Welcome to an additional supplement from the Technology Strategy Board (TSB) Knowledge Transfer Network and the Telecare Learning and Improvement Network.

This supplement to the December 2012 Newsletter provides a summary of news stories relating to Telecare and Telehealth from the UK and around the world. They cover the following topic areas:

a) Policy, funding and trends

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- About personal health budgets - Patient choice - NHS Choices (UK)
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- Adoption of mHealth technologies: UK vs. USA (UK)
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