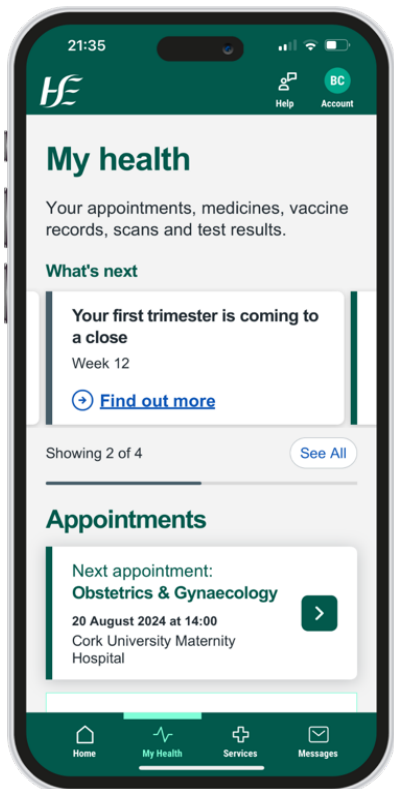


Health app

The Health app is a new digital health service from the HSE that will give our patients secure personalised access to their health information, hospital appointments, medical cards and more.

It seamlessly combines various aspects of the healthcare system into one user-friendly and secure application.

In many ways, it's your health service in your pocket – putting your health, in your hands.



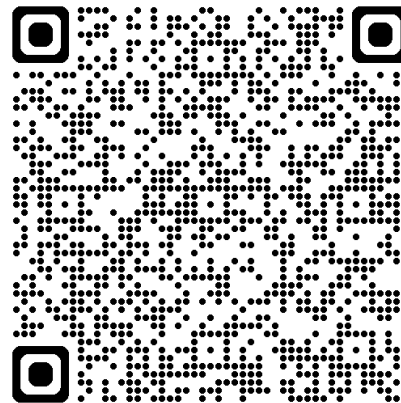
Enabling Integrated Care in Ireland

Sláintecare, as a significant driver of integrated healthcare in Ireland, aims to shift the focus from hospital based care to community based services and this shift is gaining momentum as we seek to enhance the quality of care, improve patient outcomes, and optimise resource use.

Sharing the collective vision of the Department and the HSE, **Digital for Care** aims to co-ordinate, streamline and integrate digital technologies to ensure data and information flow to support comprehensive care to patients across all settings

Scan the QR Code for more information or go to:

www.about.hse.ie/publications/digital-for-care/



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DIGITAL FOR CARE 2030

Empowering People. Connecting Lives.



Driving Government Digital Health Strategy in Ireland forward to 2030

Core Principles



Patient as an Empowered Partner:

Patients gain greater control over their health information.



Workforce and Workplace:

A digitally skilled workforce with the right tools to enhance care delivery and efficiency.



Digitally Enabled and Connected

Care: Seamless integration of Healthdata to support coordinated, evidence-based care.



Data-Driven Services:

Enhanced data access and analytics for better resource management and patient outcomes.



Digital Health Ecosystem and

Innovation: Fostering innovation and collaborations across the healthcare ecosystem.



Secure Foundations and Digital

Enablers: Ensuring robust governance, security, and infrastructure.



What is Digital for Care

Better use of digital innovation is a critical part of the delivery of modern health and social care responding to the changing needs of patients and their families.

Driving Digital for Care the Government's digital strategy for Ireland's health services to 2030, the HSE will use digital technology and data to improve our population's health and well-being

Healthcare staff will be provided with modern digital tools to deliver better, safer care. Digital innovation and solutions will be used to promote self-care, lifestyle choices, assist with the prevention and treatment of disease and provide a more accurate diagnosis. Clinicians and carers will be enabled to share information safely so they can provide high quality, connected care and services, which are better coordinated around their patient's needs

Strategic Initiatives

To achieve these principles, 48 strategic programmes have been identified, prioritised, and are being implemented over a six-year period.

Some major programmes include:

- A HSE Health app
- Virtual Wards
- Implementation of Electronic Health Records (EHRs)
- Development of a National Shared Care Record
- Expansion of telehealth services
- Establishment of digital health innovation hubs

By 2030, the aim will be that:

- Everyone using our health service will have access to their own digital health record, so they can manage their own health and care with greater ease
- Healthcare professionals will have more comprehensive information about their patients in real-time, regardless of where they were treated before
- Patients can move between different health care settings, confident in the knowledge that their information is being shared between the healthcare professionals that are treating them in each setting, leading to safer, better care
- Patients can receive more care closer to home, reducing the need for otherwise avoidable hospital visits and stays