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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.

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Councils respond to UKHCA report on care costs - via [LGAcomms](#)

Systems not structures - Changing Health & Care in Northern Ireland - via [NIGov](#)

Bengoa review: Ambitious health care shake-up unveiled for Northern Ireland - via [BBCNews](#)

New partnership to transform CCG telehealth commissioning - @InprovaGroup @TSAVoice - via [Digihealthnews](#)

Event: National Children and Adult Services Conference 2-4 Nov, Manchester - via [1adass](#)

Bengoa review 'to redesign Northern Ireland health care for 21st Century - via [BBCNews](#)

When is an app not an app (@LoweCM)? - via [TelecareAware](#)

The Internet of Things is totally unregulated, and that might have to change - via [qz](#)

Funds and assessment needed for digital health start-ups - via [digitalhealth2](#)

STPs released with big digital price tag - via [digitalhealth2](#)

IBM Is Counting on Its Bet on Watson, and Paying Big Money for It - via [nytimes](#)

Older people's homecare at risk from £513 million UK deficit - via [ukhca](#)

Fremo's Evo battery frees Amazon Echo Dot from restraints - via [slashgear](#)

The real-world uses for virtual reality eg VR operations, understanding autism - via [BBCNews](#)

FDA is working with hospitals to modernize data collection about medical devices - via [US FDA](#)



Analytics strategies for telehealth and remote patient monitoring - via [HealthITNews](#)

NHS to spend £130m upgrading or replacing radiotherapy machines - via [guardian](#)

Healthy weight: Tenth of adults at risk of diabetes by 2035 - via [BBC News](#)

GPs should not worry about offending obese patients, finds study - via [guardian](#)

Survey finds few local leaders confident STPs will deliver - via [HSJnews \(£ subs\)](#)

Swedish pharmacy launches D2C virtual reality app for pain relief - via [MobiHealthNews](#)

Cancer care: Is world class status a distant dream? - via [BBCNews](#)

9 of 10 UK councils failing to pay realistic prices to support older/disabled people in their homes - via [BBCNews](#)

The 30-second chat that can trigger weight loss - via [BBCNews](#)

Diabetes: Tenth of adults at risk of disease by 2035 - could soar to 17% of NHS budget - via [BBCNews](#)

LAs with local community partners, have until 28 Oct to apply for share of £25m Housing & Tech Fund - via [DHgovuk](#)

Blue Badge private beta trial to use GOV.UK Verify - via [UKAuthority](#)

Call for Papers/projects - Digital Health and Care Congress 2017 (deadline 9 Dec) - via [TheKingsFund](#)

Artificial intelligence 'judge' developed by UCL computer scientists - via [guardian](#)

AHSN Network supports ambitions to make the UK a world-leader in healthcare innovation - via [MearLiz](#)

Digital health technology poised to help an aging population - via [SearchHealthIT](#)

Mayo Clinic is putting money and research behind AliveCor - via [Recode](#)

In-Depth: 5 innovators who see the future of connected insulin delivery in pens, not pumps - via [MobiHealthNews](#)

A digital NHS is essential, says NHS director (@JulietBauer) - via [HealthITCentral](#)

Blighted lives: The true cost of diabetes - 140 amputations a week in England - via [BBCNews](#)

Chinese webcam maker recalls devices after cyberattack link - via [guardian](#)



North Central London Sustainability and Transformation Plan - via [camdentalking](#)

Second 'full' STP published as council hits out at process - North Central London - via [HSJnews \(£\)](#)

Patient-Driven Digital Prescription - via [TSAvoice](#)

Our latest @TSAVoice e-Link newsletter has been published - via [TSAvoice](#)

NHS Digital says it has completed steps to fix data breaches - via [HSJnews \(£ subs\)](#)

Two thirds of B'ham 14000 telecare users considered not to have assessed need for care/support - via [BhamCityCouncil](#)

Birmingham & Solihull publish Sustainability & Transformation Plan - via [BhamCityCouncil](#)

New standard for involving patients and service users in research & innovation - via [NVTweeting](#)

Making sure patients and the NHS benefit from medical innovation - via [DHgovuk](#)

Getting patients quicker access to innovative healthcare - AAR final report - via [DHgovuk](#)

Digital Roadmap Focus: Hampshire and the Isle of Wight - looking for £100m of new money - via [digitalhealth2](#)

Are doctors prescribing too many drugs? - via [BBCHughPym](#)

Marvee - care companion and Alexa Skill for the@amazonecho - via [AskMarvee](#)

Could @amazonecho and Alexa be useful for in-home care? - via [AgingTEch](#)

Could Amazon's Echo be a digital care agent for chronic patients? - via [medcitynews](#)

Amazon Echo for #dementia - via [DailyCaring](#)

Setting up multiple accounts with Amazon Echo to share digital content eg in caring/support role - via [CNET](#)

£25 million housing and technology fund for people with learning disabilities - deadline 28 Oct - via [DHgovuk](#)

New plans to modernise community pharmacies - via [DHgovuk](#)

Govt review reveals plan to speed NHS innovations uptake (reduction from 12 to 8 years) - via [HSJnews](#)

MPs urge chancellor to honour leave campaign's £350m NHS promise - via [guardian](#)



Many procedures give 'no more benefit than doing nothing' – leading doctors - via [guardian](#)

Doctors name treatments that bring little or no benefit - via [BBCNews](#)

Sick patients are being forced to wait in ambulances outside Accident & Emergency departments - via [Telegraph](#)

Upcoming event: People Drive Digital - via [wearemhabitat](#)

NHS figures show 'shocking' rise in self-harm among young - via [guardian](#)

Apple Strategy 2017. Is an important change to iPhone coming? - via [Scobleizer](#)

Quick Guide: Better home care for older people - via [NICEcomms](#)

A Patient-Driven Digital Prescription' - great blog from @roz_davies from #iTECconf1 - via [WeLLWeLoveLife](#)

Could a portable iPhone powered \$150 spectrometer be used to check biomarkers for cancer? - via [9to5mac](#)

Study: A multichannel smartphone optical biosensor for high-throughput point- - via [Study](#)

IoT has created global network of devices vulnerable to cyber criminals – no one wants to fix it - via [guardian](#)

Using mHealth to Vault the Barriers to Value-Based Care - via [mHealthIntel](#)

Asthma tracking startup Propeller Health takes in \$21.5 million to grow and go global - via [TechCrunch](#)

This is why you shouldn't believe that exciting new medical study - via [voxdotcom](#)

Clinical leadership & focus on patients at the heart of the evolution of clinical commissioning - via [NHSCCPress](#)

Did Pokemon Go Increase U.S. Activity Levels? - via [techreview](#)

Doctors' leaders call for prescription drug helpline - via [BBCNews](#)

After the success of Pokémon Go!, what is the future for augmented reality? - via [guardian](#)

Don't think of Amazon Echo as just a speaker. It's a whole new way of life - via [latimes](#)

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