



Personalised healthcare playbook for health advocates

Your guide to education and action towards
personalised healthcare





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Foreword

Personalised healthcare is more than just a buzzword of the moment.

It is an approach that has the potential to **radically improve outcomes for people affected by health conditions and their communities**, whilst benefiting **healthcare systems and societies** around the world.

People affected by health conditions, healthcare practitioners, regulators, policy makers and the population at large are still discovering the potential **paradigm shift** that personalised healthcare represents, and with new areas continuously emerging, personalised healthcare interventions are already **pushing beyond the limits** of some healthcare ecosystems.

As the landscape of healthcare shifts and evolves, never has it been more important to **understand, educate and advocate for personalised healthcare**, with the aim of improving individual outcomes and achieving effective and sustainable healthcare for all within the community.



“Personalised healthcare involves the tailoring of care to an individual’s unique health needs and preferences”

Continuous glucose monitoring technology helps people living with diabetes to self-manage the condition²

Progress in non-small cell lung cancer and biomarker research has led to a dramatic shift in how lung cancer is treated³



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 - Enabling expert health advocates to participate in co-creating new clinical trials
 - Putting key performance indicators in place to track quality of care and outcomes for people affected by health conditions

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- **Read more about...**
 - Integrating views of people affected by health conditions into standards and policies for data privacy and sharing
 - Integrating views of people affected by health conditions into legal and ethical frameworks on digital health
 - Helping to define and design electronic health registries, real world data and artificial intelligence
 - Increasing understanding and use of mobile health devices and electronic monitoring to improve self-management of care



About this playbook

This playbook is intended to help health advocates and people affected by health conditions identify action areas under the following core topics to improve understanding of, and access to, personalised healthcare options for your community:



**Personalised
Healthcare
Literacy Building
& Empowerment**



**Ecosystem
Development &
Policy**



**Data &
Digitalisation
of Healthcare**

It is designed as a resource you can personalise to your needs for building literacy, supporting education and engaging in advocacy in personalised healthcare.

The playbook is a living repository of best practice examples, guidance and tools, through which health advocates can navigate, identifying the topics or action areas they feel are most important. Most examples and resources included are not specific to one health condition, however some condition-specific examples have been included as best practice case studies and will be expanded over time.

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How does this playbook work?

Choose a topic

Identify action area

Review and utilise resources

Select a topic to begin

- Personalised Healthcare Literacy Building & Empowerment**
Increasing understanding of what personalised healthcare is and the benefits for people affected by health conditions. Empowering health advocates to work towards personalised healthcare solutions
- Ecosystem Development & Policy**
Embedding views of people affected by health conditions in clinical research, care delivery plans and regulatory/health policy frameworks
- Data & Digitalisation of Healthcare**
Improving collaborations with health advocates in developing legislation, standards and guidance for health data and digital solutions to personalise health

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Personalised Healthcare Literacy Building & Empowerment

DESIRED OUTCOME	ACTION AREAS: READ MORE ABOUT...	IMPLEMENTATION ACTIVITIES
Communities have a deep understanding of personalised healthcare and are engaged in regular dialogue with key stakeholders that leads to action towards personalised healthcare	...increasing general understanding of personalised healthcare, its key components and benefits in my community	GUIDANCE AND TOOLS: 1 2 BEST PRACTICE EXAMPLES: 1 2
	...increasing understanding of specific personalised healthcare topics (e.g. prevention, health data, etc.) in my community	GUIDANCE AND TOOLS: 1 BEST PRACTICE EXAMPLES: 1
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Personalised Healthcare Literacy Building & Empowerment
Increasing general understanding of personalised healthcare

Implementation activity

- 1 Launching awareness and educational personalised healthcare campaigns describing how personalised healthcare changes care for people affected by health conditions, and emphasising its benefits
- 2

Who benefits?

- People affected by health conditions
- Health advocates

GUIDANCE AND TOOLS

Find out...

- What personalised healthcare is and how to talk to people affected by health conditions about it
Infographic (Personalised Healthcare Toolkit)
Infographic outlining what personalised healthcare is and what it means for people affected by health conditions
- Frequently Asked Questions (Personalised Healthcare Toolkit)
Frequently asked questions about topics in personalised healthcare, for people affected by health conditions
- Glossary (Personalised Healthcare Toolkit)
Glossary of terms frequently used in conversations about personalised healthcare
- How to communicate the benefits of personalised healthcare with people affected by health conditions
Presentation deck (Personalised Healthcare Toolkit)
Editable slide deck covering the value of personalised healthcare for people affected by health conditions
- Factsheet (Personalised Healthcare Toolkit)
Factsheet outlining the benefits of personalised healthcare towards individual care and wider societal value
- And the above tools!

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- If you are new to the playbook, read **pages 7 and 8** for background on the topics
- On page 9 you will see **three topics** displayed, **within which health advocates can take action** for personalised healthcare
- **Choose a topic to begin**

- **Use the ‘Read more about...’ descriptions** and choose the one that best **describes your current need or interest**
- For each description, there are 1-4 example implementation activities that you can carry out

- **Click on each implementation activity** to reveal guidance and tools, and best practice examples you can use to improve understanding of, and access to, personalised healthcare options for that topic
- Click on the links to access supporting **tools and resources**



Personalised healthcare is constantly evolving with a growing community benefitting from, engaging in and advocating towards it

There are 50 unique elements* needed to achieve personalised healthcare across different countries and health systems, as identified by a panel of experts. These elements form 17 Building Blocks, which span four core categories:

**Find out more about how these elements were identified at the [FutureProofing healthcare website](#). It includes analysis of >80 healthcare plans, interviews and validation by industry, healthcare practitioners and health advocates.*





Three topics were identified as the most actionable for health advocates and people affected by health conditions

Personalised Healthcare Building Blocks Framework

PLANNING AND ENABLERS	HEALTH INFORMATION AND IT INFRASTRUCTURE	HEALTH SERVICES	HEALTH PRODUCTS
1 STRATEGY AND INVESTMENT Vision + Leadership + Funding AND AMBITION/STRATEGY COMMUNICATION	6 DATA LEGISLATION, GUIDANCE AND STANDARDS LEGAL AND ETHICAL FRAMEWORKS FOR DATA DATA ETHICS GOVERNANCE AND PROCESS FOR ACCESS	9 PUBLIC HEALTH AND PREVENTION PREVENTION AND HEALTH PROMOTION POPULATION HEALTH MANAGEMENT	13 REGULATORY, POLICY AND GUIDANCE LEGAL AND ETHICAL FRAMEWORKS FOR DIGITAL AND GENETIC DATA LEGAL AND ETHICAL FRAMEWORKS FOR DIGITAL HEALTH
2 PATIENT AWARENESS AND EMPOWERMENT HEALTH LITERACY EDUCATION AND HEALTH ON PERSONALISED HEALTHCARE	7 IT INFRASTRUCTURE SECURE SOFTWARE + IT ARCHITECTURE AND CAPACITY MONITORING OF DATA IT AND PROCESSES	10 PERSONALISED HEALTH INFRASTRUCTURE ADVANCED CAPABILITIES + HEALTH SERVICES PERSONAL DECISION HEALTH INTEGRATION OF NEW TECHNOLOGIES FOR HEALTH	14 RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT AND CLINICAL TRIAL MODELS SUPPORT FOR RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT DIGITAL, PHARMACOLOGIC TRIALS NEW CLINICAL TRIAL MODELS
3 WORKFORCE PERSONALISED HEALTHCARE SERVICES EDUCATION AND HEALTH ON PERSONALISED HEALTHCARE CAPACITY PLANNING	8 DATA SOURCES AND SOFTWARE REGISTERED AND SPECIALTIES DATA PERFORMERS REGULATORY FRAMEWORKS INTEGRATION OF NEW TECHNOLOGIES FOR DATA	11 PATIENT-CENTRIC CARE MODELS PATIENT-CENTRIC HEALTH AFFINITY STRUCTURE FOCUS ON ACCESS TO HEALTHCARE PROVIDER COORDINATION MEMBERSHIP OF HEALTH AND CARE	15 REGULATORY FRAMEWORKS EVOLVING REGULATORY FRAMEWORKS GROWING DATA SOURCES INTEGRATED REGULATORY FRAMEWORKS
4 COLLABORATION INTEGRATED NETWORKS + PARTNERSHIP MULTI-LEVELS RESEARCH FOR HEALTH SERVICES HEALTH SYSTEMS PARTNERSHIPS		12 INTEGRATED CARE COORDINATION INTEGRATED CARE COORDINATION PERSONALISED HEALTHCARE PROVIDER TO HEALTHCARE PROVIDER COORDINATION	16 SOCIAL, BEHAVIOURAL AND POLICY FRAMEWORKS BEHAVIOURAL HEALTHCARE TECHNOLOGY ASSESSMENT AND POLICY RECOMMENDATION PERSONALISED HEALTHCARE TECHNOLOGY ASSESSMENT AND PRICING AND GOVERNANCE FRAMEWORKS
5 SYSTEM INCENTIVES INCENTIVES FOR PATIENT PARTICIPATION INCENTIVES FOR VALUE-BASED CARE INCENTIVES FOR DATA + RESEARCH AND INNOVATION			17 INNOVATIVE PATIENT MODELS MONITORING OF PATIENT AND MODELS CUSTOMER MANAGEMENT APPROACHES INTEGRATED RECOMMENDATION APPROACHES

