Our vision for European Healthcare in 2030

We see healthcare as a connected and resilient system centered around people, supported by technology.

Personalized healthcare centered around patients' needs

- A patient approach moving away from a disease-oriented, treatment based system.
- Health professionals and patients sharing the same goal, working together to achieve the best outcome.
- Healthcare services available through a variety of virtual and in-person access points.

Accessible healthcare for everyone across the European Union

- Payable care to everyone through a universal health insurance system.
- Financial support from the European Union for citizens in need.
- Efficient reimbursement and financial support from governments to reduce inequalities and support vulnerable citizens.

Meet patients where they are by extending care beyond hospital settings

- Quality care available through a wide array of virtual and in-person access points:
  - Nutritional services
  - Patient education programs
  - Community health workers or nurses
  - Mental health services
  - Surgery centers
  - Emergency care outside hospitals
  - Ambulatory care centers
  - Mobile clinics
  - Acute care at home
  - Walk-in centers

A positive work environment for health professionals

- Data linked between hospital and home using Internet of Things (IoT) and cloud-based technologies.
- On-line tools to support remotely placed healthcare practitioners.
- Tele-ICU can extend critical care to the bedside regardless of location.

Connected and integrated health data across care settings

- Actionable insights at scale, wherever and whenever they are needed, via AI and data analytics.
- Smart patient monitoring can detect early signs of patient deterioration using AI predictive analytics.
- Tele-ICU can extend critical care to the bedside regardless of location.

Sustainable healthcare systems for optimal human and environmental health

- Carbon-free healthcare and supply chains
- Virtual care helps reduce the need for travel and paperwork, which offsets some of the sector's carbon footprint.
- European data from 2020 and 2021 found an average of:
  - 3.057kg of net CO2 emissions avoided for every digital appointment
  - 1.5kg avoided for every medical report downloaded instead of printed and collected
- Circularty in the health sector for more resilient supply chains, reduced waste and longer life cycles.

Prepared for the next crisis

- Health systems and infrastructure resilient to environmental-, health- or military-related threats.
- Effective stockpiling and priority access to components and medical equipment materials.


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