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

Our news service has been available since October 2005. Our Housing LIN and Telecare LIN membership database exceeds 40,000 people from around the world.

From January 2016 we will be back with a **monthly** Telecare LIN roundup as well as maintaining weekly headlines together with daily news via Twitter (follow @clarkmike and #TLINenews).

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.

**Headlines**

(i) Interesting article on Cheshire partnership working to improve health and wellbeing.

(ii) Zeiss Smart Lenses - in development ([Wired article](https://www.wired.com/2015/09/zeiss-smart-lenses/)).

(iii) Apple's Health app will soon help direct users to third party health, wellness apps ([mobihealthnews](http://mobihealthnews.com/2015/09/15/apple-developing-health-app-to-direct-users-to-third-party-wellness-apps/)).


(v) [BBC News](http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/technology/35564179) - Personal computer demand falls by a record amount.

(vi) 2016 is make or break time for the NHS - Anita Charlesworth ([guardian](http://www.theguardian.com/uk-news/2015/may/20/2016-is-make-or-break-time-for-the-nhs)).

(vii) Could technology take away the power of doctors? - controversial article from James Kirkup ([Telegraph](http://www.telegraph.co.uk/healthcare/3241184/Can-technology-take-away-the-power-of-doctors.html)).

(ix) 10 Medical-Device Wearables To Improve Patients' Lives - via InformationWeek.

(x) The 6 things CES taught us about the Internet of things via FortuneMagazine.

(xi) DNA-testing kit 23andme: patient-powered healthcare? (guardian).

(xii) Raiders of the Lost Art: Medicine in the Digital Ice Age (HPLifestyle).

(xiii) Teladoc conducted 575,000 remote visits last year MobiHealthNews.

(xiv) From the U.S.: Amwell Named The #1 Most Downloaded (hitconsultant).

(xv) Who really owns your Internet of Things data? (ZDNet).

(xvi) Ford launches wearables lab to test smartwatch integration with cars (Mashable).

(xvii) The 21st century NHS revolution that will cure more for less - Prof Tim Evans (City AM)

(xviii) Isle of Wight CCG pilots patient self-monitoring for Warfarin (Digital Health News).

(xix) Social care in 2016: ‘The financial prospects could not be worse - by Richard Humphries (Guardian)

(xx) Better Care Fund: how it will work in 2016 to 2017 (CommunitiesUK).

(xxii) Robert Wachter Tapped to Lead UK Digital Health System Review (UCSF).

(xxiii) First genome project diagnoses give hope to two four-year-olds (Guardian).

(xxiv) Study: Reducing Emergency Department Utilization through Engagement in Telemedicine by Senior Living Communities.

(xxv) Your Doctor Is Arriving Now - Pager app in San Francisco & New York City (US News).

(xxv) California hospital becomes first in US to prescribe ingestible sensors from Proteus (Mobihealthnews).

(xxvii) Hospital Health Apps are Failing to Lure Patients (eWeekNews).

(xxviii) GPs say persuading patients to take more responsibility for own health is greatest priority for NHS’ (Telegraph).

(xxix) Ayrshire hospital patients urged to monitor their own health care (Daily Record)

(xxx) US College has new pilot program that sends robots to class to help students with disabilities finish degrees’ - WREX.

(xxxi) Medication non-adherence – does SMS hold the key?’ - via (InHealthcareUK)

(xxxii) A major care provider will fail in 2016 - some new year predictions by Paul Burstow (Guardian).

(xxxiii) Caregiving Innovation frontiers...leveraging technology to transform the future (AARP)

(xxxiv) Politicians agree on NHS problems – but differ on the solutions - Richard Vize (Guardian)

(xxxv) Medtronic/IBM analysis of 600 patient cases using data from insulin pumps & glucose monitors (Health IT News).

(xxxvi) New £24 million “Internet of Things” research hub announced (Imperial College).

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