Find out more about how these core topics were identified on the [Personalised Healthcare Community Hub](#)

Based on the elements that make up personalised healthcare, three core topics spanning multiple Building Blocks have been identified in which health advocates can take action

Personalised Healthcare Literacy Building & Empowerment

Increasing understanding of what personalised healthcare is and the benefits for people affected by health conditions. Empowering health advocates to work towards personalised healthcare solutions

Ecosystem Development & Policy

Embedding the views of people affected by health conditions in clinical research, care delivery plans, regulatory and public health policy frameworks, as well as pricing/reimbursement/access pathways for personalised healthcare

Data & Digitalisation of Healthcare

Improving collaborations with health advocates in developing legislation, standards and guidance for health data and digital solutions to personalise health



Select a topic to begin



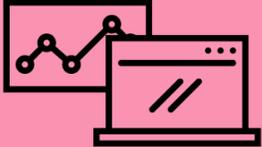
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Increasing understanding of what personalised healthcare is and the benefits for people affected by health conditions. Empowering health advocates to work towards personalised healthcare solutions



Ecosystem Development & Policy

Embedding views of people affected by health conditions in clinical research, care delivery plans and regulatory/health policy frameworks



Data & Digitalisation of Healthcare

Improving collaborations with health advocates in developing legislation, standards and guidance for health data and digital solutions to personalise health

Personalised Healthcare Literacy Building & Empowerment



Personalised Healthcare Literacy Building & Empowerment

Ecosystem Development & Policy

Data & Digitalisation of Healthcare

DESIRED OUTCOME

Communities have a deep understanding of personalised healthcare and are engaged in regular dialogue with key stakeholders that leads to action towards personalised healthcare

ACTION AREAS: READ MORE ABOUT...

- ...increasing general understanding of personalised healthcare, its key components and benefits in my community
- ...increasing understanding of specific personalised healthcare topics (e.g. prevention, health data, etc.) in my community
- ...improving dialogues between healthcare providers, people affected by health conditions and others to enable shared decision-making
- ...empowering communities to act as key stakeholders in developing personalised healthcare-enabled health systems

IMPLEMENTATION ACTIVITIES

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Increasing general understanding of personalised healthcare



Implementation activity



1 Launching awareness and educational personalised healthcare campaigns describing how personalised healthcare changes care for people affected by health conditions, and emphasizing its benefits

2

Who benefits?

- People affected by health conditions
- Health advocates

GUIDANCE AND TOOLS

BEST PRACTICE EXAMPLES

Find out...

- **What personalised healthcare is and how to talk to people affected by health conditions about it**
 - **Infographic** ([Personalised Healthcare Toolkit for the Patient Community](#))
Infographic outlining what personalised healthcare is and what it means for people affected by health conditions
 - **Frequently Asked Questions** ([Personalised Healthcare Toolkit for the Patient Community](#))
Frequently asked questions about topics in personalised healthcare, for people affected by health conditions
 - **Glossary** ([Personalised Healthcare Toolkit for the Patient Community](#))
Glossary of terms frequently used in conversations about personalised healthcare
- **How to communicate the benefits of personalised healthcare with people affected by health conditions**
 - **Presentation deck** ([Personalised Healthcare Toolkit for the Patient Community](#))
Editable slide deck covering the value of personalised healthcare for people affected by health conditions
 - **Factsheet** ([Personalised Healthcare Toolkit for the Patient Community](#))
Factsheet outlining the benefits of personalised healthcare towards individual care and wider societal value
 - **And the above tools!**





Increasing general understanding of personalised healthcare



Implementation activity

- 1 **Launching awareness and educational personalised healthcare campaigns describing how personalised healthcare changes care for people affected by health conditions, and emphasising its benefits**
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GUIDANCE AND TOOLS

BEST PRACTICE EXAMPLES

Read...

- **Examples of how personalised healthcare has changed care for people affected by health conditions**
 - **Personal stories** (*Pharmaphorum*)
Unique perspectives of personalised medicine in practice from people affected by health conditions
 - **Blog** (*Personalized Medicine Coalition*)
A perspective on accelerating personalisation of cancer treatment from someone personally affected by the condition

Who benefits?

- People affected by health conditions
- Health advocates





Increasing general understanding of personalised healthcare



Implementation activity

1
2

Embedding personalised healthcare information in awareness campaigns on prevention and health promotion, especially during world awareness days

Who benefits?

- People affected by health conditions
- Population at large

GUIDANCE AND TOOLS

BEST PRACTICE EXAMPLES

Find out...

- **Visual assets that communicate personalised healthcare topics for my campaign**
 - [Infographic \(Personalised Healthcare Toolkit for the Patient Community\)](#)
Infographic outlining what personalised healthcare is and what it means for people affected by health conditions
- **Editable slide content to communicate the value of personalised healthcare**
 - [Presentation deck \(Personalised Healthcare Toolkit for the Patient Community\)](#)
Editable slide deck covering the value of personalised healthcare for people affected by health conditions
- **Website-ready resources to communicate about personalised healthcare with my community**
 - [Factsheet \(Personalised Healthcare Toolkit for the Patient Community\)](#)
Factsheet outlining the benefits of personalised healthcare towards individual care and wider societal value
 - [Frequently Asked Questions \(Personalised Healthcare Toolkit for the Patient Community\)](#)
Frequently asked questions for people affected by health conditions about topics in personalised healthcare
 - **And the above tools!**
- **General guidance for writing content for people with health conditions**
 - [Webinar \(Workgroup of European Cancer Patient Advocacy Networks\)](#)
How to develop good content and materials for people affected by health conditions - print, online and video





Increasing general understanding of personalised healthcare



Implementation activity

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- 2

Embedding personalised healthcare information in awareness campaigns on prevention and health promotion, especially during world awareness days

Who benefits?

- People affected by health conditions
- Population at large

GUIDANCE AND TOOLS

BEST PRACTICE EXAMPLES

Read...

