



Welcome to our June Health and Care newsletter. In this edition we have an update on the inaugural Faculty of Health and Care conference and a webinar open to all health and care members where you can find out more about the Faculty and how to get involved in shaping it. We also have an update on the special interest groups, with congratulations to digital medicines, which is the first group to transition from FCI. If you have been thinking about registering with FEDIP but not got round to it, now is the time to do it - join our webinar to find out how. We hope that you find the newsletter interesting. If you have items that you would like to see included, please let us know.

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## **[Faculty of Health and Care Inaugural Conference](#)**

Join us at our inaugural health and care conference on Thursday 10 October at Goodenough College, London and help us to shape your Faculty of Health and Care! Our theme this year is 'Developing the profession to transform the service'. We will have keynote speakers and expert presentations on key digital topics.

**[Programme and registration details.](#)**

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## **[Welcome webinar – Faculty of Health and Care](#)**

We are holding a welcome webinar for both FCI members who have or are considering transferring to BCS and for all health and care members, to provide an update on new offerings from BCS and the Faculty of Health and Care.

**[Register here.](#)**

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## **[Member groups – Digital Medicines](#)**

FCI specialist groups are transitioning over to BCS. They include digital medicines, clinical risk management and artificial intelligence. Specialist groups will be adding webpages with further details to the health and care area of the website soon. Join the group **[here](#)**. Please note you will need to have a MyBCS account to access this page.

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## **FEDIP registration**

Have you wondered about registering with FEDIP, but not sure of the benefits and what's involved? We are holding one of our regular webinars, which will explain the benefits and the registration process on Wednesday 26 June 12.00 to 13.00.

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## **BMJ Health and Care Informatics Journal**

BMJ Health and Care informatics Journal has launched a call for papers for a topic collection on **Evidence-Based Digital Health**. They offer a 25% discount on the Article Processing Charge (APC) for articles submitted to this Topic Collection.

### **Upcoming journal clubs:**

**Tuesday 2 July 12:00 - 13:00 - Codesigning health technology interventions in perioperative care, with Professor Sarah Joy Aitken**

### **Recently chaired Journal Clubs**

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## **Upcoming events**

### **South West Connect Conference**

**Tuesday 25 June**

This free annual learning and development event is hosted by the South West Digital Health and Care Skills Development Network at the Sandy Park stadium in Exeter. The programme is designed as a chance for you to meet, network and connect with new and old colleagues, hearing from both regional and national leaders in digital health and care as well as case studies in best practice. It is open to all with a role or interest in digital working in a health or care organisation (NHS, charitable and third sector organisations and academic bodies) in the region.

### **Data physicalisation: Explaining Diabetes & AI To The Community**

**Monday 1 July, 11:00 - 13:30**

Elly Andrikopoulou is running a session open to the public in London Data Week at the BCS London office.

### **Digital Health Summer School**

**Thursday 18 & Friday 19 July**

Digital Health Summer School is back at Durham University– providing a two-day education and networking event for current and future NHS digital leaders, providing an unrivalled opportunity to network, learn and connect with the digital leaders of NHS trusts and ICBs in a relaxed, protected and supportive environment.

### **Derek Hoy Memorial Lecture (DHML)**

**Thursday 25 July**

Hosted by BCS Health and Care Scotland with Prof Suzanne Bakkens

## **IMIA Nursing Informatics 2024**

**Sunday 28 - Wednesday 31 July**

Don't miss out: IMIA Nursing Informatics 2024 is being held in Manchester. Join hundreds of delegates coming together to share their experience and learn about latest developments and best practice.

## **All things digital health and social care at the ALLIANCE**

**Tuesday 30 July 17:00 - 18:00**

Find out about the Digital Hub at the Health and Social Care Alliance Scotland, including ALISS - A Local Information System for Scotland, Discover Digital, the Digital Citizen Panel, Human rights principles in digital health and social care, and the new Digital links project.

## **Medical Informatics Europe 34th conference**

**Sunday 25 August - Thursday 29 August**

Digital health and informatics innovations for sustainable healthcare systems.

## **HETT Show**

**Tuesday 24 - Wednesday 25 September**

CPD-accredited sessions, exploring the systems and infrastructure that underpin and enable a data-driven NHS, supporting the ecosystem to deliver patient outcomes through the meaningful implementation of technology.

**If you have any events for inclusion in the newsletter, please contact [elly.an@port.ac.uk](mailto:elly.an@port.ac.uk)**



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