



News Headlines 5 May 2016

Over the last few months, we have been providing weekly headlines only since our Innovate UK funding ended in March 2015.

Our news service has been available since October 2005. Our Housing LIN and Telecare LIN membership database exceeds 40,000 people from around the world.

From January 2016 we are now back with a [monthly](#) Telecare LIN roundup as well as maintaining weekly headlines together with daily news via Twitter (follow @clarkmike and #TLINnews).

As in the past, we will be continuing to bring you an extensive curated coverage of digital health and technology enabled care references from the UK and around the world including telehealth, telecare, mobile health, telemedicine, ehealth, smart home technologies and Internet of Things. We will also be including more in the future on health informatics (including electronic health and care records), big data, artificial intelligence as well as health and care robotics.

Weekly Headlines

Worsening depression 'may predict dementia risk - via [BBCNews](#)

With increasing pressure on finances, NHS England has not controlled cost of specialised services - via [NAOorguk](#)

Will.i.am's Back With a New AI That Lives on Your Wrist—Or in Your Clothes - via [WIRED](#)

Will AI complementing human doctors become 'as ubiquitous as stethoscopes? - via [WiredUK](#)

Why your robotic surgeon will have a human overlord looking over its shoulder - via [geekwire](#)

Why these people need to be kept away from digital transformations - via [InformationAge](#)

Why So Many Doctors Are Advising Startups - via [FastCompany](#)

Why image recognition is about to transform business - via [TechCrunch](#)

What will health tech mean for ordinary people in 2026? - via [idgconnect](#)

We Tested the Canadian Health App That Claims to Measure 'Internal Age - via [motherboard](#)

Vulnerable people regularly refused access to GPs, says charity - via [guardian](#)

To identify problems early, hospital trials embed MH workers on teams of doctors seeing patients - via [WSJ](#)

Think the NHS is in poor health? Try being ill under the US system | Arwa Mahdawi - via [guardian](#)

There's No Place Like Home: The Evolving Concept of Healthcare Provision - via [MDTeditor](#)

The social care sector will need to fill around 400,000 jobs by 2035 (How?) - via [cmm_magazine](#)

The journey to integration: Learning from the seven leading localities - via [LGAWellbeing](#)

The Internet of Things Needs Design, Not Just Technology - via [HarvardBiz](#)

The future of apps is chatbots, and it's going to be terrible: by Alex Hern - via [guardian](#)

The experiments providing homes around the world - via [guardian](#)

The driverless truck is coming, and it's potentially going to automate millions of jobs - via [TechCrunch](#)

The 200 billion dollar chatbot disruption - via [VentureBeat](#)

Telemedicine is applied too broadly and it will take time to identify ideal applications - via [medcitynews](#)

Telehealth Startup WeCounsel Nabs \$3.5M to Connect Mental Health Providers - via [hitconsultant](#)

Telehealth in Practice - Care Delivery Models from 14 Regions in Europe - via [U4H_EC](#)

Tech giant Nokia to acquire digital health device maker Withings for \$191 million - via [MobiHealthNews](#)

Survey: Only 22% of Digital Health Users Use EHRs to Make Medical Decisions - via [hitconsultant](#)

Survey: 20 percent of US households own an activity tracking wearable - via [MobiHealthNews](#)

Sphero, Cyberdyne and Shadow Robot: 3 robot companies to watch - via [FinancialTimes](#)

Southern Health criticised for putting 'patients at risk' - via [BBCNews](#)

So much for the smart home: Researchers reveal major security flaws in popular IOT system - via [MailOnline](#)

Six things to change in community healthcare for older people - via [guardian](#)

Six searches that show the power of Google - via [BBCRoryCJ](#)

She has a name: Amazon's Alexa is a sleeper hit, with serious superfans - via [guardian](#)

Shafi Ahmed: Use of VR, AR and robotics in surgery - via [WiredUK](#)

Samsung Presents Its Vision For The Hyper Connected World - via [applause](#)

Samsung 'S Health' Now 'Used' by 150 Million Worldwide - via [Business_Korea](#)

Here is why there are so many hot AI startups being built in the UK right now - via [BI_Europe](#)

Prototype Otto 'personal assistant' robot at developer's conference - via [DigitalTrends](#)

Review: August Smart Lock with HomeKit - via [TheNextWeb](#)

Revealed: Google AI has access to huge haul of NHS patient data - via [newscientist](#)

Researchers: Telehealth 'no holy grail' for COPD patients - via [FierceHealthIT](#)

Readiness to change in NHS organisations - via [HealthFdn](#)

RCGP Survey: Nearly 60% of Scottish GPs plan to leave or cut their hours - via [guardian](#)

Prevention of falls in older people living in the community - via [bmj_latest](#)

Prevention is the only cure for the NHS by @Tanni_GT - via [HSJnews\(£ subs\)](#)

Petition against pharmacy closures gets a million signatures - via [guardian](#)

Observer Survey: Is UK in the throes of a housing crisis? - via [guardian](#)

NHS technology: saving the health service one byte at a time - Guardian roundtable - via [guardian](#)

NHS spending on specialist services for rare diseases threatening everyday budget, NAO warns - via [Independent](#)

New Medicaid rule carves out a place for telemedicine in care networks - via [MobiHealthNews](#)

New gene therapy treatment boosts quest for vision loss cures - via [guardian](#)

Nearly half of care homes in South East told to improve standards - via [BBCNews](#)

My Applewatch after 365 Days - via [MollyWattTalks](#)

MPs: UK air pollution is a 'public health emergency' - via [guardian](#)

Margaret McCartney: How to misspend £2.4bn (GP Forward View & evidence) - via [bmj_latest](#)

Lifespan gap could be widening in England and Wales - via [BBCNews](#)

