

Press release

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TELEMEDICINE TECHNOLOGIES joins 40-Partner Consortium in xShare Initiative to Revolutionise Health Data Sharing in Europe.



January 18, 2023 – Telemedicine Technologies (TTSA) proudly announces its participation as a key partner in the groundbreaking xShare project, which was officially launched on 1st December 2023 in Brussels. The xShare initiative, led by a consortium of 40 esteemed partners, introduces the xShare 'yellow button' and industry label to facilitate the sharing of health data in the European Electronic Health Records Exchange Format (EHRxF), aligning with the upcoming European Health Data Space (EHDS) regulation.

The xShare 'yellow button' will revolutionise the way we access and share our health data, empowering individuals to exercise their data portability rights under GDPR with a simple click. This innovative approach aims to transform primary care, population health, and clinical research by ensuring the safe, trusted, and informed use of health data across Europe.

Telemedicine Technologies is among the early adopters of the xShare 'yellow button,' joining other forward-thinking organisations in driving this digital health transformation. The xShare Industry Label, associated with the 'yellow button,' ensures product conformity to the European EHRxF, further enhancing the credibility of this revolutionary initiative. The xShare project is supported by DIGITALEUROPE with assistance from MedTech Europe.

In addition, **the establishment of the European EHRxF Standards and Policy Hub, led by Robert Stegwee of CEN/TC 251, aims to provide ongoing support for the sustainability of the xShare label and the EHRxF format.** This hub brings together six standards development organisations (SDOs), including CEN/TC 251, HL7 Europe, IHE Europe, SNOMED, CDISC, and IEEE, ensuring collaboration and expertise in shaping the future of European digital health.

Monitoring adoption and capacity building activities will be spearheaded by Veli Stroetmann of Empirica and Professor Henrique Martins of ICSTE, with the support of the XpanDH coordination and support action and the Xt-EHR Joint Action. Investment will also be made to encourage the implementation of the 'yellow button' in digital health applications, population dashboards, and clinical research across Europe.

The xShare consortium, co-led by MedCom (DK) and HL7 Europe (BE), comprises a diverse group of partners, including standards developing organisations, industry associations, ministries of health, government agencies, and SMEs as early xShare adopters in eight European Member States. This collaboration positions the European EHRx Standards and Policy Hub as a critical infrastructure for research and innovation in Europe.



About Telemedicine Technologies

Telemedicine Technologies is an editor of collaborative e-Health solutions, leader in the field of Clinical Research with its CleanWeb solution, a secure internet platform dedicated to the electronic management of clinical trials and registries.

The company has set up more than 5,000 studies involving more than 20,000 investigating centres located in 64 countries with 50,000 users worldwide.

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