



News Headlines 16 June 2016

Over the last few months, we have been providing weekly headlines only since our Innovate UK funding ended in March 2015.

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From January 2016 we are now back with a [monthly](#) Telecare LIN roundup as well as maintaining weekly headlines together with daily news via Twitter (follow @clarkmike and #TLINnews).

As in the past, we will be continuing to bring you an extensive curated coverage of digital health and technology enabled care references from the UK and around the world including telehealth, telecare, mobile health, telemedicine, ehealth, smart home technologies and Internet of Things. We will also be including more in the future on health informatics (including electronic health and care records), big data, artificial intelligence as well as health and care robotics.

Weekly Headlines

Apple watchOS 3 could help with fitness of wheelchair users - via [digihealthnews](#)

New digital system helps deliver medication in care homes - via [digihealthnews](#)

Lockheed joins work on Ripple digital care platform - via [UKAuthority](#)

From U.S.: RxPense intelligent & connected medication management & remote monitoring solution - via [PRNewswire](#)

No, there is not any 'snake oil' on the road ahead in #digitalhealth - a response to AMA's CEO - via [medcitynews](#)

Minister @Freeman_George calls for deeper relationship between NHS and private sector - via [HSJNews](#)

Smartwatches are gaining in popularity with people who want more-advanced tracking for exercise - via [CNETNews](#)

Why supported housing matters - via [natfednews](#)

We need 'later homes' for older people, not just starter homes for the young - via [guardian](#)

The New Yorkers who live exclusively via Airbnb – video - via [guardian](#)

North London's old workhouse turned modern hospital is failing its people - via [guardian](#)

North Middlesex hospital A&E faces closure on safety grounds - via [guardian](#)

Video games transform physical therapy into something fun - via [guardian](#)

Relaunching the digital champions - via [DHgovuk](#)

Dozens saved in six months by Welsh deemed consent organ donation system - via [guardian](#)

Into the woods: how walks are improving mental health - via [guardian](#)

Pepper the robot has now been put to work in two hospitals in Belgium - via [DigitalTrends](#)

UK blood donors will be sent text message every time they save a life - via [DailyMirror](#)

Apple made a Home app because HomeKit products are finally real - via [verge](#)

Integrated delivery systems - The Downside of Merging Doctors and Hospitals - via [nytimes](#)

'We need a break before we are broken': a message from carers to the government - via [guardian](#)

Watchdog criticises airlines for treatment of disabled passengers - via [guardian](#)

Intermountain Health expands mobile healthcare services (ConnectCare) - via [MobileStrat360](#)

Long-term care placement for people with dementia - via [SocialCareElf](#)

The new world order for open-source and commercial software - via [TechCrunch](#)

LifeQ inks deal with Garmin for digital health solution - via [Ventureburn](#)

The Apple Watch is now an SOS button and medical ID bracelet - via [TechCrunch](#)

Alert fatigue - Doctors are overloaded with electronic alerts, and that's bad for patients - via [washingtonpost](#)

The onward march of the new young fogey - via [BBCNews](#)

Three versions of the NHS - via [profchrisham @TheKingsFund](#)

Poor nutrition now affects a third of the human race, says report - via [guardian](#)

How scalpel-free scanners are revolutionising post-mortems - via [BBCNews](#)

Obesity boom fuelling rise in malnutrition - via [BBCNews](#)

Public accountability needs to be at the heart of NHS reform - via [TheKingsFund](#)

Apple Home controls all HomeKit devices from a single app - via [wareable](#)

Google's developing its own version of the Laws of Robotics - via [ExtremeTech](#)

What's Next for Artificial Intelligence - via [WSJ](#)

Supporting people with dementia in Care Homes – Alistair Burns and Gill Garden - via [NHSEngland](#)

Event: Digital Health and Well-being Festival 29-30 June, Bradford - via [DigitalHealthEZ](#)

Vodafone links with SF developer of exoskeletons for stroke & spinal cord injury patients - via [mHealthIntel](#)

Have we reached the age of no retirement? - via [DrAnnaDixon at @Telegraph](#)

