

# Responsible Artificial Intelligence for Health

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# Why use Artificial Intelligence?

# Industrialization of Healthcare



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Health Factory, Norway, 2010

# Health Care Costs Are Rising at Unsustainable Rates

**Rising Healthcare Costs  
and  
Rising Burden of Disease**



**Risks of Unsustainability**



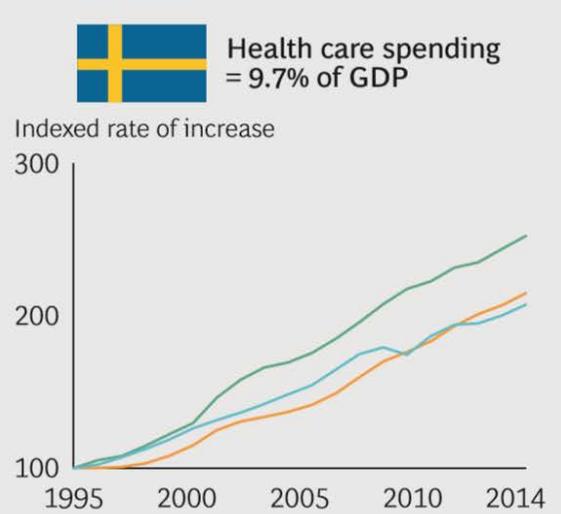
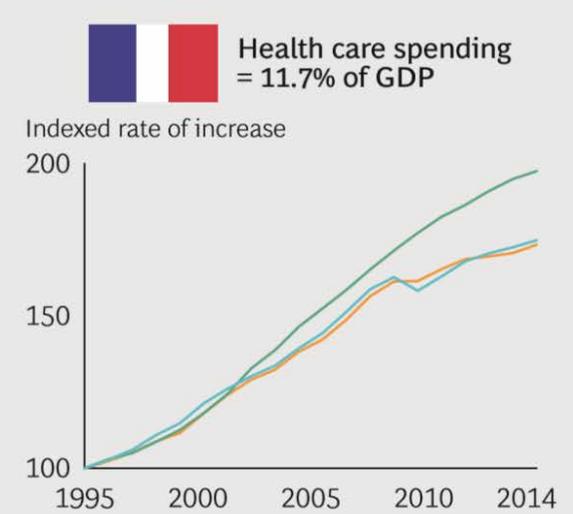
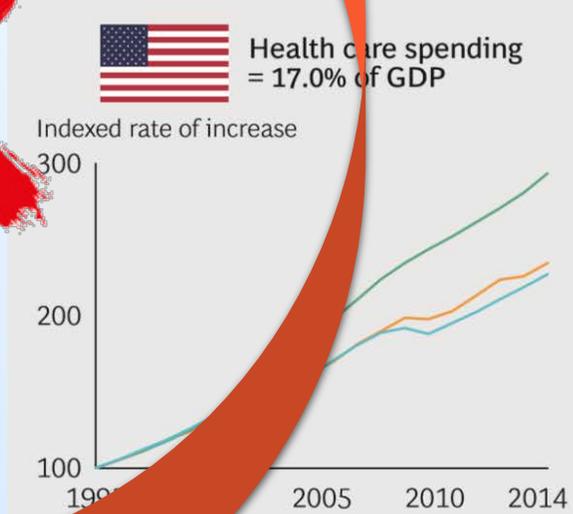
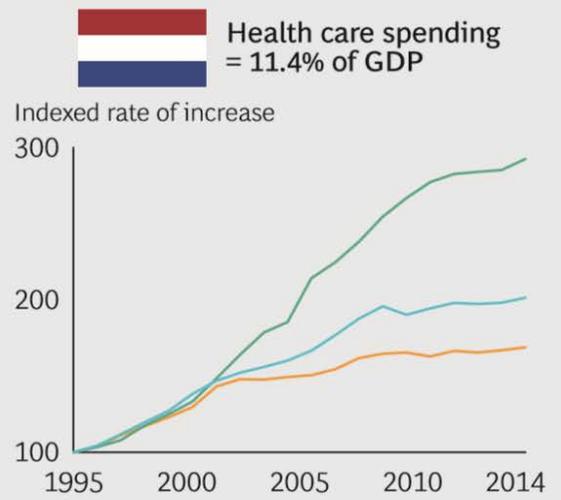
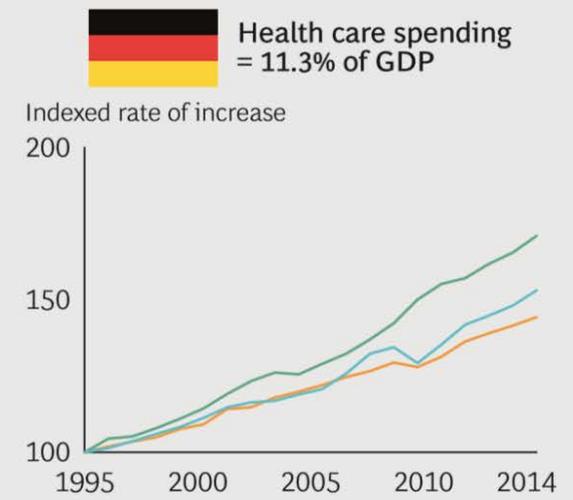
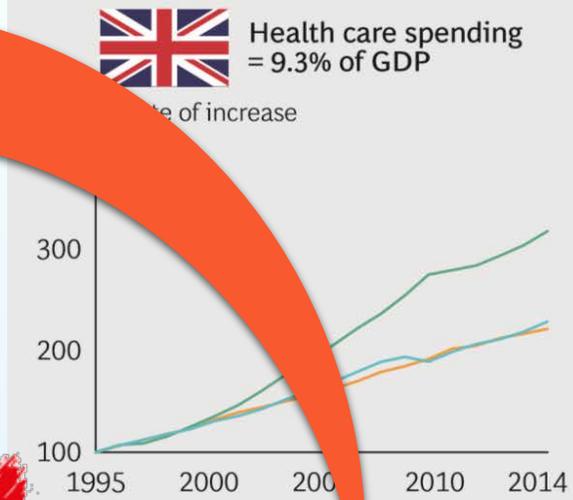
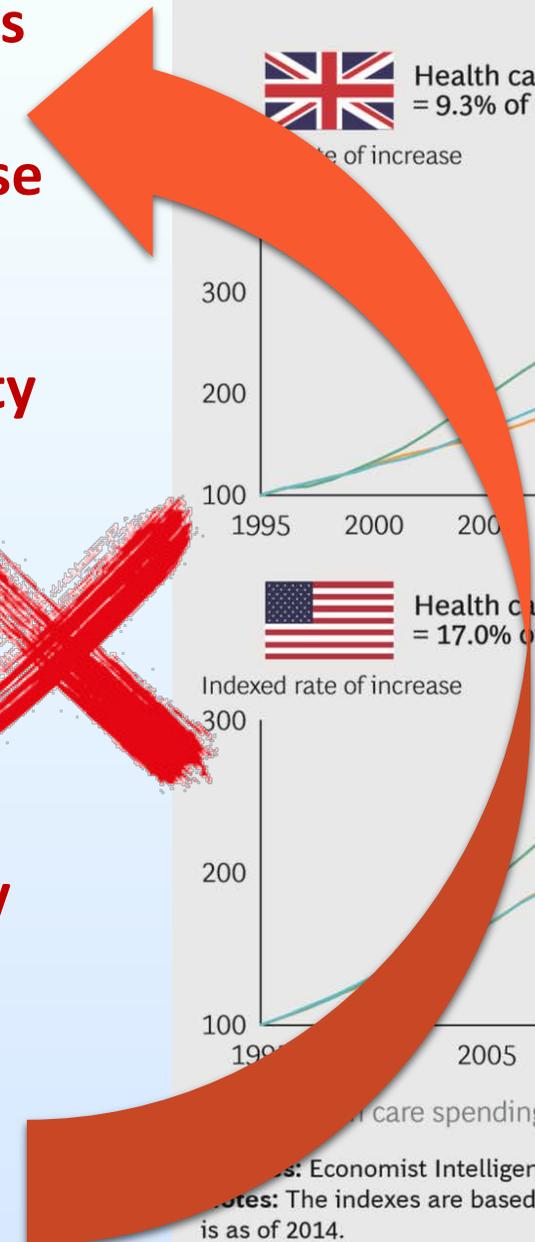
**Universal Health  
Coverage**



