

Weekly Newsletter
(9th November – 15th October)

Dear Reader,

*We will just let this be pinned here in the introduction so that it serves you a gentle reminder that the countdown is racing fast and in no time we will be sharing with you the details of all the sessions that will unfold during the summit. **'NATHEALTH Annual Summit 2019 – Reimagining Collaboration to Strengthen India's Healthcare Growth Trajectory'** on **28th & 29th November at Lalit Hotel, New Delhi.***

Strengthening the four pillars for Healthcare- Investments, Digital Health, Skill Development and Innovations-would be the main focus areas. Check this space for more.

This week's newsletter features some serious issues related to healthcare sector. Union Health Minister Dr Harsh Vardhan made a passionate appeal to people for donating organs to save millions of lives. Felicitating Organ Donors at AIIMS-ORBO this week, he urged everyone towards organ donation and said it is divine act which saves lives. The week also witnessed commissioning of advanced facilities and services such as Linear Accelerator (LINAC) Services, AMRIT Pharmacy and the auditorium at AIIMS-National Cancer Institute (Jhajhar campus).

On other serious issue, Diabetes is one of the major concerns and on World Diabetes Day health institutions such as AIIMS, Kasturba Hospitals Manipal among other made since efforts to spread awareness on it. A seminar at AIIMS threw insights on the epidemic whereas Kasturba Manipal Hospital organised a mega Diabetic Health Exhibition and Diabetic Screening camp

Check out the newsletter to know how new-age start-ups are reshaping the age-old industry by employing AI to drive innovation in healthcare sector. Follow us on twitter, LinkedIn and Facebook for real times updates.

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[NATHEALTH 6th Annual Summit: Integration, Collaboration, Re-imagination. Keynote Address by Dr. Harshvardhan, Hon. Union Minister for Health & Family Welfare.](#)

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[NATHEALTH Summit to focus on Collaborations, Innovations & Investments](#)

[The NATHEALTH Summit would focus on Digital Health, Investment, Skilling and Mainstreaming Innovation, to drive a stronger healthcare narrative and achieve impeccable delivery of a Modern Healthcare System "Made in India" for India.](#)

[Kasturba Hospital Manipal holds diabetic health exhibition](#)

[On the occasion of World Diabetic Day 2019, the department of Endocrinology of Kasturba Hospital Manipal organised a mega Diabetic Health Exhibition and Diabetic Screening camp on Thursday November 14.](#)

Healthcare Policy Updates

[India has prioritised healthcare in terms of policy interventions: Joy Chakraborty](#)

[The Government of India's Ayushman Bharat scheme has shown the way forward where they have welcomed the private operators to take the share of creating healthcare provision for the common and needy people.](#)

[Meet the doctor from Kerala who is bringing free mental healthcare to the underprivileged in India](#)

[Dr Manoj Kumar has created a free, comprehensive, community-based, and volunteer-led mental healthcare system to cater to the most economically backward groups of society. In doing so, he has paved the way to a meaningful and productive new life for these individuals.](#)

[Maternal mortality ratio in decline](#)

[The maternal mortality ratio has declined in India in recent years according to recently unveiled Sample Registration System \(SRS\) data, boding good news for the nation's mothers.](#)

[Spotlight on medicine & law](#)

[Institute of Medicine & Law organised the 4th National Convention on Medicine & Law 2019 on Sunday.](#)

[IMF revises India's growth projection from 7.3 to 6.1 per cent in 2019](#)

[This comes just two days after the World Bank revised India's growth projection for financial year 2019-20 from 7.5 per cent to 6 per cent.](#)

Healthcare Industry Overview

[China Is Striving for the World's Best, Cheapest Healthcare](#)

Pressured by its growing middle class, the Chinese government has set itself an ambitious target: first-world health outcomes at a fraction of the cost that other countries, especially the U.S., pays.

[Climate change to negate child healthcare gain: Study](#)

India's modest gain in improving its children's health in the last 70 years is set to be negated by the recent climate change if the world leaders allow business as usual

[Why the medical field is itself in need of treatment](#)

While patients blame doctors asking on insurance, but medics say that the profusion of tests is a necessary burden if a healthy populace is needed.

