Digital Health & Entrepreneuship Fellowship

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Application Process Overview

This time last year

- Attended the Fellowship Roadshow
- Inspired by what I heard
- Went home and kept checking the website 👀
- Applied as soon as applications opened

What it is actually like

Application → Interviews → Fellowship Offer

- Online application form
- Invited to interviews - short presentation
- Interviewed for multiple fellowships
- Offered Digital Health & Entrepreneurship



Fellowship Structure (Important to know)

LEADERSHIP

This is a leadership fellowship

- You lead your own projects
- You take initiative
- You shape your outcomes

AT THE START

At the start:

- Met with Dr Denys Pak
- Discussed goals, ideas & impact
- Ongoing support throughout the year

HOW THE YEAR WORKS

- Identify a clear project
- Start delivering early
- Regular reflection & feedback
- Adjust if things aren’t working
- Aim to complete or strongly progress project by year end

Our Shared Platform: InnovateEOE

Overview of support and opportunities

INNOVATEEOE = INNOVATE EAST OF ENGLAND

- Promote digital health & innovation opportunities
- Share events, programmes & funding
- Build a regional digital health community

CURRENT FELLOWS

- GP Trainee (me)
- Orthopaedic Registrar
- Neurology Registrar

Projects and Engagement

INNOVATE ORCA CONFERENCE

📅 1st May

- Orthopaedic conference + innovation track
- Partnered with InnovateEOE
- Focus on:
  - Innovation
  - New technologies
  - Improving orthopaedic care



FELLOW PROJECT 1: DIGITAL HEALTH AMBASS

- Developing a Digital Health Ambassador Programme
- Identifying clinicians interested in digital health
- Connecting them with CCIOs
- Supporting real-world digital health projects

What's a CCIO?

Chief Clinical Information Officer — senior clinicians leading digital transformation.

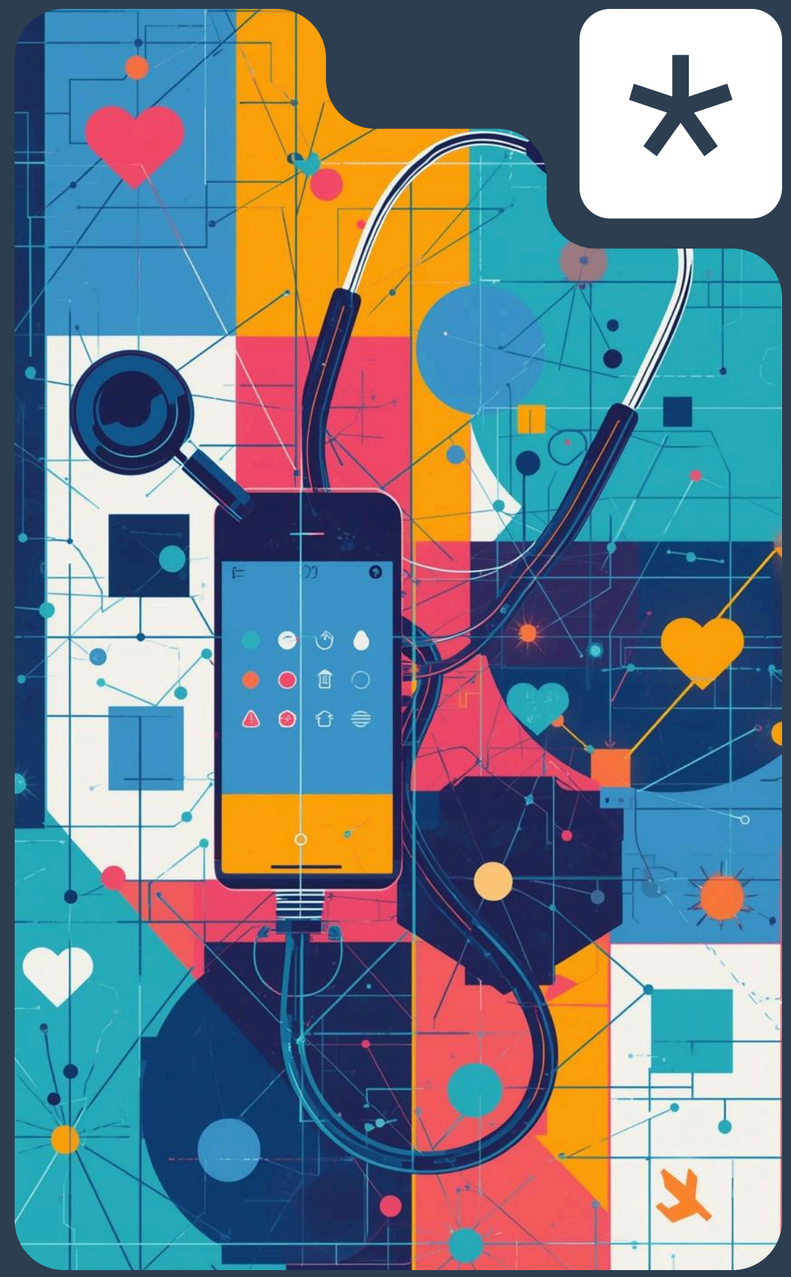
Projects and Engagement

AI EDUCATION

- Developing an AI curriculum for clinicians
- Structured teaching series
- Content designed for PGVLE

PGVLE:

Postgraduate Virtual Learning Environment — a national platform clinicians can log into for teaching content.