- **Examples of successful campaigns that share disease-specific personalised healthcare information**
 - **Campaign (ECPC)**
Personalised Medicine Awareness Month: Cracking the Cancer Code
 - **Campaign (ECPC)**
Molecular Testing & Personalised Medicine
 - **Campaign (LUNGEVITY)**
Biomarker testing awareness campaign: No One Missed
 - **Campaign (Colorectal Cancer Canada)**
Biomarker testing awareness campaign: Get Personal
 - **Campaign (LUNGEVITY)**
Inhale for Life





Increasing understanding of specific personalised healthcare topics

Implementation activity

1 Educating others and advocating for personalised healthcare-related topics, such as advanced diagnostics and data sharing/security

Who benefits?

- People affected by health conditions
- Health advocates

GUIDANCE AND TOOLS

BEST PRACTICE EXAMPLES

Find out...

- **More information on biomarkers and molecular diagnostics**
 - **Background information – molecular diagnostics** (Personalized Medicine Coalition)
Introduction to molecular diagnostics and its role in personalised healthcare
 - **Background information - biomarkers** (Personalised Medicine Coalition)
Introduction to types of biomarkers – predisposition, diagnostic, prognostic and predictive
 - **Infographic – molecular diagnostics** (European Cancer Patient Coalition)
Educating and empowering people affected by health conditions regarding the potential and availability of molecular testing
 - **Infographic - biomarkers** (European Alliance for Personalised Medicine)
Education on biomarkers and awareness of their use across Europe
- **More information on genetic testing and associated considerations**
 - **Guide** (Personalised Medicine Coalition)
Consumer's Guide to Genetic Health Testing describes what genetic tests are, outlines the types of information the tests can provide, and explains what consumers should consider before ordering an at-home genetic test directly from a genetic testing company

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Guidance and tools continued...





Increasing understanding of specific personalised healthcare topics



Implementation activity

1 Educating others and advocating for personalised healthcare-related topics, such as advanced diagnostics and data sharing/security

Who benefits?

- People affected by health conditions
- Health advocates

GUIDANCE AND TOOLS

BEST PRACTICE EXAMPLES

Find out...

- **More information on the importance of data sharing, and address potential concerns around giving consent and data security**
 - **Background information** (University of Illinois)
Strategies for improving cybersecurity around data collection in healthcare
 - **Background information** (American Cancer Society)
Information on informed consent and data sharing for people affected by health conditions, including carers
 - **Videos** (Personalised Healthcare Toolkit for the Patient Community)
Videos from the International Experience Exchange with Patient Organisations (IEEPO) 'hot topics in personalised healthcare' series, involving health advocacy leaders discussing topics such as generating and managing data, building trust and confidence in it, using it to monitor health and make clinical decisions, the value of electronic health records and augmented intelligence and machine learning in digital health
 - **Background information** (Department of Health and Human Services USA)
Resource sheets containing information on health information rights, the benefits of electronic health records and how they are kept secure under United States federal legislation
 - **Background information** (European Patients Forum)
Guidance for patients and patient organisations on personal data protection in the European Union

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Increasing understanding of specific personalised healthcare topics



Implementation activity

1 Educating others and advocating for personalised healthcare-related topics, such as advanced diagnostics and data sharing/security

Who benefits?

- People affected by health conditions
- Health advocates

GUIDANCE AND TOOLS

BEST PRACTICE EXAMPLES

Read...

- **More information on the importance of digital health literacy in an increasingly digital world**
 - **Information sheet (EuroHealthNet)**
Guide describing latest developments within digital health literacy, with examples from member organisations and suggestions on how further progress could be made across Europe
- **Examples of successful materials that educate on specific personalised healthcare topics**
 - **Video (Leukaemia and Lymphoma society)**
Explains what personalised medicine is and how molecular profiling is being used to help healthcare professionals better understand a person's diagnosis
 - **Toolkit (International Alliance of Patients' Organizations)**
Explains what cell and gene therapy is, including benefits for patients, myths and facts, emerging issues and regulatory challenges
 - **Video (MS International Federation)**
Explains biomarkers and how artificial intelligence can predict disease progression and response to therapy
 - **MS treatment decision fact sheet (MS Ireland)**
Written resource speaks broadly about personalised healthcare with a focus on shared decision making. Highlights the importance of early identification and treatment and regular monitoring
 - **Patient Guide (ESMO)**
Guide providing an overview on governing principles of personalised healthcare, illustrating them through examples in several tumour types.

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Improving dialogues between healthcare providers, people affected by health conditions and others to enable shared decision-making



Implementation activity

- 1 Developing training modules and materials on communication between people affected by health conditions and healthcare providers to foster shared-decision making
- 2

Who benefits?

- People affected by health conditions
- Healthcare providers

GUIDANCE AND TOOLS

BEST PRACTICE EXAMPLES

Find out...

- **What shared decision-making is and how it can benefit people affected by health conditions**
 - **Background information** ([Patients Association UK](#))
Information and frequently asked questions on shared decision-making for people living with conditions and carers
 - **Information video** ([The Health Foundation](#))
Information about the implementation of a shared decision-making initiative within the UK health system
 - **Resource bank and tools** ([Less is More Medicine](#))
Shared decision-making sample conversations, handouts and videos
- **How to implement shared decision-making into clinical practice**
 - **White paper** ([The King's Fund](#))
Report on why shared decision-making is important, why it may not currently be the norm, and steps for implementing it within a health system
 - **White paper** ([The Health Foundation](#))
A review of evidence considering whether shared decision-making is worthwhile, including tools to support implementation
 - **Toolkits** ([Dartmouth-Hitchcock](#))
Guidelines and tools for integrating decision support into care
 - **Presentation** ([Sydney Medical School](#))
Educational resource detailing opportunities and barriers for shared decision-making between physicians and people affected by health conditions including guidance to embedding in clinical practice





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Who benefits?

- People affected by health conditions
- Healthcare providers

GUIDANCE AND TOOLS

BEST PRACTICE EXAMPLES

Read...

- Training programmes for people affected by health conditions, carers and staff on shared decision making
 - Training programme
Different ways of encouraging shared decision making and spreading learning across the health care community
- Supporting materials to facilitate conversations between healthcare providers and people affected by health conditions to support shared decision making/personalised healthcare
 - Consultation Guide (Association of European Cancer Leagues)
Guide for people affected by health conditions to help them communicate with healthcare providers
 - Checklist (United Kingdom National Health Service)
A checklist for people affected by health conditions, service users and carers to support shared decision making and collaborative care planning
 - Guide (Personalized Medicine Coalition)
Questions for people affected by health conditions to ask healthcare providers about personalised healthcare
 - Resource bank and tools (Less is More Medicine)
Shared decision-making sample conversations, handouts and videos
 - Medication decision aid (Autism Speaks)
Aid to comparing treatment options, including risks, benefits, personal values and questions to ask healthcare providers
 - MS treatment decision fact sheet (MS Ireland)
Written resource speaks broadly about personalised healthcare with a focus on shared decision making. Highlights the importance of early identification and treatment and regular monitoring

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Improving dialogues between healthcare providers, people affected by health conditions and others to enable shared decision making



Implementation activity

- 1 Developing training modules and materials on communication between people affected by health conditions and healthcare providers to foster shared decision making
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GUIDANCE AND TOOLS

BEST PRACTICE EXAMPLES

Read...

- Supporting materials to facilitate conversations between healthcare providers and people affected by health conditions to support shared decision-making/personalised healthcare
 - Medical terms simplifier ([European Medicines Agency](#))
Glossary containing plain-language descriptions of medical terms related to use of medicines

Who benefits?

- People affected by health conditions
- Healthcare providers





Improving dialogues between healthcare providers, people affected by health conditions and others to enable shared decision making



Implementation activity

- 1 Providing education and training to people affected by health conditions on the use of digital tools to enable personalised healthcare
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Who benefits?

- People affected by health conditions
- Healthcare providers

GUIDANCE AND TOOLS

BEST PRACTICE EXAMPLES

Find out...