[IIT-H calls for entries for CfHE fellowship in healthcare sector](#)

The Centre for Healthcare Entrepreneurship (CfHE), an entrepreneurship development arm of Indian Institute of Technology (Hyderabad), has called for entries from budding entrepreneurs who seek to address the challenges in the healthcare sector using technology.

[How start-ups are employing AI to drive innovation in healthcare sector](#)

New-age start-ups are reshaping the age-old industry with as many as 4,892 having come up in India in the past decade, according to Nasscom

Medtech Forum

[India can emerge as the main market for medical business: Atsushi Horiba](#)

Shahid Akhter, editor, ETHealthworld spoke to Atsushi Horiba, Chairman and Group CEO, Horiba Ltd, Kyoto, Japan to know more about the role of technology in healthcare and its business potential.

[Medical Technology Association makers welcome government's decision to regulate devices](#)

'The Health Ministry's proposal to regulate all medical devices will allow patients access to quality medical devices and put a check on garage manufacturing,' said PavanChoudary.

[Vital tools in India's healthcare delivery](#)

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[Singapore bank files case against medical technology firm for Rs 178 crore default](#)

Singapore-based multinational bank DBS has registered a complaint with Ulsoor police station against Bengaluru-headquartered Opto Circuits (India) Limited, a medical technology company

[Trusting tech with health questions in the latest Medical Technology](#)

In this issue: Amazon and the NHS, choosing the right contract manufacturer, the state of femtech, prescription video games, and much more

Insurance Forum

[Living in polluted cities? Pay up 5% more on health insurance!](#)

The health insurance companies may load up the premium by over 5 per cent nationally if the claims data in Delhi-NCR shows an abnormally high level of hospitalization and respiratory disorders.

[Risks and rewards in opening Indian insurance to FDI](#)

India's insurance sector has significantly liberalised since 2000. Insurance is different from other financial products in that the more insurance distribution is spread, the more risk is shared among many. As such, expanding insurance clients is important for the economy.

[Insurance company told to refund Rs 1L to Mandi man](#)

The District Consumer Disputes Redressal Forum has directed an insurance company to refund Rs 1 lakh to a resident of Mandi, Himachal Pradesh, and pay Rs 30,000 as compensation.

[India is democracy-loving, capitalist-respecting: Sitharaman to investors](#)

Investors can find no better place in the world than India that has a democracy-loving and capitalist-respecting environment, Union finance minister Nirmala Sitharaman has said.

Diagnostics Forum

[Amid regulatory issues, diagnostic chains bet on mom-and-pop labs to expand presence](#)

According to a report by Research and Markets, the industry is expected to witness consolidation with several small and independent laboratory players becoming franchisees for the larger players.

[Make in India holds the key to ensuring affordable diagnostic services](#)

India's diagnostics business scenario is changing tremendously. This change is driven by government intervention, digital transformations and increased business collaborations.

[Pushing boundaries in cancer diagnosis](#)

Dr Ravi Gaur, COO, Oncquest Laboratories in a candid conversation with Prathiba Raju talks about how Oncquest lab's advanced diagnosis has brought in precision, affordability in cancer diagnosis in India

[In Vitro Diagnostics \(Ivd\) And Laboratory Developed Tests For Autoimmune Diseases Market Demand And Analysis Growth Trends By 2025](#)

In vitro diagnostics and laboratory developed tests for autoimmune diseases are a key part of the global healthcare sector and are likely to account for a significant share in the same in the coming years due to the rising investment in the healthcare sector from various channels.

[Delhi Mohalla Clinics cross 300-mark, target 1,000](#)

The Delhi government's affordable health initiative has helped people by providing health facilities at almost their doorstep, making healthcare more accessible to people.

Upcoming Awards & Events

- Future Healthcare Summit (Thu, 28 – Sat, 30 Nov, New Delhi)
- Fortis Annual Psychology Conference (Fri, 13 - Sun, 15 Sep 2019, Gurugram)
- Global GS1 Healthcare Conference (Tue, 5 – Thu, 7 Nov, Le Meridien Hotel, New Delhi)
- International Telemedicine Conference of Telemedicine Society of India (Fri, 29 Nov – Sun, 1 Dec New Delhi)

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Keynote Address by
Dr Harsh Vardhan, Hon. Union Minister
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