





Digital Health Week 2025

Briefing Note

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## The Future of Digital Health to 2030

• Digital Health Week 2025 (DHW 2025) will serve as a global space for collective engagement on digital health and universal health coverage. It will be a platform where the perspectives of youth and marginalised communities are elevated at the global level.

The week will bring together governments, civil society, youth, private sector actors, and development partners to spotlight the future of digital health and shape the policy agenda for the decade ahead.

DHW 2025 will also serve as a strategic consultation moment for Transform Health's flagship advocacy deliverable, the <u>Roadmap to 2030: Health for All in the Digital Age</u>.

## Why it matters

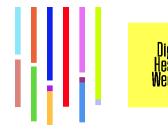
 Digital transformation has become central to strengthening health systems and delivering on the promise of health for all. It expands access, improves quality of care, and helps make health systems more resilient. Yet fragmentation of approaches, inequitable access, and weak governance mechanisms continue to slow progress.

Digital Health Week provides a moment for collective focus. By convening stakeholders across regions and sectors, the week creates opportunities to align around shared priorities, exchange solutions, and build momentum towards a more equitable digital health future.

#### Goals for 2025

DHW 2025 builds on the success of previous years while becoming more outcomes-driven.
The goals this year are to create a global space where youth, civil society, and gender
equity actors shape the conversation on the future of digital health, to strengthen
collaboration across regions and sectors by enabling partners to learn from each other and
connect their work





#### Theme and sub-themes

- The unifying theme for 2025 is The Future of Digital Health to 2030. Events and activities will explore sub-themes that reflect key priorities for health systems worldwide:
  - 1. Equity and inclusion: This theme will spotlight how digital health can address the digital divide, expand access for youth, women, and marginalised groups, and design systems that respond to the realities of diverse communities.
  - 2. Trust and responsible data use: This theme will explore how to put trust at the centre of digital health transformation.
  - 3. Artificial intelligence and emerging technologies: This theme will explore how AI and emerging technologies can be applied responsibly and equitably, ensuring that innovation drives progress for everyone, not just a few.
  - 4. Financing and investment: This theme will spotlight the future of financing and investment - examining how resources can be mobilised fairly and effectively to achieve universal health coverage in the digital age.
  - 5. Policy and governance: This theme will explore how policies and governance can create the enabling environments needed for digital health to thrive - ensuring progress that is accountable, equitable, and built to last.

While not required, hosts are encouraged to align their events or activities with one of these sub-themes. Doing so helps connect local and organisational priorities to the broader global vision of achieving Universal Health Coverage by 2030 through digital transformation.

## How to participate

• Participation in DHW is open and decentralised. Partners are invited to design contributions that align with the theme and sub-themes. These may include events, whether online, hybrid, or in person, or other forms of engagement such as campaigns, publications, opinion pieces, or media actions. Organisations can also choose to host consultations feeding into the Roadmap to 2030, supported by guidance from Transform Health to ensure input can be meaningfully integrated.

#### In brief:

- Host an event (online, hybrid, in-person).
- Run an activity (campaign, publication, op-ed, media).
- Attend events and amplify the conversation.
- Host a Roadmap to 2030 consultation











## **Key Dates:**

- **July 2025** → Event registration opens
- 17 September 2025 → DHW website launched
- **5 October 2025** → Deadline to register to host a Roadmap Consultation (subject to Transform Health guidance & quality assurance)
- 24 October 2025 → Deadline for partners to register a Digital Health Week events/activities
- 3-9 November 2025 → Digital Health Week global week of action
- **December 2025** → Outcomes & commitments report published

### What's Next

- Register your event
- Let us know if your organisation would like to host a Roadmap to 2030 Consultation. Please contact: kristiana.bruneau@transformhealthcoalition.org
- Showcase your organisation's digital health contributions towards the future of digital health for all.
- Build collaborations across organisations, regions and sectors.
- Use DHW learnings to influence future policies, strategies, and investments.

