
Capability Statement

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The Global
Health Connector



About ECHAlliance

ECHAlliance is the Global Connector for Digital Health connecting 78 Countries and 4.4 billion people.

ECHAlliance is a Community Interest Company, that means ECHAlliance revenues and activities are used to provide a benefit to communities.

As a member organisation ECHAlliance brings its global community together in a network of ecosystems that match need and solution, break down silos, transform healthcare, transfer best practices and lessons learn and create economic opportunities.



What does ECHAlliance do?



CONNECT

Use the power of our global network of all stakeholders to make the connections you need.



CONVENE

Use our ability as a honest broker to assemble meet and discuss Key subjects and activities.



AMPLIFY

Harness the capacity of our global network to communicate and amplify your message.



ACCELERATE

Engage across our network to speed up your understanding, your adoption, and scale your activities.

How does ECHAlliance work?



CONNECT

We will use our network of over 1,000 members, 80+ ecosystems and global partners to directly connect your organisation to potential customers, providers, collaborators, policy makers, patient organisations and research organisations. You can utilise our networks as an intelligence and implementation infrastructure for your organisation. In particular our international ecosystems are amazing landing zones for your organisation to make direct connections in new countries and regions.



CONVENE

As an honest broker we have the ability to work across different silos and harness expertise, opinion and need from across our network. We can help you engage multi stakeholder involvement in large impactful settings with a truly global audience. With either multi stakeholder conference activities or with invitation only Round Table gatherings. We can offer you in person experiences or online gatherings.





How does ECHAlliance work?



AMPLIFY

We have the ability to amplify your innovation, need or solution with collaboration opportunities using a variety of channels. Our member to member newsletters reaches over 1,000 organisations globally, our monthly newsletter lands with 22,000+ experts, the ECHAlliance Social Media channels and the social media channels of key influencers within our group are all trusted neutral platforms which generate engagement and activity across a global network. These communication services have the ability to scale your activities.



ACCELERATE

We can use our community to accelerate health innovation from region to region and continent to continent. Utilising the connections within our ecosystems network, our members and global partners to help scale up your solutions.



ECHAlliance Focus Areas



Green Health

We in Healthcare are a major polluter and so we need to decarbonise and own our problem.



Healthy Ageing

As the global population ages we need to look at solutions to help longevity and building quality into citizens lives.



Women's Health

Half the globe lacks equal investment in solutions for issues that affect women. Our goal is to radically change this.



Health Data

As digital health grows, essential tasks include data analysis. We'll explore AI, Secondary Data Use, and cross-continental Data Spaces.

ECHAlliance Global Community



International Projects

The background features a dark blue globe with glowing blue lines that crisscross and loop around it, symbolizing global connectivity and international projects. The lines are thin and have a slight glow, creating a sense of movement and network.

ECHAlliance Projects



Our Innovation Team delivers research & innovation projects in health and data sharing / governance, scouts funding opportunities for our community, builds consortia and designs project proposals involving our ecosystems and members.

As project partners we carry out policy and socio-economic studies, market analysis, exploitation and dissemination tasks and can lead on stakeholder engagement to ensure the project sustainability.



<p>Dissemination leader</p>	<p>Exploitation leader</p>	<p>Project management</p>	<p>Needs assessment & specifications</p>
<p>Event management</p>	<p>Social media management</p>	<p>Deployment plans & pilot coordination</p>	<p>Scalability & transferability plans</p>



Project example

BRAINTEASER is a data science project that seeks to exploit the value of big data, including those related to health, lifestyle habits and environment, to support patients with amyotrophic lateral sclerosis and multiple sclerosis and their clinicians.

Taking advantage of cost-efficient sensors and apps, BRAINTEASER will integrate large, clinical datasets that host both patient-generated and environmental data.



BRAINTEASER WILL



Help foster predictive healthcare approaches and support clinicians, so patients with ALS and MS experience healthier and more fulfilling lives.



Leverage artificial intelligence to enhance clinical care and help design personalised health and care pathways.



Adopt an open-science paradigm that makes scientific research results accessible, respect patient data confidentiality, and involve end users in the IT solution.

Membership



ECHAlliance Membership



By joining the ECHAlliance as a member you can promote your organisation, grow your networks, connect with innovators in Digital Health and collaborate globally to transform healthcare.



