



transforming health through information and technology™



HIMSS Fact Sheet

HIMSS is a global advisor and thought leader supporting the transformation of health through information and technology.

As a mission driven non-profit, HIMSS offers a unique depth and breadth of expertise in health innovation, public policy, workforce development, research and analytics to advise global leaders, stakeholders and influencers on best practices in health information and technology. Through our innovation companies, HIMSS delivers key insights, education and engaging events to healthcare providers, governments and market suppliers, ensuring they have the right information at the point of decision.

As an association, HIMSS encompasses more than 72,000 individual members and 630 corporate members. We partner with hundreds of providers, academic institutions and health services organizations on strategic initiatives that leverage innovative information and technology. Together, we work to improve health, access and the quality and cost-effectiveness of healthcare.

Headquartered in Chicago, Illinois, HIMSS serves the global health information and technology communities with focused operations across North America, Europe, United Kingdom, the Middle East and Asia Pacific.

HIMSS Vision

Better health through information and technology.

HIMSS Mission

Globally, lead endeavors optimizing health engagements and care outcomes through information and technology.

As a member of HIMSS:

- Connect with others who share common interests, through committees, chapters and communities;
- Continue learning with regional, national, international and virtual events offering information and technology thought leadership for tomorrow – and practical solutions for today – on health and healthcare;
- Strengthen and boost personal career potential with resources to help meet the demand for qualified health information and technology professionals;
- Help lead and frame thought leadership on vital health information and technology issues, including supporting and operationalizing innovation, patient engagement, emerging care models, patient safety, patient care, and privacy and security.

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HIMSS Innovation Companies

Health 2.0

Health 2.0 promotes, showcases and catalyzes new technologies in healthcare. Through a worldwide series of conferences, Health 2.0 brings together the best minds, resources and technologies for compelling panels, discussions and live product demonstrations.

Health 2.0's annual flagship event is held each fall in Silicon Valley. In addition, Health 2.0 and HIMSS co-host Dev4Health, an event for developers in health, and multiple international conferences including HIMSS and Health 2.0 Europe and Health 2.0 Japan. Health 2.0 also co-hosts live events that bring together start-ups, investors and customers, VentureConnect, an investor-focused pitch competition and MarketConnect Live, a curated forum connecting buyers and sellers of health technologies.

Healthbox

Healthbox is a healthcare innovation services firm that leading organizations trust with decisions on when and how to build, buy or partner. Healthbox was the first to combine investing experience and consulting services in a way that is strategic, objective and actionable for providers, payers and others across the industry. Healthbox drives innovation from inside the organization and out to rapidly deliver dynamic results.

HIMSS Analytics

HIMSS Analytics is a global healthcare advisor, providing guidance and market intelligence solutions that move the industry forward with insight to enable better health through the use of IT. As a trusted healthcare research and advisory firm, the industry depends on HIMSS Analytics' resources, benchmarks, predictive models and assessment tools to improve decision making regarding their IT strategic roadmap and market strategy.

HIMSS Media

HIMSS Media is an innovative digital information and in-person events group that supports HIMSS' mission by delivering news, analysis, thought leadership and educational content to a global audience of healthcare technology decision makers and influencers. Its goal is to help audiences stay informed and better understand how technology and innovation is shaping the future of healthcare. HIMSS Media's portfolio includes *Healthcare IT News*, *MobiHealthNews*, HIMSS Learning Center, HIMSSTV, Healthcare Security Forum and Big Data and Healthcare Analytics Forum. Through the HIMSS Media Lab, our unique customer database provides research, content analytics, data-driven insights and content marketing services to help clients achieve their marketing objectives.

Personal Connected Health Alliance

PCHAlliance accelerates the technical, business, policy and social strategies necessary to drive advancements in mobile and communications technologies, personal devices, health trackers and apps for consumers and healthcare providers. Its members represent the full connected health ecosystem, including icons in technology and life sciences, innovative, early stage companies, as well as governments, academic institutions, and associations from around the world. PCHAlliance hosts the Connected Health Conference, the premier international event for the exchange of research, evidence, ideas, innovations and opportunities around personal connected health. PCHAlliance publishes and promotes the adoption of the Continua Design Guidelines, recognized by the International Telecommunication Union (ITU) as the standard for the safe, secure and reliable exchange of data to and from personal health devices.