**Worse health - mainly  
for most vulnerable  
populations**



**Rise of inequalities  
and poverty**



Source: Economist Intelligence Unit, May 2015; Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development; BCG analysis.  
Notes: The indexes are based on local currencies; 1995 = 100; income = personal disposable income; health care spending as a percentage of GDP is as of 2014.

## Impact on a person's health status

### Exogenous Factors

60%

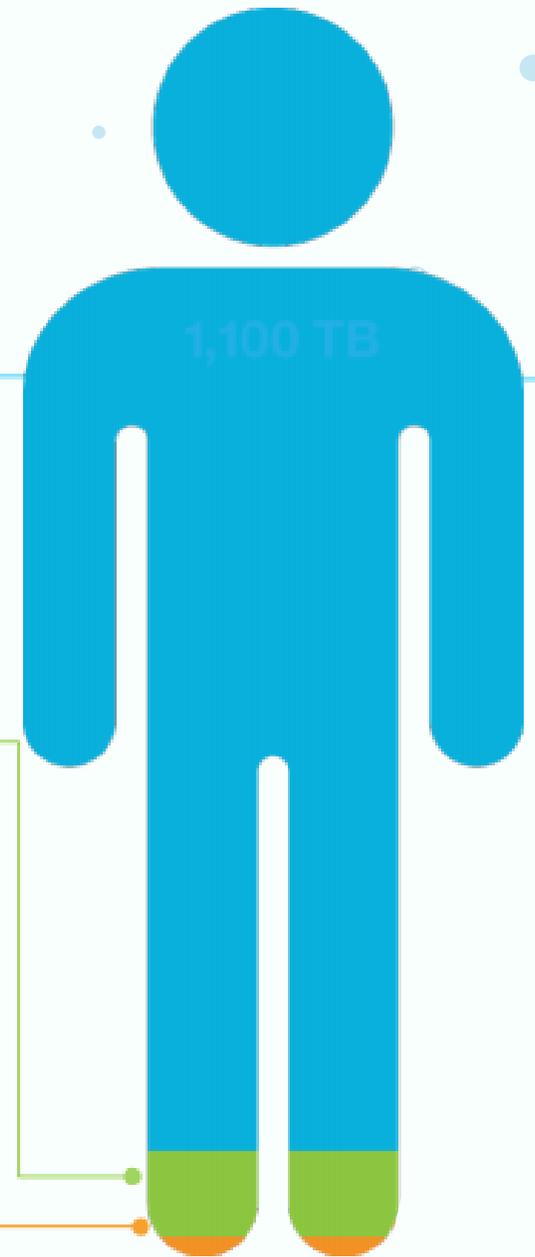
Environment & Social Context, Behavior

### Genomic Factors

30%

### Clinical Factors

10%



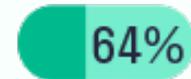
**Don't retrofit AI  
into your health  
system...**



# SHARE OF AI ADOPTION

across various industries

Technology



Financial Services



Health Care & Pharmaceutical



Automotive



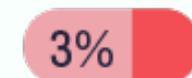
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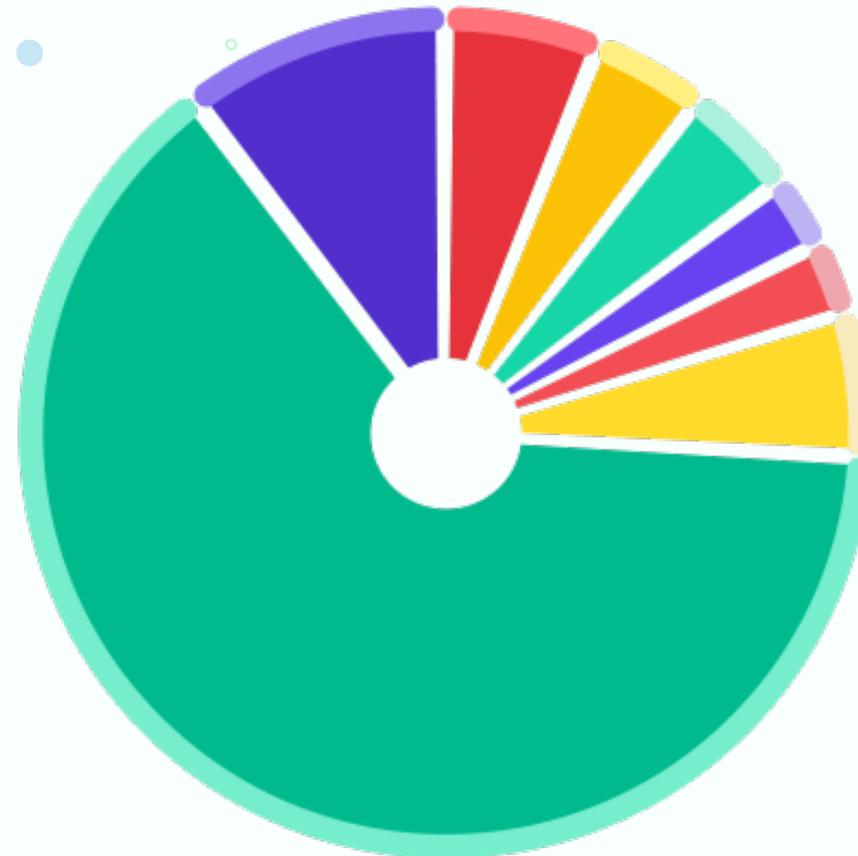
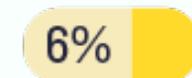
Construction & Real Estate



