

**Weekly Newsletter**  
**(26<sup>th</sup> February- 1<sup>st</sup> March)**

**NATHEALTH Leadership Series**

- Industry Lauds Government Vision of Healthy India
- SRL Diagnostics opens its first laboratory in Tirupati
- Healthy Push: With such a significant undertaking (like PM-JAY), there are areas that need work (Business Today)
- NHA to Collaborate With Healthcare Federation For Better Implementation Of Ayushman Bharat (Republic World)

**Healthcare Policy Updates**

- Government's mega merger plan for general insurance firms hits fresh roadblock
- Centre proposes National Health Right Act
- How states can take the lead on mitigating surprise out-of-network billing
- Infrastructure, regulations key to improved interoperability, report finds
- E-policy should help both customers, entrepreneurs
- NASSCOM-Avasant calls for 'proactive, consultative and defined regulatory approach' to cryptocurrency

**Healthcare Industry Overview**

- How crowdfunding platforms in India are using AI, blockchain
- Delay in Bringing Revised Graduate Medical Regulations: Court notice to MCI, Health Ministry Measles cases nearly doubled in 2018: WHO
- Corruption blamed for healthcare sector woes
- Can PM Modi's Ayushman Bharat help healthcare startups scale?
- Medicare for all: One buzzword, different interpretations
- Governance in Healthcare: Seen as a Business Capability
- Use the Internet of Things to Your Advantage in Healthcare
- Healthcare Cloud Usage Grows Despite Doubts

**Medtech Forum**

- Robot Wars: \$60B Intuitive Surgical Dominated Its Market for 20 Years.
- How to Engage Nurses in Innovation
- How the Future of Minimally Invasive Surgery Could Revolutionize Healthcare
- Supercomputers Track How the HIV Virus Invades a Cell
- Telehealth Services Cut Length of Stay, Improve Patient Satisfaction
- Roche and IBM Predict Future of Big Data In Diabetes Care

**Insurance Forum**

- Health Care Costs Are Still A Crushing Problem
- Government's mega merger plan for general insurance firms hits fresh roadblock
- Liberty General Insurance is committed to raising awareness on insurance: Roopam Asthana
- Change in customer preferences will boost innovation in insurance sector

### Diagnosics Forum

- From diagnostics to video consultation, Netmeds is gearing up for a growth spurt
- How Dr Avinash Phadke Pathology Labs is fighting the phenomenon of inaccurate lab diagnoses
- How Ayushman Bharat has the potential of transforming healthcare in India
- Ayushman Bharat CEO says over 12 lakh people availed free treatment under scheme

### Awards and Events

- RF- 346th International Conference on Medical & Health Science - ICMHS 2019 (24<sup>th</sup> Jan, Pune)
- ACN- International Conference on Medical and Health Sciences (ICMHS) (27<sup>th</sup> Jan, New Delhi)
- Future of Hospitals Summit (30<sup>th</sup> Jan, Mumbai)
- Asep-Pro India (1<sup>st</sup> -2<sup>nd</sup> Feb, Hyderabad)
- SIMEX 2019 (1<sup>st</sup>-3<sup>rd</sup> Feb, Madurai)
- Health Tech India (CII) (3<sup>rd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> Feb, New Delhi)
- CII WR Healthcare Pharma and Medtech Conclave and Expo (6<sup>th</sup>-7<sup>th</sup> Feb, Mumbai)
- AMPTECH INDIA (14<sup>th</sup>-16<sup>th</sup> Feb, Ernakulam)
- AIDSCON (15<sup>th</sup>-16<sup>th</sup> Feb, Chandigarh)
- ISCR Conference (15<sup>th</sup>-16<sup>th</sup> Feb, New Delhi)
- International Conference on Medical & Health Science (ICMHS) (15<sup>th</sup>-16<sup>th</sup> Feb, New Delhi)
- India Fertility Conference (Conference And Awards) (16<sup>th</sup> Feb, Mumbai)
- India Pharma (18<sup>th</sup>-19<sup>th</sup> Feb, New Delhi)
- DX Summit : Future of Diagnostics (22<sup>nd</sup>-23<sup>rd</sup> Feb, New Delhi)
- 14th Asia Conference on Healthcare and Health Insurance (19<sup>th</sup>-20<sup>th</sup> March, New Delhi)