Mobile health care app gets international attention - via [DigiCatapult](#)

Is digital health 'the digital snake oil of the 21st century'? - via [SFBusinessTimes](#)

iOS 10: bigger emojis, better Siri and facial recognition coming to your iPhone - via [guardian](#)

Apple brings Siri to Macs and lets it talk to apps - via [BBCNews](#)

mySugr forms partnership with Profil Institute for clinical validation for its diabetes apps - via [medcitynews](#)

SingleCare Taps American Well to Power Telehealth Visits - via [hitconsultant](#)

Better care at a lower cost: How cloud and telehealth technology can transform small communities - via [BeckersHR](#)

QRisk2 in TPP "fixed" but up to 270,000 patients affected - via [digitalhealth2](#)

Could eHealth help solve healthcare's biggest challenges? - via [Parlimag](#)

Kaiser Permanente Study: ResMed Digital Platform Drives CPAP Adherence - via [PRNewswire](#)

Siri is opening up to all third-party apps - via [TheNextWeb](#)

Digital health investors eye digital therapeutics and efficiency-focused startups - via [MobiHealthNews](#)

AMA CEO pans "ineffective" EHRs, D2C, digital health, and apps of mixed quality - via [MobiHealthNews](#)

Manchester shoppers offered scans to spot lung cancer - via [BBCNews](#)

Are we using technology as a way of avoiding awkward but straightforward conversations? - via [Independent](#)

LinkedIn bought by Microsoft for \$26.2bn in cash - via [guardian](#)

BBC R4 You and Yours (13 June): Outcomes from telehealth programme at @liverpoolccg with Dave Horsfield - via [BBC You and Yours](#)

Surrey and Borders runs dementia tech RCT - via [digitalhealth2](#)

Photo-sharing app for health professionals, Figure1, adds direct messaging - via [TechCrunch](#)

More than 12 million UK adults lack basic digital knowhow, MPs say - via [guardian](#)

New guide helps developers protect patient data in health apps - via [iMedicalApps](#)

Birmingham to use smart tech to combat isolation among over-65s - via [UKAuthority](#)

Event: DHACA Day IX (London) - 29 June - via [DHACA.org](#)

Care Home Open Day UK - 17 June - via [CareHomeOpenDay](#)

Many CCGs are not fit for purpose and must be re-organised - via [HSJnews \(£ subs\)](#)

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Web, smartphone app helps cancer patients receive quicker care - via [FierceHealth](#)

Commencing 20 June - London Technology Week - via [TechCityUK](#)

Analyzing Bing Searches Could Predict a Cancer Diagnosis, Study Finds - via [motherboard](#)

Have your say on the safety of apps - via [DSMeu](#)

From U.S.: AMA, ACP, others urge CMS to reconsider interoperability measurements for EHRs - via [Healio](#)

Study: Using alternatives to face-to-face consultations: a survey of prevalence and attitudes in general practice - via [Study](#)

New VR app is an immersive (and terrifying) simulation of what it's like to be autistic - via [TheNextWeb](#)

'Computer invents new scientific theory without human help for the first time – via [IBTimes](#)

The NSA wants to spy on #IOT - thermostats to pacemakers could be mined for intelligence data - via [engadget](#)

Using the Healthcare Internet of Things for Better Patient Care - via [HITAnalytics](#)

7 tips for doctors to be successful in telemedicine - via [kevinmed](#)

Apple's App Store at the end of the app era - via [TechCrunch](#)

Dorrell warns health and care service will need more cash - via [hsj \(£ subs\)](#)

New index sheds light on global digital development - via [gloria_lombardi](#)

Startup will help landlords, employers strip-mine intimate data from your Facebook page - via [washingtonpost](#)

IBM's Watson Health, American Diabetes Association partner on cognitive apps, analytics - via [ZDNet](#)

Facebook will delete your synced photos if you don't install another one of its app - via [TheNextWeb](#)

From U.S.: Telehealth program provides weight management support to rural clinics - via [ClinEndoNews](#)