- **More information on the benefits of digital health tools**
 - **Background information (U.S. Food and Drug Administration)**
Information covering the benefits of digital health solutions
 - **Background information (Forbes)**
General information about digital health, including examples of how it could benefit people affected by health conditions
 - **Report on the future of healthcare (Deloitte)**
Report looking towards the future of healthcare, analysing current trends and offering recommendations for how to evolve healthcare provision and person-centred care to arrive at a fully personalised future
 - **White paper (Digital Health Workforce Academy)**
Report covering the evolution of healthcare technology, why digital health matters, key stakeholders and the future direction of digital health





Implementation activity

- 1 Providing education and training to people affected by health conditions on the use of digital tools to enable personalised healthcare
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Read...

- **Examples of digestible ways to present the benefits of digitalisation**
 - [Infographic \(European Commission\)](#)
Harnessing the potential of data to empower citizens and build a healthier society
 - [Toolkit \(University of Plymouth\)](#)
Toolkit supporting health and social care practitioners in the remote assessment and management of people with movement impairment and physical disability

Who benefits?

- People affected by health conditions
- Healthcare providers





Empowering communities to act as key stakeholders in developing personalised healthcare-enabled health systems



Implementation activity

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Providing educational support materials and tools for healthcare leaders to become strong advocates for personalised healthcare

Who benefits?

- Health advocates

GUIDANCE AND TOOLS

BEST PRACTICE EXAMPLES

Find out...

- **The benefits of personalised healthcare for individuals and wider society**
 - **Presentation deck** (Personalised Healthcare Toolkit for the Patient Community)
Editable slide deck covering the value of personalised healthcare for people affected by health conditions
 - **Factsheet** (Personalised Healthcare Toolkit for the Patient Community)
Factsheet outlining the benefits of personalised healthcare towards individual care and wider societal value
 - **Frequently Asked Questions** (Personalised Healthcare Toolkit for the Patient Community)
Frequently asked questions for people affected by health conditions and carers about topics in personalised healthcare

- **About advocacy, including how to create evidence for advocacy impact**
 - **Background information** (European Centre for Disease Prevention and Control)
Short description of health advocacy
 - **Webinar** (Workgroup of European Cancer Patient Advocacy Networks)
An introduction to evidence-based advocacy, and how to create evidence for advocacy impact





Empowering communities to act as key stakeholders in developing personalised healthcare-enabled health systems



Implementation activity

- 1 Providing educational support materials and tools for healthcare leaders to become strong advocates for personalised healthcare
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Who benefits?

- Health advocates

GUIDANCE AND TOOLS

BEST PRACTICE EXAMPLES

Read...

- Examples of training in health advocacy
 - Webinar (Workgroup of European Cancer Patient Advocacy Networks)
Introduction to presentation skills for health advocates





Empowering communities to act as key stakeholders in developing personalised healthcare-enabled health systems



Implementation activity

- 1 Developing training material on how to map out, prepare for, and successfully engage with stakeholders (such as healthcare providers, policymakers and other health advocacy groups) to act as key partners in multi-stakeholder efforts to promote personalised healthcare
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Who benefits?

- Health advocates

GUIDANCE AND TOOLS

BEST PRACTICE EXAMPLES

Find out...

- How to understand and engage with a broad group of different stakeholders
 - **How-to guide** ([World Health Organization](#))
Guidelines for mapping and understanding relevant health reform stakeholders
 - **How-to guide** ([Association of Project Management](#))
10 key principles of general stakeholder engagement
 - **Webinar** ([Workgroup of European Cancer Patient Advocacy Networks, WECAN](#))
An introduction to the healthcare ecosystem and stakeholder management
 - **Background information** ([World Health Organization](#))
Information on the importance of engaging stakeholders in healthcare
 - **Background information** ([International Alliance of Patients' Organizations](#))
Toolkit outlining how patients organisations, both large and small, can work effectively with a range of partners and stakeholders





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Implementation activity

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Who benefits?

- Health advocates

GUIDANCE AND TOOLS

BEST PRACTICE EXAMPLES

Read...

- **Examples of training materials for health advocates and people affected by health conditions**
 - **Training resources** ([European Medicines Agency](#))
Training overviews and videos for health advocates and people affected by health conditions taking part in engagement activities with regulatory bodies, including involvement in scientific advisory groups
 - **Short guide** ([European Medicines Agency](#))
Two-pager guide to support participation in scientific advice procedures
- **Examples of engagement activities with wider health system stakeholders**
 - **Patient Engagement Opportunities** ([US Food and Drug Administration](#))
Collection of groups, sessions and projects that actively involve people affected by health conditions in medical product development, clinical trial design and drug evaluation and regulation





Empowering communities to act as key stakeholders in developing personalised healthcare-enabled health systems



Implementation activity

- 1 Developing guidance material and (peer-to-peer) trainings to support skills development of health advocates to provide input and/or
- 2 co-create health services and products
- 3
- 4

Who benefits?

- People affected by health conditions
- Health advocates
- Healthcare providers

GUIDANCE AND TOOLS

BEST PRACTICE EXAMPLES

Find out...

- **About the healthcare regulatory system and where communities can provide input**
 - **Webinar** ([Workgroup of European Cancer Patient Advocacy Networks](#))
An introduction to the healthcare regulatory system, including an overview of access pathways and why access to treatment, care and diagnostics can be an issue
 - **Webinar** ([Workgroup of European Cancer Patient Advocacy Networks](#))
An introduction to how therapy development works, the development lifecycle, endpoints, trial design and engaging people affected by health conditions in research





Personalised Healthcare Literacy Building & Empowerment

Empowering communities to act as key stakeholders in developing personalised healthcare-enabled health systems



Implementation activity

- 1
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Developing guidance material and (peer-to-peer) trainings to support skills development of health advocates to provide input and/or co-create health services and products

GUIDANCE AND TOOLS

BEST PRACTICE EXAMPLES

Read...

- **Examples of how people affected by health conditions can input and help to personalise healthcare systems**
 - Online framework & toolkit (Think Local Act Personal)
A framework to support improved personalised care and support for providers, commissioners and people who access services

Who benefits?

- People affected by health conditions
- Health advocates
- Healthcare providers





Empowering communities to act as key stakeholders in developing personalised healthcare-enabled health systems



Implementation activity

1 Collect, share and map best practices against specific topics of interest/priorities and disease areas

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Who benefits?

- Population at large
- People affected by health conditions
- Health advocates

GUIDANCE AND TOOLS

BEST PRACTICE EXAMPLES

Find out...

- About key topics for community involvement in personalised healthcare
 - **White paper** ([Personalized Medicine Coalition](#))
Report outlining the importance of a person-centred research agenda and identifying research topics to improve the delivery of personalised medicine in ways that are most meaningful to people living with conditions
 - **Webinar** ([Workgroup of European Cancer Patient Advocacy Networks](#))
An introduction to outcomes reported by people affected by health conditions, and other measures and endpoints relevant for them





Empowering communities to act as key stakeholders in developing personalised healthcare-enabled health systems



Implementation activity

1 Collect, share and map best practices against specific topics of interest/priorities and disease areas

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GUIDANCE AND TOOLS

BEST PRACTICE EXAMPLES

Read...

- A resource bank of best practices for engaging with people affected by health conditions
 - Book of good practices (Patient Focussed Medicine Development)
Practical tools to plan, assess and execute any community engagement initiative
 - Resource bank (Patient Engagement Synapse)
Discover the latest tools and resources for more meaningful engagement with people affected by health conditions

Who benefits?