LBB Alcove: disrupting the telecare market in style - via [TechMarketView](#)

Key trends in the evolution of intelligent assistance - via [VentureBeat](#)

Kelton Global/Nest Connected Home Survey - via [BusinessWire](#)

JRF study looks at the number of households in the UK living in destitution - via [guardian](#)

Is the NHS underdoctored, underfunded and overstretched? - via [BBCHughPym](#)

Inside OpenAI, Elon Musk's Wild Plan to Set Artificial Intelligence Free - via [WIRED](#)

If scientists want to influence policymaking, they need to understand it - via [guardian](#)

Huge Untapped Potential in Communities. It's Time for Social Care and Health to Harness It - via [HuffingtonPost](#)

How Uber conquered London | Sam Knight - via [guardian](#)

How the NHS will move from 'stone age to digital age - via [WiredUK](#)

House of Commons: Digital Records in the NHS - via [CommonsHansard](#)

Hospital Discharge: It's One Of The Most Dangerous Periods For Patients - via [KHNews](#)

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Hillingdon Hospitals develops care record app - via [digitalhealth2](#)

Green Access delivers UK's first IP based telecare system - via [GreenAccessPLC](#)

Google partners Uber and others on driverless car regulation and potential benefits - via [BBCNews](#)

Google given access to estimated 1.6m UK patient records for research - via [BBCNews](#)

Good health begins at home - via [RouseJonDGDH](#)

Gloucestershire Fire and Rescue Service to serve whole county with Telecare response - via [glosnewscentre](#)

Genetic therapy has improved the vision of some people who would otherwise have gone blind - via [BBCNews](#)

GeckoSystems' Japanese JV Securing \$1m for Eldercare Companion Robot R&D - via [Marketwired](#)

From U.S.: Joint Commission Ends Text Messaging Ban for Clinicians - via [mHealthIntel](#)

From U.S.: How Medicare's payment overhaul tries to change how docs use tech - via [modrnhealthcr](#)

From the U.S.: Project ECHO Poised to Become a National Telehealth Model - via [mHealthIntel](#)

From the U.S.: A Battle Brews Over Nurse Licensing in the Digital Age - via [WSJ](#)

From Canada: Be wary of using unmonitored mental health app forums, experts say - via [CTVNews](#)

From Australia: NSW 5 year telehealth strategy signals shift from small to sustainable - via [PulseITMagazine](#)

Four Seasons Health Care reports £264m annual loss - via [guardian](#)

Final care home of £60m ten home project in Suffolk is officially opened - via [buryfree](#)

Facebook's early investors back an app connecting you to specialist docs in 30 minutes - via [techinasia](#)

Even your connected car will need antivirus software - via [TechCrunch](#)

Do not resuscitate orders placed on patients without consent, says study - via [guardian](#)

Digital transformation: Focus on Keeping Up with Your Customers, Not Your Competitors - via [HarvardBiz](#)

Digital transformation in government and blockchain technology by Matt Hancock - via [cabinetofficeuk](#)

Digital healthcare brands: the robo-doctor might finally see you now - via [SiegelGale](#)

Digital health innovators have a long way to go in sharing their expertise - via [medcitynews](#)

Digital Health – Big data, big business...big problems? - via [anniecoops](#)

Could moving beyond checklists make the NHS safer? - via [WiredUK](#)

Community social work: the shift from what's wrong to what's strong - via [LynRomeo_CSW](#)

Commissioning: how this call for evidence can shape the future of carer support - via [DHgovuk](#)

CHIME Urges FDA to Advance Medical Device Interoperability - via [EHRIntel](#)

Child mental health crisis 'worse than suspected' - via [guardian](#)

Charities' historic pledge sees funding for landmark Dementia Research Institute soar to £250m - via [bisgovuk](#)

Centre for Ageing Better calls on employers to create age friendly workplaces - via [Ageing_Better](#)

Celebrating disability innovations in technology - via [ITProPortal](#)

Can avatars & robots be used to help patients with schizophrenia, autism - via [myCORDIS](#)

Call for Action: Interoperability Implementation at Scale (InterOpen) - via [techUK](#)

Bullying in health teams undermines patient care, finds study - via [bmjcareers](#)

Big Data Overload: Why Most Companies Can't Deal With The Data Explosion - via [Forbes](#)

Attempt to improve healthcare has focused on making people happy, rather than making them well - via [TheAtlantic](#)

Are electric cars ready to go mainstream? - via [BBCRoryCJ](#)

Apps & devices are being designed to help manage care of older patients, but they're going unused - via [CNETNews](#)

Apple releases its open source CareKit framework, adds Cleveland Clinic as early adopter - via [MobiHealthNews](#)

Apple is opening up its CareKit framework to developers - via [TIME](#)

Apple dives straight into health care with release of first CareKit apps - via [verge](#)

App spots patterns to help diabetes patients avoid hospitalization - via [medcitynews](#)

Almost two million patients to benefit from new digital tool - via [HealthITCentral](#)

AI to Surpass Human Perception in 5 to 10 Years, Zuckerberg Says - via [datanami](#)

Ageing Cities: Never too old to play: playgrounds for the elderly – in pictures - via [guardian](#)

Advances in telemedicine: an interview with Dr Ameet Bakhai - via [NewsMedical](#)

Advanced Artificial Intelligence and the Future of Health - via [HealthStandards](#)

AARP: We Need Technology to Bridge the Caregiver Gap - via [HHCareNews](#)

10 Most Successful Big Data Technologies - via [GilPress](#)

10 Medical Technologies That Will Make You Hopeful About Our Future - via [Berci](#)

£250,000 Torfaen digital project labelled 'an embarrassment' - via [BBCNews](#)

George Freeman warns anxieties over using data will hold back digital potential in healthcare - via [UKAuthority](#)

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