Projects and Engagement

INNOVATEEOE WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

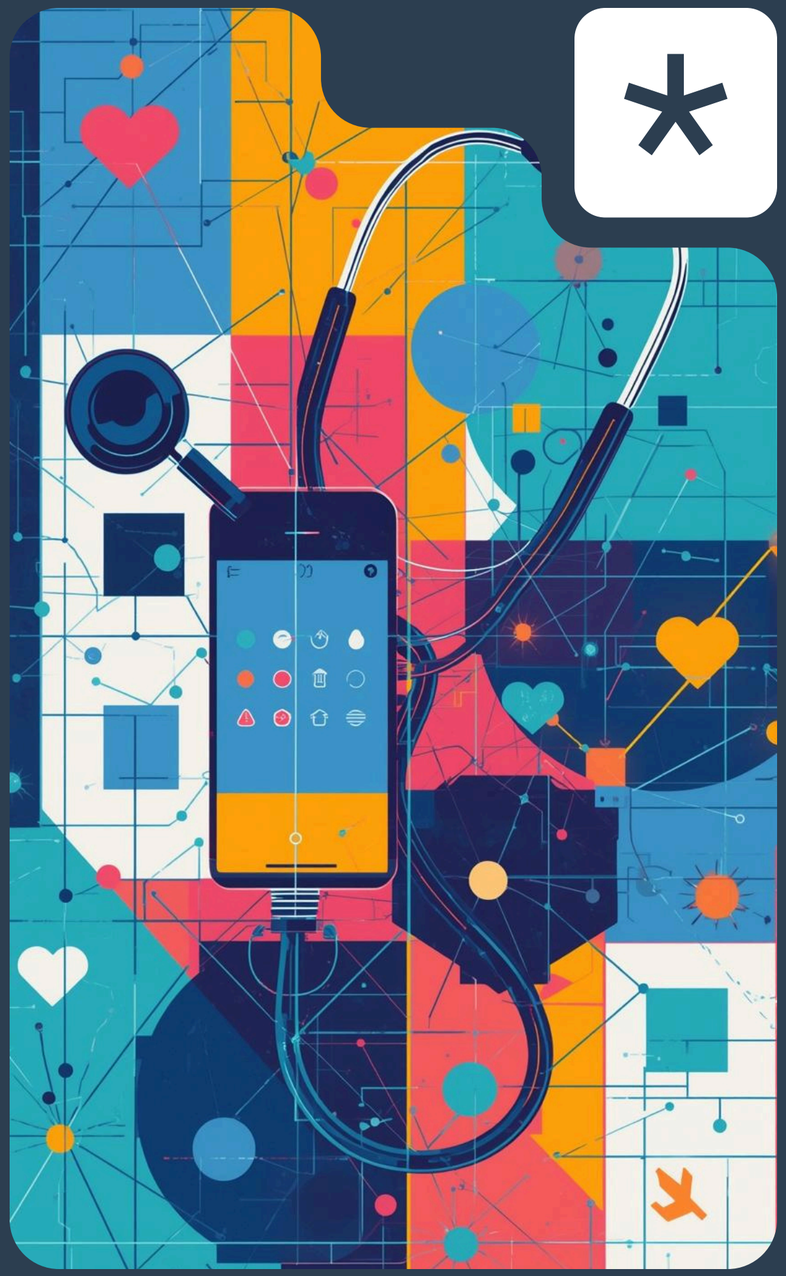
- Weekly digital health opportunities
- Events & conferences
- Accelerators & programmes
- Beginner-friendly resources

Also shared via:

- Instagram
- LinkedIn

DIGITAL HEALTH LAUNCHPAD (IN DEVELOPMENT)

- Support clinicians new to digital health
- Guided self-directed learning
- Community & mentorship
- End with a Pitch-a-thon style event



FAQs People Always Ask

Is it in person?

Mostly remote

Some in-person fellow days

Conferences & networking encouraged

Do you need digital health experience?

No/Yes

Curiosity > expertise

Is it paid?

Yes

0.2 FTE funded from your base salary



Why I’d Encourage You to Apply

- Protected time to explore innovation
- Leadership development
- Supportive environment
- Freedom to build something meaningful
- You don’t need to “have it all figured out”



Call to Action

Get involved now (even before applying)

We’re actively looking for:

- Trainees interested in digital health
- People who enjoy:
  - Social media
  - Filming & content creation
  - Engagement & community building

📩 Email us to get involved:
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