- Population at large
- People affected by health conditions
- Health advocates





Personalised Healthcare Ecosystem Development & Policy

 **Personalised Healthcare Literacy Building & Empowerment**

 **Ecosystem Development & Policy**

 **Data & Digitalisation of Healthcare**

DESIRED OUTCOME	ACTION AREAS: READ MORE ABOUT...	IMPLEMENTATION ACTIVITIES
<p>People affected by health conditions can input into clinical research, care delivery plans and regulatory/health policy frameworks</p>	<p>...how to input into regulatory frameworks and pricing/reimbursement/access pathways for personalised healthcare</p>	<p>GUIDANCE AND TOOLS 1 2 3</p> <p>BEST PRACTICE EXAMPLES 1 2 3</p>
	<p>...strengthening shared decision making between people affected by health conditions and their doctors and/or healthcare team</p>	<p>GUIDANCE AND TOOLS 1 2</p> <p>BEST PRACTICE EXAMPLES 1 2</p>
	<p>...participating in the co-creation of guidelines, services and clinical trials which are inclusive of people affected by health conditions</p>	<p>GUIDANCE AND TOOLS 1 2</p> <p>BEST PRACTICE EXAMPLES 1 2</p>
	<p>...tracking quality of care and outcomes for people affected by health conditions</p>	<p>GUIDANCE AND TOOLS 1</p> <p>BEST PRACTICE EXAMPLES 1</p>



How to input into regulatory frameworks and pricing/reimbursement/access pathways for personalised healthcare



Implementation activity

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- 3

Developing a position paper and advocating to make access to, and funding of, personalised healthcare a priority for policy makers

Who benefits?

- Population at large
- People affected by health conditions
- Policy makers
- Regulators
- Payers

GUIDANCE AND TOOLS

BEST PRACTICE EXAMPLES

Find out...

- **How to expand and advance personalised healthcare-related policy**
 - **Strategic plan** ([Personalised Medicine Coalition](#))
A comprehensive overview of the Personalised Medicine Coalition's strategic plan and activities to advance personalised medicine policy
- **How to write position papers for health and education**
 - **Writing guide** ([Ontario Medical Students Association](#))
Templates and guidance on writing and submitting policy and position papers





How to input into regulatory frameworks and pricing/reimbursement/access pathways for personalised healthcare



Implementation activity

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- Regulators
- Payers

GUIDANCE AND TOOLS

BEST PRACTICE EXAMPLES

Read...

- **Examples of a campaign advocating for early access to personalised medicine and research and development**
 - **Campaign** ([European Alliance for Personalised Medicine](#))
The steps needed to build a system with people affected by health conditions placed centrally
 - **Personalised Health Index** ([Future Proofing Healthcare](#))
Whitepaper describing background, scope, and methodology of the Asia-Pacific Personalised Health Index as well as insights drawn from it and recommended areas for improvement
 - **Personalised Health Index** ([Future Proofing Healthcare](#))
Whitepaper describing background, scope, and methodology of the Ireland Personalised Health Index as well as insights drawn from it and recommended areas for improvement

- **Examples of a campaign advocating for policy change on molecular testing and personalised medicine**
 - **Campaign** ([European Cancer Patient Coalition](#))
Infographic, animation on biomarkers and event summary of campaign focusing on education, and the launch of the first Personalised Medicine Awareness Month





How to input into regulatory frameworks and pricing/reimbursement/access pathways for personalised healthcare



Implementation activity

- 1
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- 3

Setting up peer-to-peer exchanges and creating materials where people affected by health conditions can provide input

GUIDANCE AND TOOLS

BEST PRACTICE EXAMPLES

Find out...

- **How to facilitate peer-to-peer learning in the health sector**
 - **How-to Guide** (Effective Institutions Platform)
User-friendly guide with information on how to engage in and generate effective peer-to-peer support and learning

Who benefits?

- Health advocates
- Experts





How to input into regulatory frameworks and pricing/reimbursement/access pathways for personalised healthcare



Implementation activity

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Setting up peer-to-peer exchanges and creating materials where people affected by health conditions can provide input

GUIDANCE AND TOOLS

BEST PRACTICE EXAMPLES

Read...

- A resource bank of previous learnings and engagement in Health Technology Assessment (HTA) decision making
 - Resource bank (European Patients Forum)
 - Surveys of previous engagement of health organisations in HTA decision making including level and type of involvement and outcome

Who benefits?

- Health advocates
- Experts





How to input into regulatory frameworks and pricing/reimbursement/access pathways for personalised healthcare



Implementation activity

- 1 Providing input informed by those affected by conditions into regulatory/Health Technology Assessment (HTA) and pricing and reimbursement pathways
- 2
- 3

Who benefits?

- Policy makers
- Regulators
- Payers

GUIDANCE AND TOOLS

BEST PRACTICE EXAMPLES

Find out...

- **How to advocate for HTA processes incorporating input from those affected by conditions**
 - **Policy Briefing** ([International Alliance of Patient Organisations](#))
Key arguments on the value of input from those affected by conditions in HTA processes
 - **Position Paper** ([Workgroup of European Cancer Patient Advocacy Networks](#))
The advances of further EU integration of HTA, and considerations around meaningful input from people affected by conditions
- **How to provide input into HTA decision making**
 - **Webinar** ([European Patients' Academy](#))
Guidance on involvement in regulatory processes and the best approach for interaction with relevant authorities
 - **Toolkit** ([European Patients' Academy](#))
Areas for involvement in HTA decision-making and guidance on stages of input
 - **How-to guide** ([Treat-NMD Neuromuscular Network](#))
Guidance on how to set up a registry to collect information from people affected by conditions that can inform input in to HTA processes
 - **Whitepaper** ([Consumers Health Forum of Australia](#))
Guidance and recommendations on the role of consumers and consumer advocacy in transforming healthcare ecosystems





How to input into regulatory frameworks and pricing/reimbursement/access pathways for personalised healthcare



Implementation activity

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- 3

Providing input informed by those affected by conditions into regulatory/Health Technology Assessment (HTA) and pricing and reimbursement pathways

Who benefits?

- Policy makers
- Regulators
- Payers

GUIDANCE AND TOOLS

BEST PRACTICE EXAMPLES

Read...

- **Examples of previous input in HTA decision making**
 - **Report (EUnetHTA)**
Details of input from people affected by health conditions into The European Network for Health Technology Assessment (EUnetHTA) Relative Effectiveness Assessments
 - **GetReal (Innovative Medicines Initiative)**
Examples of using robust new methods of real world evidence collection earlier in research and development and the healthcare decision-making process
 - **Patient Values Project (Colorectal Cancer Canada)**
Project to define values of people affected by health conditions and measure and assign a weight to these values in cancer drug treatment to ensure their voices are heard in the evaluation of cancer care and the reimbursement of cancer drugs by public agencies.





Strengthening shared decision making between people affected by health conditions and their doctors and/or healthcare team



Implementation activity

- 1 **Advocating for embedding the needs and expectations of people affected by health conditions into integrated care**
- 2

GUIDANCE AND TOOLS

BEST PRACTICE EXAMPLES

Find out...

- **The value of providing integrated care across the health care system**
 - **Toolkit (UK Local Government Association)**
Toolkit containing evidence and the positive impact of different integrated care models on people with health conditions, as well as the associated impact on activity and cost to different parts of the health and care system
 - **Resource bank (The British Medical Journal)**
Podcasts, reports and papers on the benefits of care centred on the individual and disease specific case-studies

Who benefits?

- People affected by health conditions
- Health advocates
- Healthcare professionals





Strengthening shared decision making between people affected by health conditions and their doctors and/or healthcare team



Implementation activity

- 1
- 2

Advocating for embedding the needs and expectations of people affected by health conditions into integrated care

GUIDANCE AND TOOLS

BEST PRACTICE EXAMPLES

Read...

