

KINGS HEALTH PARTNERS: PREPARING FOR THE FUTURE BY PAIRING HEALTH AND SCIENCE WITH DIGITAL SKILLS

[Kings Health Partners](#) is working to prepare health and science learners and employees for a rapidly changing health environment, providing knowledge and supporting professional development at all career stages – including focusing on Digital Health and Data Sciences.

The [King's Health Partners Digital Health Hub](#), which launched in March 2024, is an accessible national multi-disciplinary resource made possible by investment from the Engineering and Physical Sciences Research Council (EPSRC) which supports training, co-creation, translation and the acceleration of digital health technologies.

The Digital Health Hub brings together expertise from across Kings Health Partners, including representatives from NHS and social care, patients, and the public and industry partners, to provide support, share knowledge, and create opportunities to promote UK digital health.

The Kings Health Partners Digital Health hub has four pillars – training, co-creation, translation, and acceleration. Within the training pillar, the Hub offers resources to equip digital innovators to develop and deploy digital health solutions, offering modules, resources, and workshops where learners can create their own bespoke training experiences in digital health. Hub members will be supported by infrastructure that will help to take digital health technology from an idea to reality, upskilling and advancing digital knowledge for staff and students, while also enhancing the Hub's ability to improve physical and mental healthcare for patients.

The work being undertaken by Kings Health Partners with the Digital Health Hub ties in with the London LSIP roadmap actions by both improving access to and knowledge of essential digital skills, as well as addressing skills shortages in the health and social care sector. While the Hub is relatively new, Kings Health Partners are already seeing its positive impact and innovative strides being made within the sectors.