Promote your organisation on our social media

50,000+ followers



Participate in EU funded projects



Grow your network & connect with our global community



Showcase your organisation's needs/ solutions via our ECHAlliance newsletters

22,000+ experts



Access to our international network of **80+** Ecosystems and **12** Thematic Innovation Ecosystems



What does ECHAlliance do with its members?



CONNECT

We bring our members together from different stakeholders: government agencies, companies, researchers, clusters, networks and more at events and ecosystems both physically and remotely regularly throughout the year.



CONVENE

During the Spanish EU Presidency, we convened our ECHAlliance Community together in a Spanish Ecosystem Gathering featuring speakers from companies (McKinsey, Better, Ferrer or HumanITcare); patient groups (Fundación Visible or Lovexair) or government agencies (AQuAS or ACCIÓ.)



AMPLIFY

Over 2024 we released 400 updates from our members and ecosystems across 24 newsletters (+23.000 subscribers) and our various social media channels (50K) where they can reach a much wider audience. In our Member Spotlight podcast we interviewed members like Better, Saga, McKinsey.



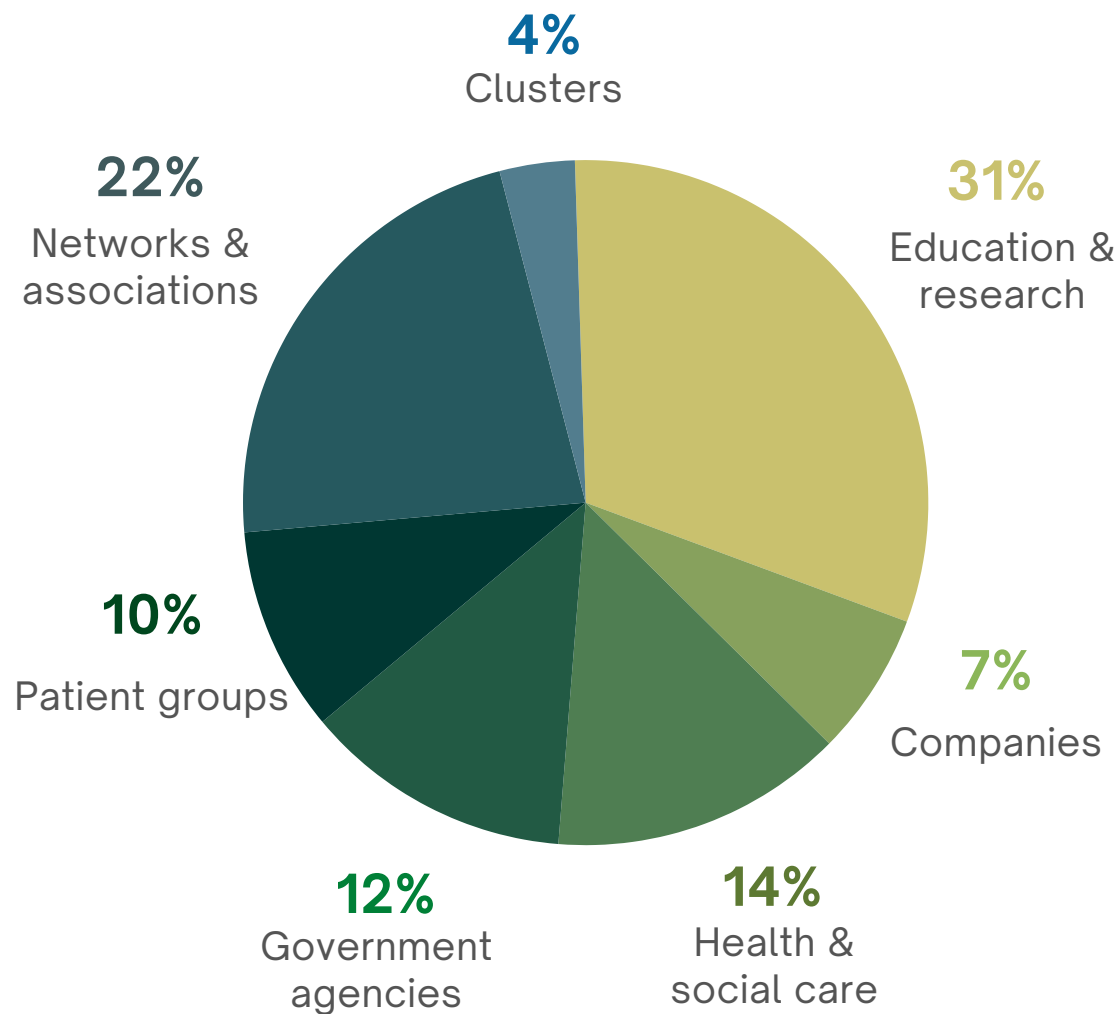
ACCELERATE

Our network of 15 Thematic Innovation Ecosystems showcase need and best practice accelerating adoption of innovation from region to country to continent whether it be our members Trimedika's contactless thermometer or the deployment of Better's EHR solution across our ecosystem network.


ECHAlliance Members



Who are the ECHAlliance Members? All stakeholders in health and care:



International Network of Ecosystems



ECHAlliance Ecosystems

ECHAlliance Ecosystems are all regionally-focused, permanent, multi-stakeholder partnerships committed to working together to implement innovative solutions that improve the quality of health and wellbeing of citizens, the effectiveness of the healthcare system and the scope for wealth creation and business opportunities.

Since 2011, with the support of the European Commission, we've developed a methodology and approach on how to set up and manage ecosystems in 70+ locations internationally.

