

Health and wellness needs (ICTs and the Health Sector: Towards Smarter Health and Wellness Models)

Smarter health and wellness systems are needed to support better and more efficient care, encourage greater system-wide accountability and facilitate the promotion of healthy lifestyles and independent living. "Smart" technologies can help governments to tackle the current weaknesses in six key components of health systems: service delivery, finance, governance, quality of care, workforce and information. Effective integration of health and social care represents a key barrier to progress.

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