Energy



Other





**Why We Should Embrace  
AI Rather Than Fear It?**

# AI across the Health Value Chain



## Research & Development

**Drug Discovery:**  
Accelerates candidate identification

**Clinical Trials:**  
Optimizes trial design

**Genomic Sequencing:**  
Speeds analysis of genetic data

**Virtual Patient Simulations:** Reduces need for early-stage human trials

**Systems Medicine:**  
Designs complex therapies

## Manufacturing & Distribution

**Supply Chain Optimization:** Reduces waste, improves delivery

**Quality Control:**  
Ensures product safety at scale

**Inventory Management:**  
Optimizes stock levels

**Autonomous Manufacturing:**  
Enhances efficiency, reduces error

**Predictive Maintenance for Equipment:** Minimizes downtime

## Population Health & Delivery of Care

**Diagnostic Assistance:**  
Improves accuracy of diagnostics

**Treatment Personalization:** Tailors treatment plans

**Robotic Surgery:** Aids in precise surgeries

**Remote Surgery:**  
Expands access to expert surgical care

**Real-Time Population & Patient Monitoring:** Identifies, anticipates and prevents threats, diseases and complications

## Post-Care & Monitoring

**Remote Monitoring:**  
Monitors patient health remotely

**Rehabilitative AI Tools:**  
Provides feedback during rehabilitation

**Predictive Risk Modeling:** Aids preventative care efforts

**Personal Health Assistants:** Offers personalized health management

**Mental Health Interventions:** Provides real-time therapy support

## Admin & Info Management

**Billing & Claims Processing:** Automates administrative tasks

**Patient Data Management:**  
Improves data security and compliance

**Resource Allocation:**  
Optimizes use of healthcare resources

**AI-driven Policy & Compliance:** Suggests efficiency-improving policies and semi-automates compliance

**Fraud Detection:**  
Detects and prevents fraudulent activities



# Global AI in Healthcare Market

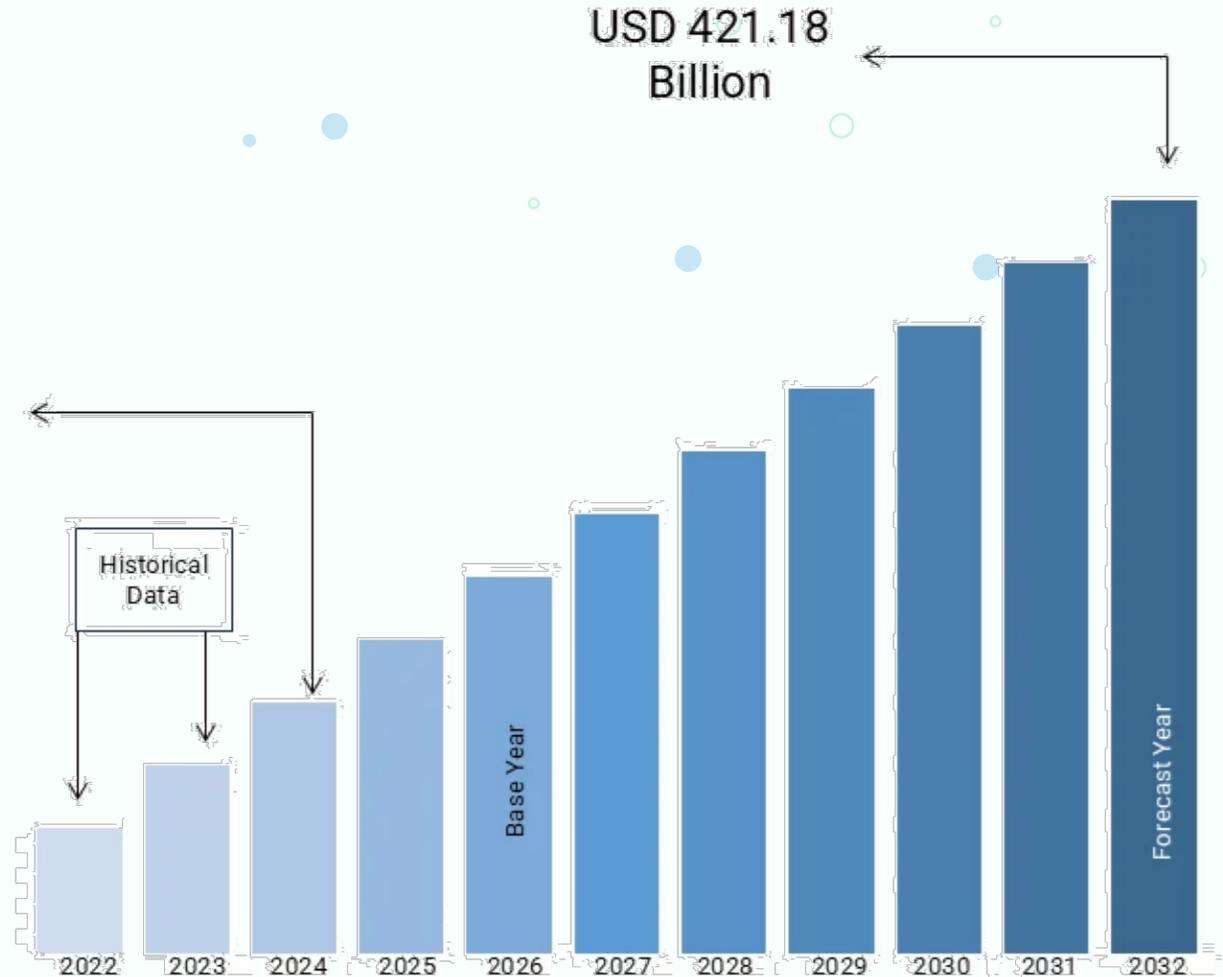
## Market Size Overview



# 49.8%

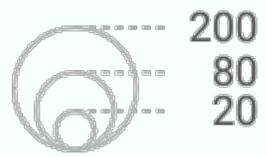
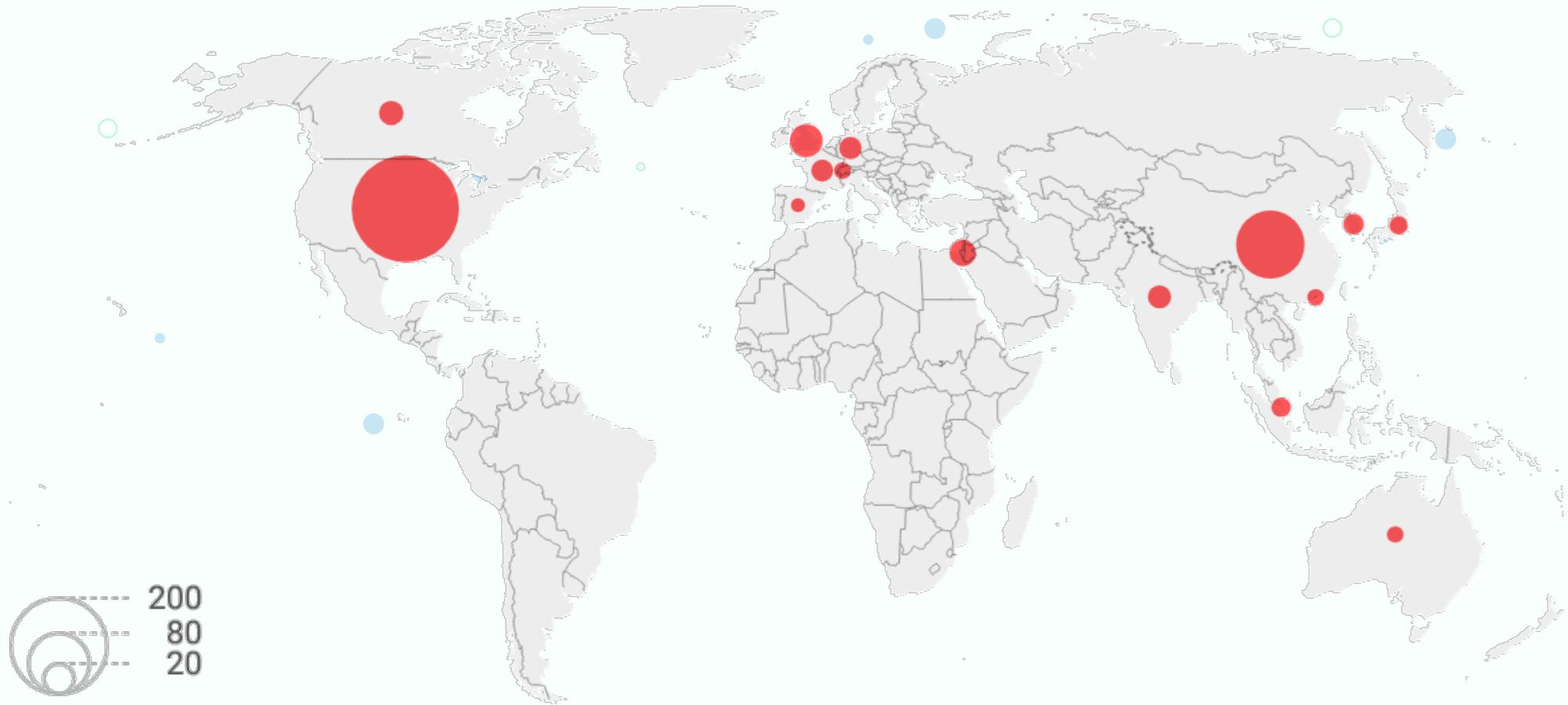
USD  
16.61  
Billion