80+
ecosystems





ECHAlliance Ecosystems

A Network of 80+ ECHAlliance Digital Health Ecosystems across USA, Canada, Latin America, Europe, Australia, Africa and India.

-  **Argentina**
-  **Australia**
Melbourne
-  **Austria**
-  **Belgium**
Brussels
Flanders
-  **Bulgaria**
-  **Canada**
Canada Age Well
Quebec
-  **Chile**
-  **Czech Republic**
-  **Croatia**
-  **Denmark**
Copenhagen
Scandinavia Nordic Health 2030
Southern Denmark
-  **England**
London
Manchester
North West Coast
Yorks/Humber
South West Coast
Oxford
-  **Estonia**
-  **Finland**
Central Finland
Helsinki
Kuopio
Oulu
Ostrobothnia
South Ostrobothnia
-  **France**
Bretagne
Hauts-de-France
Nice
Normandy
Nouvelle-Aquitaine
Paris
-  **Germany**
Nuremberg
Rheinland
South West Oltenia
-  **Greece**
Athens
-  **Hungary**
West Hungary
-  **India**
-  **Israel**
-  **Italy**
Treviso
-  **Lithuania**
Vilnius
Kaunas
-  **Luxembourg**
-  **Malta**
-  **Mexico**
-  **Moldova**
-  **Montenegro**
-  **Netherlands**
Health Valley
-  **Northern Ireland**
-  **Norway**
Health Tech Cluster
Smart Care Cluster
-  **Poland**
-  **Portugal**
Digital Health Portugal
Health Cluster Portugal
SHAFE Portugal
-  **Republic of Ireland**
-  **Romania**
North East
Transylvania
-  **Serbia**
-  **Scotland**
Highlands & Islands
Scottish Digital Health & Care
-  **Slovenia**
-  **Serbia**
-  **Singapore**
-  **Spain**
Aragón
Basque Country
Castilla y León
Catalonia
Extremadura
Galicia
Madrid
Com. Valenciana
-  **Sri Lanka**
-  **Sweden**
Health & Welfare Technology
North Sweden
Life Science
-  **Switzerland**
DayOne Basel
-  **Turkey**
-  **Ukraine**
-  **Uruguay**
-  **USA**
Central Florida
Los Angeles
Massachusetts
Chicago
St. Louis
-  **Wales**
-  **Zimbabwe**



ECHAlliance Thematic Innovation Ecosystems

ECHAlliance Thematic Innovation Ecosystems target cross-border topics and are led by our ecosystems and members to match need and solution and foster collaboration. The model use our well-established and successful multi-stakeholder approach that places the patient/citizen at the centre of this initiative.



