



# Why eHealth education is needed

- Commitment to deploy across Europe
- Technologies have been trialled & evaluated
- Some EU Member states have established national services
- eHealth content in educational courses or academic curricula needs development
- Practitioners need more eHealth training





# Why eHealth education is needed

- eHealth technology ready to scale up
- Increase number of informed managers & practitioners
- Identified as factor in failure to implement
- Partners must understand each other's concerns
- Improved legal and ethical standards
- Employers responsibilities to workforce





# What can be done?

- Develop & deliver education / training programme, initially:
  - Half-day workshops
  - Online programme of 12-20 hours study
  - Written work to define learning & achievement





# What can be done?

- Later:
  - Comprehensive programme offering specific opportunities for users, industry, professionals
  - Online and face to face environments
- Aiming for CPD Certification
- Develop with staff at LSE
- Collaborate with educational institutions





# Impact on eHealth

- Reach out to policy makers, industry, budget holders, & professionals
- Build understanding of costs & benefits
- Build common understanding
- Increase utilisation of eHealth





# Collaboration

- National & European level
  - Professional bodies
  - Trade associations
  - Healthcare policymakers
  - Healthcare management
  - Policy makers and regulators