Global market CAGR,  
2024 - 2032



# Private investment in AI by country

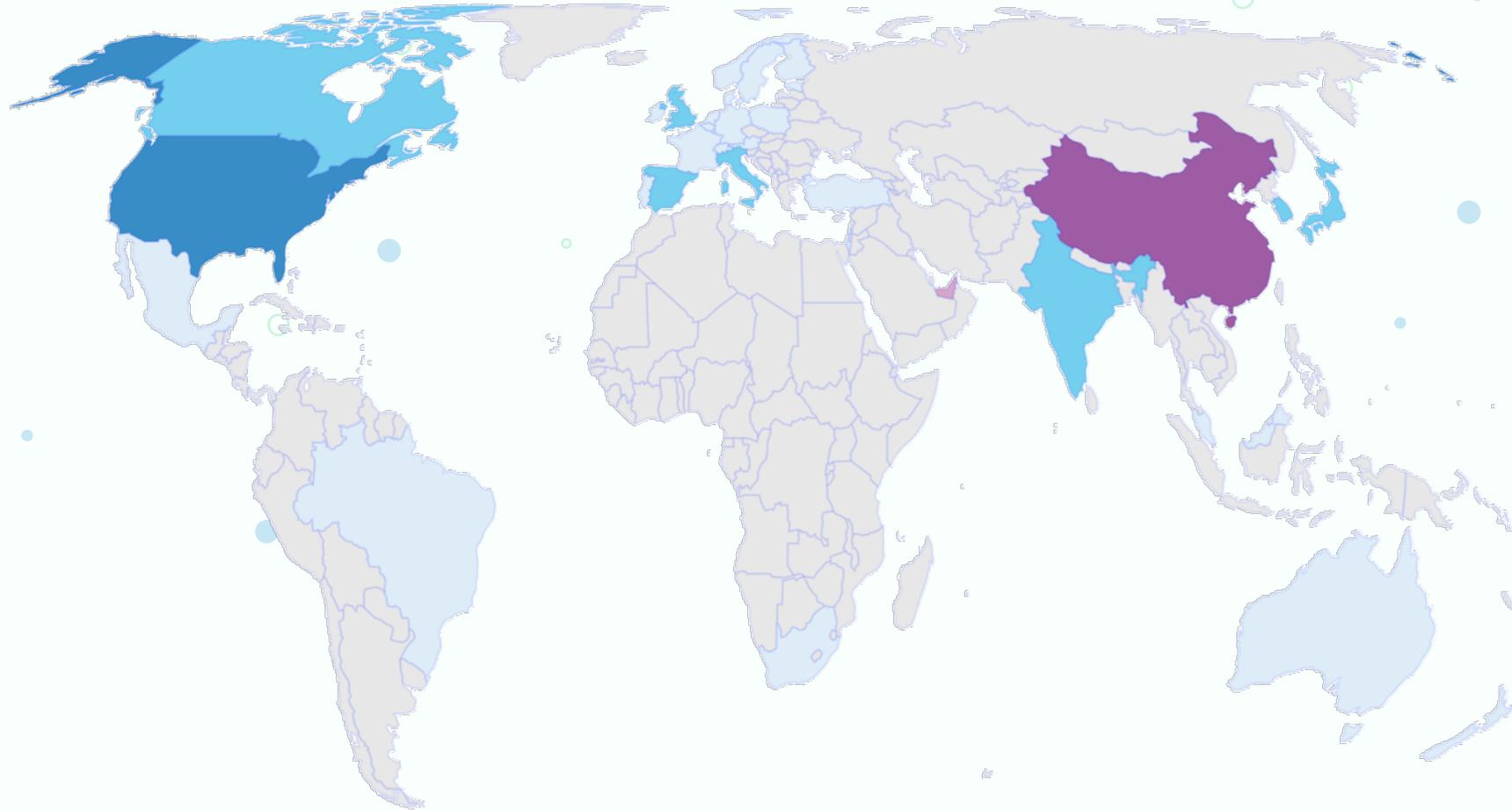
Total for the years 2013 to 2022, in billions of US dollars