- **Case studies of personalised healthcare and support planning**
 - Case studies (*The British Medical Journal*)
Videos explaining the approach to support planning and care focused on the individual
- **An example position paper advocating for integrated care**
 - Consultation (European Patients Forum)
Input into the development of the European Union's Beating Cancer Plan detailing the importance of integrated care coordination and a multisectoral approach

Who benefits?

- People affected by health conditions
- Health advocates





Strengthening shared decision making between people affected by health conditions and their doctors and/or healthcare team



Implementation activity

- 1
- 2

Providing tools to facilitate conversations between those affected by a condition and their doctors/healthcare team regarding their care, treatment plan and self management

Who benefits?

- People affected by health conditions
- Healthcare professionals

GUIDANCE AND TOOLS

BEST PRACTICE EXAMPLES

Find out...

- Useful resources to help facilitate a conversation between people affected by health conditions and their doctors and/or healthcare team around shared decision making
 - **Resource bank** ([Less is More Medicine](#))
Shared decision-making sample conversations, handouts and videos
 - **Toolkits** ([Dartmouth](#))
Guidelines and tools for integrating decision support into care and online training resources
- A guide for shared decision making and how to achieve it
 - **Step-by-step guide** ([Asthma and Allergy Network](#))
Guide for shared decision making and its benefits for people living with asthma, including surveys on treatments for those affected by the condition





Strengthening shared decision making between people affected by health conditions and their doctors and/or healthcare team



Implementation activity

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GUIDANCE AND TOOLS

BEST PRACTICE EXAMPLES

Read...

- **A case study showcasing the benefits of shared decision making and how to achieve it**
 - **Step-by-step guide (Asthma and Allergy Network)**
Guide for shared decision making and its benefits for people living with asthma, including surveys on treatments for those affected by the condition
 - **MS treatment decision fact sheet (MS Ireland)**
Written resource speaks broadly about personalised healthcare with a focus on shared decision making. Highlights the importance of early identification and treatment and regular monitoring

Who benefits?

- People affected by health conditions
- Healthcare professionals





Participating in the co-creation of guidelines, services and clinical trials which are inclusive of people affected by health conditions



Implementation activity

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2

Develop training for advocates to enable them to bring their expertise into the guideline, service development and research setting

Who benefits?

- Health advocates
- Experts
- Researchers
- Policy makers

GUIDANCE AND TOOLS

BEST PRACTICE EXAMPLES

Find out...

- **How to build skills for advocacy in the research agenda**
 - Training Academy (Patients' Academy for Research Advocacy)
Opportunity for healthcare organisations to partner with the Patients' Academy for Research Advocacy to train advocates and help them engage in research as full partners with a unique ability to advance science and medicine
 - Open Academy (European Organisation for Rare Diseases)
Training to empower advocates to participate in discussions with researchers, policy makers and companies on research and development
- **How the perspectives of people affected by health conditions are taken into account in the design of clinical trials**
 - Toolkit (TransCelerate)
Comprehensive set of materials with a guide for engagement between people affected by conditions and stakeholders during clinical trial protocol development. The goal of this engagement is to improve experience and reduce burden for study participants





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Participating in the co-creation of guidelines, services and clinical trials which are inclusive of people affected by health conditions



Implementation activity

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[GUIDANCE AND TOOLS](#)

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Read...

- Research that can help advance personalised medicine
 - [Research Agenda \(Personalized Medicine Coalition\)](#)
A research agenda for advancing personalised medicine with 45 research questions across nine areas of special concern for people affected by a condition

Who benefits?

- Health advocates
- Experts
- Researchers
- Policy makers





Participating in the co-creation of guidelines, services and clinical trials which are inclusive of people affected by health conditions



Implementation activity

- 1 **Setting up peer-to-peer exchange to build capabilities and leverage learning from experienced PAGs, experts and other organisations on multi-stakeholder partnerships**
- 2

GUIDANCE AND TOOLS

BEST PRACTICE EXAMPLES

Find out...

- **How to facilitate peer-to-peer learning in the health sector**
 - **How-to Guide (Effective Institutions Platform)**
User-friendly guide with information on how to engage in and generate effective peer-to-peer support and learning
- **How to set up a platform for a peer-to-peer exchange**
 - **Webinar and Factsheet (European Organisation for Rare Diseases)**
Guidance on starting a Community Advisory Group to discuss the latest developments and challenges related to medical treatments under development

Who benefits?

- People affected by health conditions
- Health advocates
- Experts





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Implementation activity

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Who benefits?

- People affected by health conditions
- Health advocates
- Experts

GUIDANCE AND TOOLS

BEST PRACTICE EXAMPLES

Read...

- **Case studies and learnings from people affected by health conditions previously involved in research**
 - **Guide** (Innovative Medicines Initiative)
Interviews and guidance for the involvement of people affected by health conditions in research, including advice and examples of projects with strong involvement of people affected by health conditions
 - **Best practices** (BioMed Central)
Best practices in involving people affected by health conditions in an EU project, including key principles for success
 - **Research initiatives** (Crohn's & Colitis Foundation)
Initiatives to centralise and integrate biosamples and form network of experts. Includes community-powered research network and an online registry with more than 15,000 adults affected by IBD from across Australia
 - **OneNeurology** (European Federation of Neurological Associations and the European Academy of Neurology)
The OneNeurology initiative aims to unite and strengthen neurology-related groups to stimulate collaborative advocacy, action and accountability for the prevention, treatment and management of neurological disorders worldwide.
 - **Strengthening healthcare systems** (Movement Health 360)
Initiative addressing today's largest health challenges by developing new solutions and supporting innovative shifts in healthcare systems and services, helping to make them more sustainable and equitable on a global scale.
 - **COVID and MS** (MS International Federation)
Example of data sharing to help evidence-based decision making

JUMP TO PREVIOUS OR NEXT ACTION AREA





Tracking quality of care and outcomes for people affected by health conditions

Implementation activity

1 **Advocating for and providing input to define key performance indicators for personalised healthcare that matter to people affected by conditions incl. e.g. quality of life or reported outcomes to track and improve quality of care delivered**

GUIDANCE AND TOOLS

BEST PRACTICE EXAMPLES

Find out...

- **How to create a healthcare system focused on the people affected by a condition**
 - Paper (Cleveland Clinic)
Guidance on the steps needed to transform into a healthcare system focussed on individuals affected by a condition
- **How to create a registry incorporating key performance indicators that matter to those affected by a condition**
 - Registry (Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality)
User guide for incorporating perspectives from those affected by a condition in registries evaluating outcomes

Who benefits?

- People affected by health conditions
- Policy makers
- Regulators
- Payers
- Healthcare providers





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Implementation activity

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Who benefits?

- People affected by health conditions
- Policy makers
- Regulators
- Payers
- Healthcare providers

GUIDANCE AND TOOLS

BEST PRACTICE EXAMPLES

Read...

- **Examples of indicators and outcomes focused on the individuals affected by a condition**
 - **Review** (The British Medical Journal / International Alliance of Patients' Organizations)
Reviews of existing indicators and outcomes
 - **Webinar** (Workgroup of European Cancer Patient Advocacy Networks)
An introduction to outcomes reported by people affected by health conditions and other measures and endpoints relevant for people living with conditions
 - **Outcomes** (Rehabilitation MS)
Collection of patient-reported outcomes and clinical tests, including health-related quality of life scale
 - **Applying Evidence** (Rehabilitation MS)
A living documentation system aiming to translate scientific evidence about MS rehabilitation treatments to clinical practice to allow interpolation of real-time patient reported outcomes
- **How to evaluate current health systems and investigate if they are sustainable and personalised**
 - **Future Proofing Healthcare** (Roche)
Benchmarking health systems and harnessing expert opinions to make them resilient and personalised





Data & Digitalisation of Healthcare



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DESIRED OUTCOME

People affected by health conditions collaborate in setting:

- Frameworks for regulating digital healthcare
- Standards and guidance on data collection and best use of high-quality, accessible data sources
- Accessible digital solutions to personalise health

ACTION AREAS: READ MORE ABOUT...