Event: Virtual Reality for Health & Social Care Workshops, London - June & July (various dates) - via [ManeeshJuneja](#)

Event: NHS Confederation annual conference and exhibition 2016 #confed2016 15-17 June, Manchester - via [nhsconfed](#)

Apple WWDC 2016: Developer event will be live streamed - via [Independent](#)

Deepak Chopra launches Jiyo, a wellness-focused mobile app - via [TechCrunch](#)

Presence Health introducing monitors to prevent At-Risk Patient Falls - via [wandtvnews](#)

The app boom is over - Your phone is full of apps, and you're done downloading new ones - via [Recode](#)

AI, deep learning and machine learning: a primer - via [a16z](#)

10 of the best virtual reality apps for your smartphone - via [guardian](#)

Where the smart is - Connected homes will take longer to materialise than expected - via [TheEconomist](#)

Gardening and volunteering: The new wonder drugs? - via [BBCNews](#)

UK facing 'digital skills crisis' warn MPs - via [BBCNews](#)

Study: Designing, Implementing, & Evaluating Mobile Health Tech for Managing Chronic Conditions in Older Adult - via [Study](#)

A New mHealth App Validation Resource Sets Up Shop - via [mHealthIntel](#)

The next Uber for healthcare - latest blog from @VictoriaBetton - via [VictoriaBetton](#)

4,500 people will discover they have diabetes over the next seven days - via [DailyExpress](#)

WWDC 2016: Apple set to unveil artificial intelligence plans & showcase iOS 10 - via [Independent](#)

AT&T Foundry for Connected Health opens with projects including connected wheelchair, EEG headband - via [CNBC](#)

Why there will never be an Uber for healthcare (by@tjvalenti) - via [TechCrunch](#)

Classic TV shows like The Two Ronnies are being used to help people Alzheimer's - via [BBCNews](#)

How nanotechnology research could help cure cancer and other diseases - via [guardian](#)

Will the NHS run short of anaesthetists in future years? - via [MailOnline](#)

Medtronic touts progress in insulin pump trial - via [StarTribune](#)

Should we embed RCTs within action research: arguing from a case study of telemonitoring - via [Paperity](#)

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Under My Skin: The New Frontier Of Digital Implants - via [FastCompany](#)

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Health tech is the silent 3rd party in healthcare (what happens to relationships & trust?) - via [HealthStandards](#)

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Cutting edge technology set to benefit pacemaker patients - via [GSTTnhs](#)

New telehealth link piloted in small UK town - via [HealthITCentral](#)

Counties call for funding reform as delayed transfers cost NHS £300m - via [psenews](#)

Technology, innovation and the future of the UK workforce (Matt Hancock) - via [cabinetofficeuk](#)

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Air pollution now major contributor to stroke, global study finds - via [guardian](#)

Future Health Index: 74% of Patients Have to Repeat Same Information to Multiple Providers - via [hitconsultant](#)

Health Innovation Manchester aims to cut premature mortality rate while turning it into research hub - via [guardian](#)

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What is the cost of personalised medicine? - new blog from @keithgrimes - via [Keith Grimes](#)

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The Glasgow effect: new study reveals causes of city's high mortality rates - via [guardian](#)

Diary of an accidental carer: 'I cannot deal with this' - via [guardian](#)

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A Health App's AI Took on Human Doctors to Triage Patients - via [motherboard](#)

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How care home at centre of TV investigation was turned around - via [guardian](#)

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DH told to review impact of National Living Wage on social care by November - via [PSE](#)

Communities committee to assess digital technologies in adult social care - deadline 19 Aug - via [PublicTech](#)

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NHS hoping to fill GP vacancies with doctors from Europe - via [theipaper](#)

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The NHS's healthy living delusion (Christopher Snowdon) - via [lealondon](#)

RetraceHealth raises \$6.5M for nurse practitioner-led house calls and video visits - via [MobiHealthNews](#)

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Apple to lower App Store commission for loyal subscribers - via [BBCNews](#)

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Amazon launches full online supermarket service in UK - via [BBCNews](#)

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