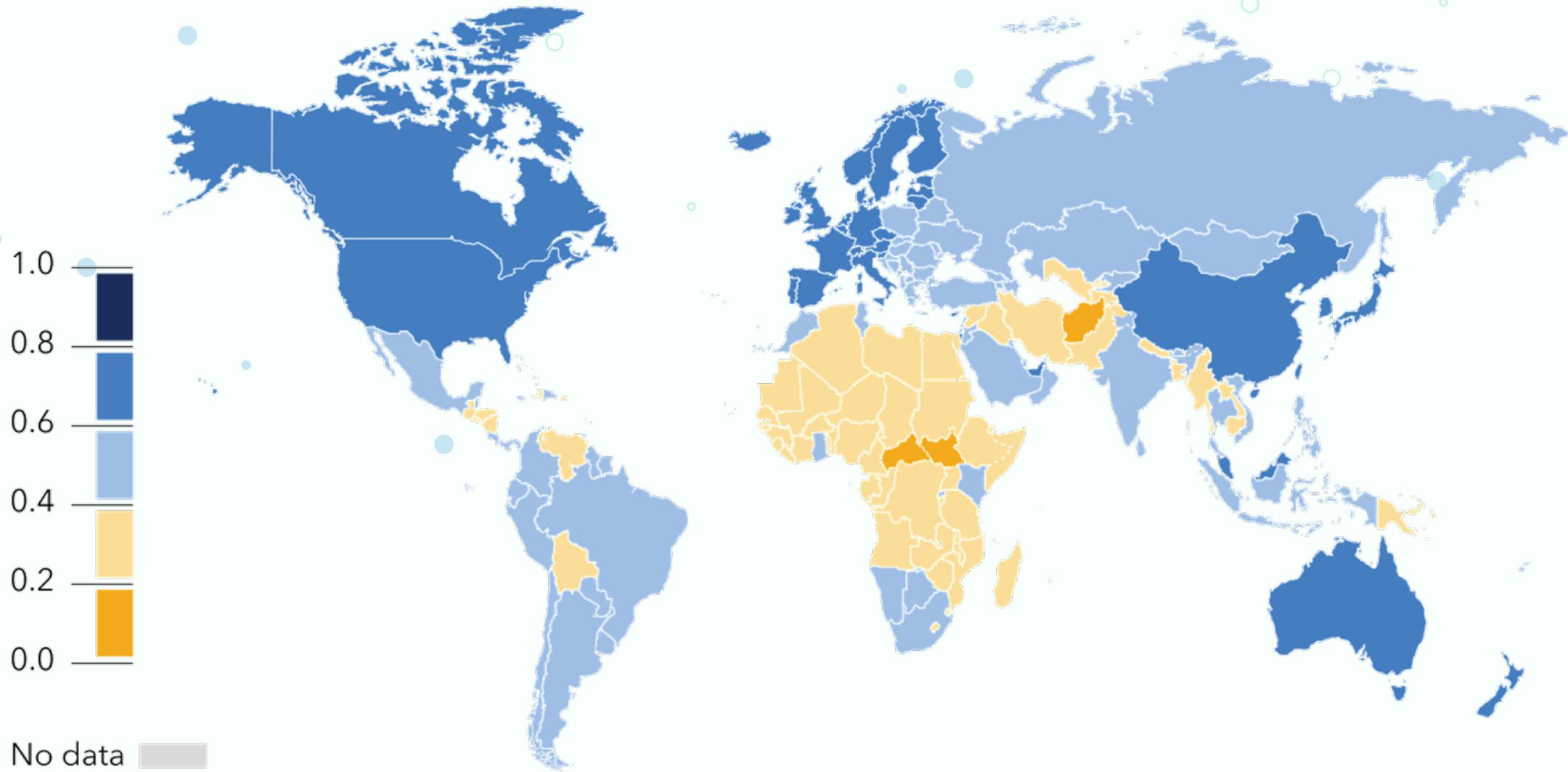
Source: Stanford Institute for Human-Centered Artificial Intelligence • Created with Datawrapper

# Total AI Public Offering Investment , 2023

Source: Quid, 2023 | Chart: AI Index, 2024



# AI Preparedness Index, 2023



# Moving Towards a Fragmented Regulatory Landscape?





# Mapping AI Governance in Health

From Global Regulatory  
Alignments to LMICs'  
Policy Developments



# Regulatory Challenges for AI in Healthcare

## Global fragmentation

- Navigate **differential requirements** in different countries/regions
- Varying approval processes and timelines

## Fast evolving AI

- **Fast evolving** AI developments
- New regulations and standards in **response to emerging tech**

## Data concerns

- **Data security and privacy**
- **AI methods have *opaque* inner workings**

## Post-market surveillance

- **Monitor safety and effectiveness** of devices
- Adaptive learning with more data (need for periodic monitoring)

## Health Technology Assessment

- **Undefined pricing and reimbursement models**

# The Challenge

**Lack of effective governance of AI in 'health' increases risks for citizens and systems which stimulates distrust and slow adoption of responsible AI solutions that can lead to better health outcomes for all**



# Learning from Medicines and Medical Devices

## Trial Procedure

- Application (EU) Clinical Trial Regulation (536/2014)
- Information: context, relevance, sponsors, protocol, products...
- EU regulation 1901/2006: PIP, PDCO

## Market Authorization

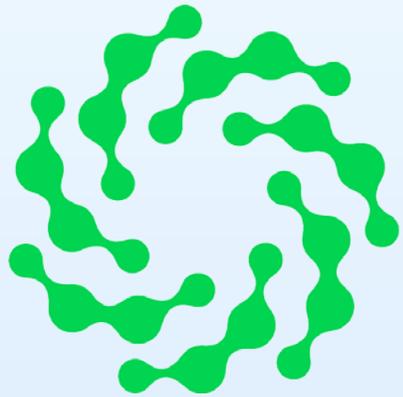
- The benefits outweigh the risks is the key principle guiding a medicine's assessment
- Quality, safety, and efficacy are assessed
- Different possible procedures: National, Mutual, Centralized...