Housing
& Health



Skills for
Health



Digital
Health Data



Life
Sciences



Cancer



Medicines
Optimisation



Continence



Integrated
Care



Health
Procurement



Mental
Health



Digital Health
& Wellbeing



Women's
Health



Telemedicine &
Health Inequalities



Green
Health



Health
Aging



Ecosystem event example

ECHAlliance 5 Nations Ecosystem Gathering

21st March 2023, Dundalk, Ireland

Every crisis is an opportunity: Providing digital health and care outside the hospital



+100
Attendees

5
Nations

27
Speakers



England



Ireland



Northern Ireland



Scotland



Wales



Global Flagship Events





ECHAlliance Global Flagship Events



Online



Las Vegas
hlth.

Nashville
VIVE

Washington
ata

New York
United Nations

Barcelona
4YFN MWC
GSM

Lagos
AHB
AFRICA HEALTH BUSINESS

Kigali
AFRICA HEALTHTECH SUMMIT

Amsterdam
hlth.
EUROPE

Mumbai
DIGITAL HEALTH SUMMIT

ECHAlliance Events Participation



Amsterdam

HLTH Europe

Barcelona

Digital Health & Wellness Summit @ 4YFN - MWC

Brussels

Allied for Startups DTx Startup Congress

EU Health Summit

The European Week of Regions and Cities

Health Procurement Summit

Chicago

HIMMS Annual Conference

Dublin

The National Health Summit

Smart Health Summit

European Public Health Conference

Dundalk

ECHAlliance 5 Nations Ecosystem Gathering

Gaoth Dobhair

Innovators Under 35 Europe

Geneva

WHO General assembly

Helsinki

Radical Health Festival

Johannesburg

Africa Health Business Symposium

Kigali

Africa HealthTech Summit

Las Vegas

HLTH

Lille

AgeingFit

Lisbon

HIMMS Europe

London

Digital Healthcare Show

LSX World Congress

Mumbai

Global Digital Health Summit
Expo innovation Awards

Nashville

ViVE

New York

Science Summit at UNGA

Online

The Digital Health Society Summit

Porto

Data Health Forum Portugal

San Antonio

ATA Annual Conference & Expo

Venice

Privacy Symposium

Warsaw

AI & MEDTECH CEE Conference

Washington

ATA's EDGE

Flagship event



Digital Health & Wellness Summit - 4YFN - MWC

Barcelona

The Digital Health & Wellness Summit is an annual event held at 4YFN - Mobile World Congress (MWC).

The DHWS features keynote speeches, panel discussions, and workshops that explore emerging trends and challenges in the digital health industry.

The summit also provides a platform for networking and collaboration among participants, enabling them to connect with peers, share ideas, and explore new business opportunities.



Flagship event



United Nations



ECHAlliance at United Nations General Assembly

New York, USA

The ECHAlliance Gathering of Global Leaders in New York during United Nations General Assembly included Plenary Sessions and Roundtable Discussions into two pivotal topics: Women's Health and Leveraging AI in Healthcare.

Mala Adiga, Deputy Assistant to the President and Policy Director to the First Lady Dr. Jill Biden from the United States White House, joined the discussions.

1300 Participants

82 Countries



Flagship Event

hlth.



ECHAlliance @ HLTH 2024

Las Vegas, USA

HLTH is an annual event that has become a huge success with over 12,000 attendees each year, including 2,500 CEOs.

Our Members have a unique advantage at HLTH, with opportunities such as speaking slots, and participation in the Global Village located at the heart of the HLTH exhibition.

This provides them access to a wide range of networking opportunities, enabling them to connect with other industry leaders and share their own perspectives on the future of healthcare.

12,500+ attendees



Flagship Event



ECHAlliance @ Africa HealthTech Summit

Kigali, Rwanda

ECHAlliance is the Global Engagement Partner for the Africa Digital Health Networks (ADHN). This year we joined leading digital health experts at the Africa HealthTech Summit in Kigali to discuss the progress of the Africa Digital Health Networks (ADHN), highlighting collaborative efforts to strengthen Africa's digital health ecosystem through innovation and partnerships.

ADHN, launched at the previous year's summit, is a pan-African initiative dedicated to uniting stakeholders from government, private sector, and civil society to address health system challenges through technology.



Intiatives



The Global
Health Connector

Global Health Connector *'Partnership'*





The Global Health Connector ‘Partnership’

ECHAlliance Global Arm

The Global Health Connector Partnership reflects a determined commitment of existing organisations to improve health and care for citizens worldwide through the appropriate use of digital technologies in the provision of health and care services.