...integrating the perspectives of people affected by health conditions into standards and policies regarding data privacy and sharing

...standardising legal and ethical frameworks on digital health once perspectives of people affected by health conditions have been integrated

...assimilating preferences of people affected by health conditions into design and definition of electronic health records, real world data and artificial intelligence

...empowering people affected by health conditions to actively use mobile health devices and electronic monitoring for management of their own care

IMPLEMENTATION ACTIVITIES

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Integrating the perspectives of people affected by health conditions into standards and policies regarding data privacy and sharing



Implementation activity

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Conduct research amongst the community to explore their perspectives on data sharing and protection

Who benefits?

- Policy makers
- Health advocates
- People affected by health conditions

GUIDANCE AND TOOLS

BEST PRACTICE EXAMPLES

Find out...

- **Collection and integrating perspectives of people within my community into policies**
 - **How-to guide (Survey Monkey)**
Advice on conducting and getting the best participation in medical surveys
 - **Research (European Journal of Human Genetics)**
Information on what motivates research participants to share their own health data, and equally their concerns in doing so
 - **How-to guide (Workgroup of European Cancer Patient Advocacy Networks)**
Information on how to generate data, including data generated via technology from people affected by health conditions
 - **Priorities for Digital Health in Europe (EMSP)**
Presentation on EU Policy and priorities for digital health that will benefit people affected by health conditions





Integrating the perspectives of people affected by health conditions into standards and policies regarding data privacy and sharing



Implementation activity

- 1 Conduct research amongst the community to explore their perspectives on data sharing and protection
- 2

GUIDANCE AND TOOLS

BEST PRACTICE EXAMPLES

Read...

- Examples of research into the perspectives of people affected by health conditions on data sharing
 - Research (European Organisation for Rare Diseases)
Survey of perspectives on data sharing and protection in the rare disease community
 - Research (European Patients Forum)
Survey gathering the perspectives of people affected by health conditions on the use of electronic health records
 - Research (Data Saves Lives)
Public opinions and behaviour around health data

Who benefits?

- Policy makers
- Health advocates
- People affected by health conditions





Integrating the perspectives of people affected by health conditions into standards and policies regarding data privacy and sharing



Implementation activity

- 1 **Develop evidence-based advocacy campaigns for integrating perspectives of people affected by health conditions into standards / policies regarding data privacy and sharing**
- 2

Who benefits?

- Policy makers
- Healthcare providers
- Researchers
- Health advocates
- People affected by health conditions
- Population at large

GUIDANCE AND TOOLS

BEST PRACTICE EXAMPLES

Find out...

- **About data sharing in healthcare**
 - **Frequently asked questions** ([Personalised Healthcare Toolkit for the Patient Community](#))
Frequently asked questions for people affected by health conditions including data sharing and security in personalised healthcare
 - **Digital Literacy** ([Pharmaphorum](#))
Article on 'the patient of the future', and how digital data collection, utilisation of real-world data and patient-centric thinking will all contribute to the rapid development of a new healthcare landscape
- **How to create an advocacy campaign around digital and data policies**
 - **How-to guide** ([Workgroup of European Cancer Patient Advocacy Networks](#))
Information on creating an evidence-based advocacy campaign and generating data, including data collected via technology from people affected by health conditions





Integrating the perspectives of people affected by health conditions into standards and policies regarding data privacy and sharing



Implementation activity

1

Develop evidence-based advocacy campaigns for integrating perspectives of people affected by health conditions into standards / policies regarding data privacy and sharing

2

Who benefits?

- Policy makers
- Healthcare providers
- Researchers
- Health advocates
- People affected by health conditions
- Population at large

GUIDANCE AND TOOLS

BEST PRACTICE EXAMPLES

Read...

- **Examples of people affected by health conditions and advocates directly advocating for improved management and sharing of health data**
 - Letter (Society for Participatory Medicine)
Letter from people affected by health conditions, carers and advocates highlighting the importance of people being given autonomy over their own health data, including case studies where people could have benefitted from better data management and where they were able to manage conditions well due to good data management
- **Examples of guidance developed to help organisations or individuals provide, store, access, manage or otherwise use health-related data**
 - Toolkit (Global Alliance for Genomics & Health)
Framework for the responsible sharing of genomic and health-related data guided by human rights, including the right to benefit from the progress of science, as well as privacy, non-discrimination, and procedural fairness
- **Examples of where healthcare organisations have successfully helped change policy around health data**
 - Press release (European Alliance for Personalised Medicine)
Information about the contributions made by the organisation to the development of European General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) legislation

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ACTION AREA





Standardising legal and ethical frameworks on digital health once perspectives of people affected by health conditions have been integrated



Implementation activity

- 1
- 2
- 3

(Co-)develop and use training materials for health advocates that enable them to provide input into legal and ethical frameworks on digital health

Who benefits?

- Health advocates
- People affected by health conditions
- Policy makers
- Regulators

GUIDANCE AND TOOLS

BEST PRACTICE EXAMPLES

Find out...

- **Why data sharing in personalised healthcare is important**
 - **Presentation deck** ([Personalised Healthcare Toolkit for the Patient Community](#))
Editable slide deck covering the value of personalised healthcare for people affected by health conditions
 - **Digital Health Article** ([Future Proofing Healthcare](#))
Article on how digital health, specifically telemedicine, is now front and centre of how HCPs deliver care in the EU
- **The importance of user input into digital health legal and ethical frameworks**
 - **Whitepaper** ([IQVIA](#))
Whitepaper examining the importance of the voices of people affected by health conditions, and approaches to incorporating these voices in healthcare decision making
- **Providing, storing, accessing, managing or otherwise using health-related data**
 - **Whitepaper** – [subscription only](#) ([HIMSS Analytics](#))
Framework for education on digital health and strategy to work towards a digitally-enabled health system
 - **Toolkit** ([Global Alliance for Genomics & Health](#))
Data security framework for the responsible sharing of genomic and health-related data guided by human rights, including the right to benefit from the progress of science, as well as privacy, non-discrimination, and procedural fairness





Data & Digitalisation of Healthcare

Standardising legal and ethical frameworks on digital health once perspectives of people affected by health conditions have been integrated



Implementation activity

- 1 (Co-)develop and use training materials for health advocates that enable them to provide input into legal and ethical frameworks on digital health
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Who benefits?

- Health advocates
- People affected by health conditions
- Policy makers
- Regulators

GUIDANCE AND TOOLS

BEST PRACTICE EXAMPLES

Read...

- **Examples of training materials that raise awareness and empower health advocates in data regulation**
 - **Webinars** ([The Digital Health Society](#))
Round tables exploring in-depth issues surrounding health data and the creation of the European Health Data Space
- **Examples of existing digital health initiatives your organisation could join**
 - **Global Network** ([European Connected Health Alliance](#))
Through this initiative, member organisations can grow their networks, promote their organisation, connect with innovators in digital health and collaborate globally to transform health and social care





Standardising legal and ethical frameworks on digital health once perspectives of people affected by health conditions have been integrated



Implementation activity

- 1 Provide input informed and validated by people affected by health conditions into development of legal and ethical frameworks on digital health
- 2
- 3

Who benefits?

- Policy makers
- Regulators
- Health advocates
- People affected by health conditions
- Population at large

GUIDANCE AND TOOLS

BEST PRACTICE EXAMPLES

Find out...