## HTA Assessment

- Holders of marketing authorization will seek reimbursement
- Different methodologies can be used to assess the economic impact
- Relative efficacy/effectiveness

## Pricing and Funding Decision

- National and regional authorities decide on pricing and reimbursement
- EMA has no role in decisions on pricing and reimbursement



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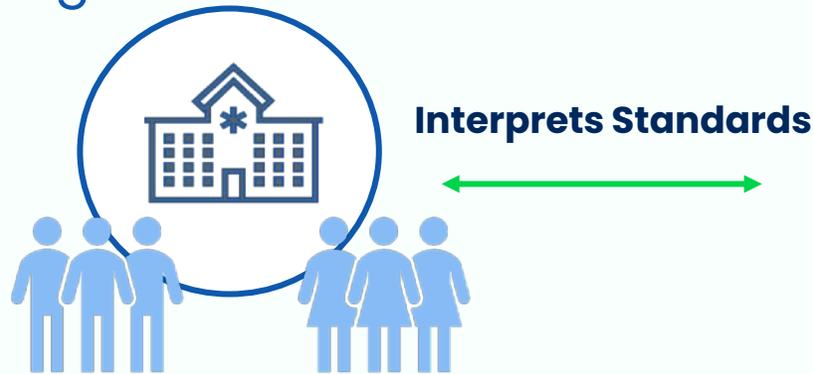


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# HealthAI Governance Role

HealthAI serves as a bridge between normative bodies and national and regional regulatory bodies to strengthen capacity and certify their regulatory mechanisms.

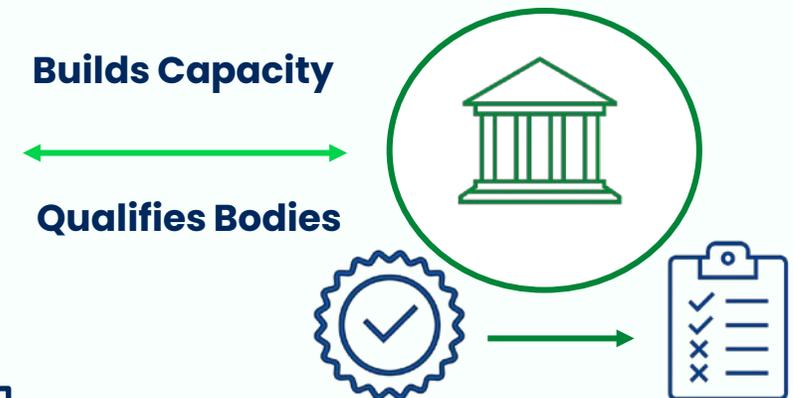
**Normative Bodies**  
Set global standards



**HealthAI will not define standards.** This falls under the responsibility of international and/or national normative and standard setting organizations.



**Regulatory Bodies**  
Validate AI solutions

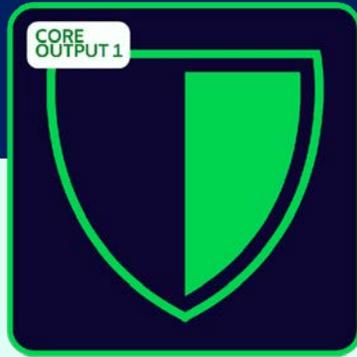


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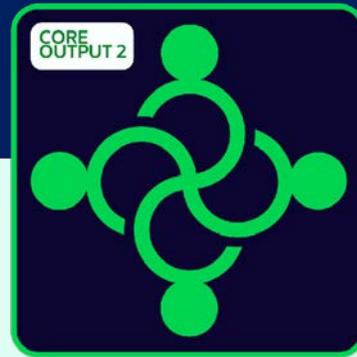
- Facilitates and Stewards
- Global Regulatory Network
- Global Early Warning System
- Global Public Repository of validated AI solutions
- Community of Practice

# HealthAI | Country Implementation Partner

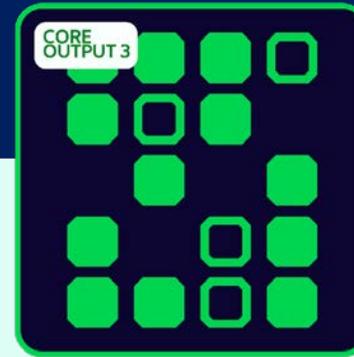
## Responsible AI Solutions for Health



Co-create and certify  
**National & Regional  
validation mechanisms**  
on Responsible AI  
for Health



Establish a **Global  
Regulatory Network** for  
knowledge sharing and  
adverse events - '**Global  
Early Warning System**'



Create a **Global  
Public Repository** of  
validated AI solutions  
for Health



Deliver **advisory  
support** on Policies  
and Regulations

## HealthAI Community of Practice



**AI**  
Can Save  
Lives

Join Now  Community of Practice



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