

# HealthTech For Patients



## 2<sup>nd</sup> edition of HealthTech For Patients conference

**Patient associations, patients, physicians, scientists, entrepreneurs, industrials and European policy maker gathered to discuss innovation in the field of Point of Care, digital therapies and health data**

Paris, May 25, 2022 - HealthTech For Patients, a European conference that places the patient at the heart of medical innovation, took place on May 19 in a digital format. Organized by the endowment fund HealthTech For Care (HTFC), the event brought together 13 international experts, actors of the healthcare ecosystem, on the theme of digitalization of healthcare for a patient-oriented innovation.

**Find the replay of the conference below:**

<https://htfc-eu.com/replay-htfp-2>

For its second edition, HealthTech For Patients gathered nearly 360 participants from 32 countries and five continents. This figure are a significant increase compared to the inaugural edition which, in 2021, had brought together 236 participants. This international conference was supported by the European institutions represented by Ander Elustondo Jauregui, Policy Officer in charge of digital health at the European Commission.

**Maryvonne Hiance, President of the HealthTech For Care endowment fund, said:** *"The support we received again this year from our partners, patient associations, healthcare companies, key opinion leaders as well as from the European Commission, reinforces our conviction that the issues of health data and digital therapies will be the keystone of a new efficient healthcare offer centered on patients' expectations. We look forward to seeing you next year for another edition for all those involved in innovation for patients. »*

**The adoption of the European Health Data Space project by the European Commission has set a framework and objectives.**

The HealthTech For Patients conference was held just a few days after the European Commission published a new proposal for a European regulation to create a "European Health Data Space" (EHDS), on May 3<sup>rd</sup>. According to Stella Kyriakides, Commissioner for Health and

Food Safety, the goal of the EHDS is to "*put citizens at the center, giving them the power to control their data in order to benefit from better health care*".

In his presentation during the opening, Ander Elustondo Jauregui introduced the proposed regulation and recalled the three objectives assigned to the European Health Data Area: "*To enable citizens to access and control their health data, to liberate the health data economy, to foster a true single market for digital health products and services, and to ensure a coherent framework for the use of personal health data for research, innovation, public policy and regulation.*"

### **For healthtech innovation built with and for patients.**

Two round tables were hosted. The first was dedicated to digital therapies and their contribution to access to care and the development of innovations for patients. The second was dedicated to the decentralization of care, from diagnosis to therapy, and its positive impact on patient follow-up, adherence to therapies and patient relationship with healthcare professionals.

Through their exchanges, they highlighted the prospects opened up by the exploitation of health data to improve the hospitalization process, access and effectiveness of clinical trials, sharing of knowledge about diseases and above all the patients engagement.

The quality of this event would not have been the same without the HealthTech For Patients committee: Christian Policard, Erik Tambuyzer and Alain Herrera.

### **Introduction**

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mm3a1yQs5k&list=PLJwDoV6TYWsrMClIRDojd5mjrznH3Mm6z&index=1>

### **Intervenants**

#### **Maryvonne Hiance**

President of HealthTech For Care

#### **Christian Policard**

Founding Partner, Biotech Development Conseil

#### **Ander Elustando Jauregui**

Policy Officer – Digital health, European Commission

*Event hosted by Alison Munro*

### **Round-table 1**

**Digitalization: New methods to improve patients' access to care & to develop faster patient-oriented**

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3kw7Dyif9jY&list=PLJwDoV6TYWsrMClIRDojd5mjrznH3Mm6z&index=2>

## Speakers

**Michel Goldman,**

founder of I3h Institut

**Mohammad Afshar,**

CEO of Ariana Pharma

**Karine Samama,**

Strategy director for Microsoft France

**Johan van Beek,**

Global head of the « Medical Science & Digital Biomarkers » group for Biogen

*Round table moderated by :*

**Anaïs Le Corvec,**

Co-founder of Cliclab Transformative Agent (patient expert)

## Round-table 2

**Point of Care Technologies for patients: Decentralization from diagnosis to treatment (tools, markers, technologies, parameters)**

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kl\\_CIGUKvds&list=PLJwDoV6TYWsrMcliRDojd5mirznH3Mm6z&index=3](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kl_CIGUKvds&list=PLJwDoV6TYWsrMcliRDojd5mirznH3Mm6z&index=3)

## Speakers

**Antoni Montserrat,**

Member of the board of directors at ALAN – Maladies rares Luxembourg

**Ayala Bliah,**

general manager at SIVAN Innovation

**Dr Benjamin Vandendriessche,**

CMO at Byteflies

**Uroš Bogdanović,**

IDF Young Leader in Diabetes

*Round table moderated by :*

**Dr Alain Herrera,**

hematologist and oncologist

## Conclusion

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EsZcqB3OIXk>

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**Christian Policard**

BDC founder

## About HealthTech For Care

The HealthTech For Care endowment fund, founded by France Biotech in 2020, is designed to support and promote access to healthcare for all, and more specifically to new medical technologies and medicines. The missions of the endowment fund are organized around three main areas: to support the development of the entire healthcare ecosystem, to accelerate the development of innovative therapies and medicines, and to promote better access for patients to the healthcare system in France and Europe. The governance of HealthTech For

Care includes Maryvonne Hiance, Elsy Boglioli, David Caumartin, Pierre Courteille, Marc Dechamps, Eric Falcand, Frédéric Girard, Marc Julien, Cédric Moreau, Christian Pierret and Christian Policard.

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