project aiming to better understand how the human brain works.

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Better care for dementia and early diagnosis through innovative tech

The EU-funded "Virtual Physiological Human: DementiA Research Enabled by IT" (VPH-DARE@IT) project aims to improve our understanding of dementia onset and progression by integrating the knowledge and data of researchers, clinicians, patients and citizens. You can even check yourself if you are at risk of getting dementia through one of their platforms.

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Am I at risk of diabetes? The MOSAIC project will tell

Thanks to multiple databases from different European countries and existing empirical models, MOSAIC tries to improve the way Type 2 Diabetes Mellitus (T2DM) is diagnosed and managed in Europe. In particular, the project focuses on the prediction of risks of developing this disease and associated complications.

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PATHway: Better quality of life of people with cardiovascular disease

The EU-funded PATHway project has the potential to create real, positive benefits for the quality of life of people with cardiovascular disease and will be exhibited at ICT 2015.

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FUSIMO: Advanced technology for non-invasive cancer treatment

Imagine removing a tumour without a scalpel. This is possible thanks to a certain type of ultrasound: strong, concentrated ultrasonic waves are directed at the patient's body in such a way that they heat up and kill individual cancer cells. Computer support is of the utmost importance.

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ALFRED – Beat back pain with a game

The ALFRED system comes with a game for people with lower back pain. It is a real serious game to help people reduce pain in their lower back, which is a common disorder.

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Calls

Benchmarking deployment of eHealth among general practitioners

Can you measure the use of ICT and eHealth applications by primary care physicians in the European Union, plus Norway, Iceland and Turkey? Apply before 1 December 2015.

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Events

11 December 2015 *- Karel Van Miert Auditorium, Place Madou, 1, 1210 - Saint-Josse-Ten-Noode, Brussels, Belgium*

Information and Stakeholders' Day on Smart Wearables

At this event challenges and opportunities of the smart wearables sector will be discussed, as well as the launch of the 2016 call on the Internet of Things. Anyone interested in the event is encouraged to register as soon as possible.

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