Each of the participating organisations have their own missions and priorities, but find commonality through the global vision promoted by the Global Health Connector Partnership.

The GHCP Council includes leading organisations from USA, Africa, Commonwealth, Australia, India and Europe.



We collaborate with and support the UN -through our Sessions at UNGA in New York and our participation in the Summit of the Future. We are also a Non State Actor in the WHO, an approved Supplier and collaborate on projects with them.



Disparities Globaly



Digital Skills Workforce



Data and Digital Services



Green Health



GHCP Theme example

Green Health

Healthcare systems' climate footprint is equivalent to 4.4% of global net emissions.

The GHCP will act as an open forum and platform for players of the healthcare digital and environment sectors, to develop knowledge creation and best practices sharing activities.



At GHCP, we are conscious about the need to act now.

ECHAlliance has joined the **WHO** initiative **ATACH** (the Alliance for Transformative Action on Climate and Health) with players from government entities, intergovernmental entities, and non-State actors to assist WHO in supporting Member States through knowledge sharing, technical support, capacity development and resource mobilisation.



De-carbonize health systems

Promote a green IT for digital health

Develop resilient health systems globally

The Digital Health Society



The Digital Health Society



ECHAlliance Data Arm

The Digital Health Society (DHS), as the data arm of the ECHAlliance Group, serves as an enabler for multi-stakeholder dialogue on digital health and health and care data policies and practices. DHS is a legacy of the Estonian Presidency of the Council of the European Union in 2017 and was formed to promote adoption of digital health and the use of health data.

TOPICS

European Health Data Space

Digital and health literacy

Data-driven health information

Whole-of-sector and whole-of-government vision

Societal Trust

Innovation readiness of the health and care workforce

KEY OBJECTIVES



Share

Harnessing the potential of data requires collective and continuous learning. Powerful insights may come from implementation stories and lessons learnt.



Reflect

Health data governance, sharing and use pose critical challenges that must be handled in open minded, cross-disciplinary and constructive debates.



Mobilize

How can we help the European institutions ensure EHDS is a success for all citizens? How can industry be pivotal in accelerating the process? How can we build citizens' trust?

DHS Roundtables and Reports example

Society needs to scale up a collective capability to learn at scale from health data, to improve health care and to accelerate research. Despite increasing volumes of health data being collected in digital form there are many barriers to widening the uses of it.

In 2020 the Digital Health Society (DHS) partnered with the European Institute for Innovation through Health Data (iHD) to create a series of multi-stakeholder Round Tables to examine these challenges and opportunities of health data, and to propose practical approaches and Calls to Action that could grow and accelerate health data use.

To the date we have **7 round table reports** and the Round Table continues in 2023. Access to all the reports:



DHS Summit



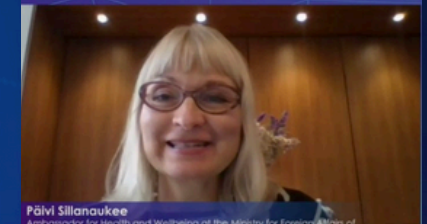
Digital Health Society Summit

The DHS Summit accelerates the transformation of healthcare through digital innovation by bringing together healthcare professionals, industry leaders, policymakers and other stakeholders.

The Summit showcases the latest digital health solutions, discusses emerging trends and challenges, and provides a platform for collaboration and knowledge exchange.

Participants can attend keynote speeches, workshops, and networking sessions to connect with peers, learn about the latest products and services, and shape the future of healthcare in Europe.

1,350+ Registrations



112 Countries

The Team



ECHAlliance Team



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Heather Smith

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Communities team



Innovations team



Communications team



Operations & Events team

ECHAlliance Global Ambassadors

Two circular portrait photos of individuals representing the USA.

USA

A circular portrait photo of a woman representing the UK.

UK

A circular portrait photo of a man representing Spain.

Spain

A circular portrait photo of a man representing Finland.

Finland

A circular portrait photo of a man representing Estonia.

Estonia

A circular portrait photo of a woman representing Singapore.

Singapore

A circular portrait photo of a man representing Australia.

Australia

Global Health Connector 'Partnership Council'



Ireland



Scotland



USA



Wales



USA



Africa



India



Africa



UK

ECHAlliance

Connect, Convene,
Amplify, Accelerate

