



Why eHealth education is needed

- Commitment to deploy across Europe
- Technologies have been trialled & evaluated
- Some EU Member states have established national services
- eHealth content in educational courses or academic curricula needs development
- Practitioners need more eHealth training





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- eHealth technology ready to scale up
- Increase number of informed managers & practitioners
- Identified as factor in failure to implement
- Partners must understand each other's concerns
- Improved legal and ethical standards
- Employers responsibilities to workforce





What can be done?

- Develop & deliver education / training programme, initially:
 - Half-day workshops
 - Online programme of 12-20 hours study
 - Written work to define learning & achievement





What can be done?

- Later:
 - Comprehensive programme offering specific opportunities for users, industry, professionals
 - Online and face to face environments
- Aiming for CPD Certification
- Develop with staff at LSE
- Collaborate with educational institutions





Impact on eHealth

- Reach out to policy makers, industry, budget holders, & professionals
- Build understanding of costs & benefits
- Build common understanding
- Increase utilisation of eHealth





Collaboration

- National & European level
 - Professional bodies
 - Trade associations
 - Healthcare policymakers
 - Healthcare management
 - Policy makers and regulators

