

Setting new standards for care technology.

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DiSC and Tech Policy - the story so far



40% of care providers and 50% of people had a digital social care record, with the majority using paperbased records

Government publish the 'People at the Heart of Care' white paper

NHSX Unified Tech Fund supported 13 ICS to start implementing digital social care records



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Approximately 78% of care providers and 80% of people have a digital social care

16 social care record suppliers are currently fully compliant with standards

8 Care Tech Fund projects plus ICS led scaling projects building the evidence base for other care technologies

We bring experience of assurance and standards in ASC to the public commitments, and links to NHS E standards models





But what next...?

We want to set standards for 2 key reasons... CARE

Announcement

On 3rd January the government announced that it will:

'Set new national standards and trusted guidance on the best technology in care, so that people receiving care, their families and care providers can confidently buy what works and get the safest, most effective tech into their homes or services'

Why?

Mitigate safety risks, for example, from the analogue to digital switchover.

Promote adoption of care technology with potential to transform health and care outcomes.



This will support the government's Health Mission, to move from:

- 1) Treatment to prevention
- 2) Hospital to community
- 3) Analogue to digital.



We want to hear from you!

If you are a:

- Care technology supplier,
- Standards supplier,
- Assurance supplier

Department Health and Social Care -Adult Social Care: Technology Standards - Find a Tender

If you are a :

- User of care/support,
- A family/unpaid/informal carer,
- A care worker,
- A care provider,
- A local authority,
- Anybody else involved in the giving or receiving of care!

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