- **The importance of user input into digital health legal and ethical frameworks**
 - **Whitepaper (IQVIA)**
Whitepaper examining the importance of the voices of people affected by health conditions, and approaches to incorporating these voices in healthcare decision making
- **How to set up and manage data registries or biobanks**
 - **Toolkit (Treat-NMD Neuromuscular Network)**
Toolkit advising health organisations on the purpose of registries and how to set them up in terms of design, documentation and governance
 - **How-to guide (Workgroup of European Cancer Patient Advocacy Networks)**
Basic information about registries, how they can be set up by organisations, and their importance for people affected by health conditions, health advocacy and research
 - **How-to video (Genetic Alliance)**
Webinar exploring how two advocacy organisations set up registries and biobanks, including vendor selection, implementation and challenges faced
 - **Toolkit (Global Alliance for Genomics & Health)**
Data security framework for the responsible sharing of genomic and health-related data guided by human rights, including the right to benefit from the progress of science, as well as privacy, non-discrimination, and procedural fairness



Standardising legal and ethical frameworks on digital health once perspectives of people affected by health conditions have been integrated



Implementation activity

- 1 Provide input informed and validated by people affected by health conditions into development of legal and ethical frameworks on digital health
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Who benefits?

- Policy makers
- Regulators
- Health advocates
- People affected by health conditions
- Population at large

GUIDANCE AND TOOLS

BEST PRACTICE EXAMPLES

Read...

- Recommendations of how the perspectives of people affected by health conditions could be used to inform digital health and data sharing solutions
 - Chain of Trust Project Report (European Patients Forum)
Report assessing the perspectives of the main end-users of digital health services across the EU, exploring how perceptions have changed and what barriers still exist to building confidence in and acceptance of this type of service delivery
 - Research (European Organisation for Rare Diseases)
Survey of perspectives on data sharing and protection in the rare disease community
 - Research (European Patients Forum)
Survey gathering perspectives of people affected by health conditions on the use of electronic health records
 - Research (Data Saves Lives)
Public opinions and behaviour around health data





Data & Digitalisation of Healthcare

Standardising legal and ethical frameworks on digital health once perspectives of people affected by health conditions have been integrated



Implementation activity

- 1 Develop position papers and awareness campaigns to advocate for integration of the perspectives of people affected by health conditions into legal and ethical frameworks on digital health
- 2
- 3

Who benefits?

- Policy makers
- Health advocates
- People affected by health conditions
- Population at large

GUIDANCE AND TOOLS

BEST PRACTICE EXAMPLES

Find out...

- Writing position papers in healthcare and education
 - Guidance (Ontario Medical Students Association)
Guidance and tips on writing effective policy or position papers, including an evaluation checklist
- The importance of user input into digital health legal and ethical frameworks
 - Whitepaper (IQVIA)
Whitepaper examining the importance of the voices of people affected by health conditions, and approaches to incorporating these voices in healthcare decision making





Data & Digitalisation of Healthcare

Standardising legal and ethical frameworks on digital health once perspectives of people affected by health conditions have been integrated



Implementation activity

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Develop position papers and awareness campaigns to advocate for integration of the perspectives of people affected by health conditions into legal and ethical frameworks on digital health

Who benefits?

- Policy makers
- Health advocates
- People affected by health conditions
- Population at large

GUIDANCE AND TOOLS

BEST PRACTICE EXAMPLES

Read...

- **Examples of position papers developed by healthcare organisations relating to digital health governance**
 - **Position paper on digital health from the perspective of people affected by health conditions (European Patient Innovation Summit)**
Position paper on digital health from the perspective of people affected by health conditions, developed using recommendations to transform development and uptake of digital health solutions, voted on by community representatives across Europe
 - **Infographic on digital health from the perspective of people affected by health conditions (European Patient Innovation Summit)**
Infographic summarising the above position paper on digital health from the perspective of people affected by health conditions, developed using recommendations to transform development and uptake of digital health solutions, voted on by community representatives across Europe
 - **Position paper on the European Commission's Health Data Space (European Patients Forum)**
Organisation input and response to the European Health Data Space 2021
 - **Position paper on data sharing in the European Union (European Patients Forum)**
Organisation input and response to the European Data Governance Act 2021
 - **Position paper on the integration of self-management tools into routine care (American Diabetes Association)**
Organisation position paper published in *Diabetes Care* supporting provision of diabetes self-management interventions to help people living with diabetes to make decisions about, and navigate, their own care

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Implementation activity

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Provide input on preferences and requirements of people affected by health conditions regarding:

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- **Real world data access, sharing and interoperability**
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- Healthcare practitioners
- Researchers
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Find out...

- **How to conduct health research now and in the future to acquire input on digital health from people affected by health conditions**
 - **How-to guide** ([Survey Monkey](#))
Advice on conducting and getting the best participation in medical surveys
 - **Review paper** ([BioMed Central](#))
Paper discussing how linking social media to electronic health records might allow better systematic collection of the views of people affected by health conditions as part of health services research





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- Examples of how to consult with the community on policy issues relating to digital health
 - **Consultation** ([European Patients Forum](#))
Coordinated response to the European Commission's 2020 digital strategy, by the organisation on behalf of members
 - **Research** ([European Patients Forum](#))
Survey gathering perspectives of people affected by health conditions on the use of electronic health records





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Find out...

- **How to communicate about health data with people with health conditions**
 - **Frequently asked questions** ([Personalised Healthcare Toolkit for the Patient Community](#))
Frequently asked questions for people affected by health conditions, including data sharing and security in personalised healthcare
 - **Digital Literacy** ([Pharmaphorum](#))
Article on 'the patient of the future', and how digital data collection, utilisation of real-world data and patient-centric thinking will all contribute to the rapid development of a new healthcare landscape
- **How to collect health data appropriately**
 - **How-to guide** ([Workgroup of European Cancer Patient Advocacy Networks](#))
Information on how to generate data, including data generated via technology from people affected by health conditions
 - **Research** ([European Journal of Human Genetics](#))
Information on what motivates research participants to share their own health data, and equally their concerns in doing so



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- **Examples of how to communicate with people affected by health conditions about data sharing and data protection in healthcare**
 - **Resource bank** ([Data Saves Lives](#))
Resources, case studies and educational materials on the benefits and importance of data in healthcare
- **Examples of how healthcare organisations are advocating for person-centred digital health**
 - **Position paper** ([European Patients Forum](#))
Position paper on mobile health in the European Union, including health literacy, self-management, data sharing, electronic health records and equitable access to eHealth





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Empowering people affected by health conditions to actively use mobile health devices and electronic monitoring for management of their own care



Implementation activity

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Find out...

- **Information on the benefits and logistics of self-management**
 - **Information** ([The Patients Association](#))
Webpage outlining the benefits, tips and tools for self-management, including the common questions people have about it
- **The different roles of people living with conditions in self-management**
 - **Research** ([California Health Care Foundation](#))
A deep dive into the different roles played by different people affected by health conditions who are self-managing, including how different tools can support these roles

Who benefits?

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- **Examples of successful shared decision making and self-management tools**
 - **Health screening tools** (Allergy & Asthma Network)
A guide to evidence-based shared decision making and examples developed for people affected by asthma and allergies
 - **Toolkit** (University of Plymouth)
Toolkit supporting health and social care practitioners in the remote assessment and management of people with movement impairment and physical disability
 - **Understanding MS** (FloodLight Open)
Study allowing participants, physicians and scientists to monitor MS symptoms and health over time using a smartphone





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Find out...

- **Writing position papers in healthcare and education**
 - [Guidance \(Ontario Medical Students Association\)](#)
Guidance and tips on writing effective policy or position papers, including an evaluation checklist

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 - Position paper on self-management technology in type 1 diabetes (Diabetes Australia)
Organisation position paper stating people with diabetes should have choice and access to diabetes management solutions that help them manage their diabetes to the best of their ability
 - Position paper on self-management and supporting behaviour change (Healthy Interactions)
Organisation position paper on information sharing, peer support and clinical interventions needed to prepare individuals to engage with their personal health and self-management

