



Digital Health Technologies and Digital Therapeutics: *to upgrade the chronic disease management model*

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**Webinar for members of EIPG
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About the Speaker

Giuseppe Recchia is co-founder and CEO of DigitalRehab and daVi DigitalMedicine, startups involved in the research and development of patient-facing Digital Health Technologies. Current R&D pipeline includes Digital Therapeutic candidates for arterial hypertension (in collaboration with Polifarma spa), chronic insomnia (in collaboration with the University of Verona), motor rehabilitation (DigitalRehab srl) and a Care Support for Macular Degeneration (in collaboration with Catholic Sacred Heart University of Rome).

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Overview of Webinar

Digital health technologies can enable a new management model of chronic disease, able to bridge care needs between visits and modify dysfunctional patient behaviour.

Patient-facing digital health technologies represent the emerging and most innovative area of health management for patients with chronic illnesses. This involves software that in most cases must be certified as a medical device and qualified for the specific category.

Among the different categories are Patient Monitoring, Care Supports (devices for the patient's self-management of chronic disease) and Digital Therapeutics (DTx) are those with the greatest potential to upgrade the patient pathway.

Digital Therapeutics are defined as 'health software intended to treat or alleviate a disease, disorder, condition, or injury by generating and delivering a medical intervention that has a demonstrable positive therapeutic impact on a patient's health' (ISO TR/11147:2023).

Education of healthcare professionals, patient information and reimbursement are some of the main aspects that need to be addressed and managed in order to facilitate the transfer of these new digital technologies into medical practice and healthcare.

Learning Outcomes

At the end of this webinar, you will be able to:

- know the new classification of Digital Health Technologies
- understand the meaning of patient-facing Digital Health Technologies
- differentiate between Patient Monitoring, Care Supports and Digital Therapeutics
- know the definition of Digital Therapeutic understand the processes of research and development, technology assessment and reimbursement of Digital Therapeutics.

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