# From Al Ethics to Governance: An Overview of the Landscape

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# AI in Medicine and Healthcare

# A.I. Chatbots Defeated Doctors at Diagnosing Illness

A small study found ChatGPT outdid human physicians when assessing medical case histories, even when those doctors were using a chatbot.

## No longer science fiction, AI and robotics are transforming healthcare

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Al is getting increasingly sophisticated at doing what humans do, but more efficiently, more quickly and at a lower cost. The potential for both Al and robotics in healthcare is vast. Just like in our every-day lives, Al and robotics are increasingly a part of our healthcare ecosystem.

We have highlighted eight ways that showcase how this transformation is currently underway.



#### ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE

### Al is dreaming up drugs that no one has ever seen. Now we've got to see if they work.

Al automation throughout the drug development pipeline is opening up the possibility of faster, cheaper pharmaceuticals.

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## The Power of AI in Streamlining Healthcare Workflows

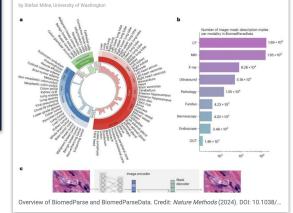
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# VIDEO: AI may improve maternal health outcomes by identifying high-risk patients

## Elevating Elderly Care With AI-Powered Digital Identity Systems

AI program enhances echocardiogram interpretation and reduces wait times

#### Q&A: A new medical AI model can help spot systemic disease by looking at a range of image types



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# Al-related Incidents/Harms on the Rise



#### EXPERTS ALARMED BY PEOPLE UPLOADING THEIR MEDICAL SCANS TO ELON MUSK'S GROK AI

"THIS IS VERY PERSONAL INFORMATION, AND YOU DON'T EXACTLY KNOW WHAT GROK IS GOING TO DO WITH IT." MOTHERBOARD

## 'He Would Still Be Here': Man Dies by Suicide After Talking with Al Chatbot, Widow Says

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Not all AI health tools with regulatory authorization are clinically validated

# ChatGPT is little help for doctors in diagnosing diseases, study finds

The research, conducted with 50 physicians last year, found that using ChatGPT did not significantly improve doctors' diagnostic reasoning.

# FDA strengthens AI regulation to ensure patient safety and innovation in healthcare

'Bias in, bias out': Tackling bias in medical artificial intelligence

HEALTH AND HEALTHCARE SYSTEMS

## Billions of dollars have been invested in healthcare AI. But are we spending in the right places?

What doctors wish patients knew about using AI for health tips

Health Equity and Ethical Considerations in Using Artificial Intelligence in Public Health and Medicine



# Principles

- Fairness
- Accountability
- Transparency
- Safety and reliability
- Security
- Privacy

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#### Values-based principles



Inclusive growth, sustainable development and well-being



Investing in AI R&D

Recommendations for policy makers



Human-centred values and fairness



Fostering a digital ecosystem for AI





Transparency and explainability



Providing an enabling policy environment for AI





Building human capacity and preparing for labour market transition



for trustworthy AI

International co-operation



**Safe and Effective Systems** 



Algorithmic Discrimination Protections



**Data Privacy** 



Notice and **Explanation** 

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**Human Alternatives**, Consideration, and Fallback

# **AI Governance Challenges**

## 1- What to comply with?

- Developing standards and best practices
  - uncertain, fast-moving, dynamic environment
  - general-purpose technology

## • Process to reach normative **consensus**

- tradeoffs among various stakeholders
- accounting for different contexts
- While avoiding conflicting laws and policies

## 2- How to incentivize compliance?

## • Assessing compliance

- Information asymmetries and access
- Model opaqueness and inscrutability

## • Attributing liability for harms

- Harms are diffuse and hard to foresee
- Intentionality, Recklessness, Negligence
- creator/ owner/ operator/ user?

## • Enforcing consequences

 Balancing retributive justice and deterrence with innovation and growth

# **Challenges Unique to GenAl**

- Unclear (hyped-up) capabilities
- Challenges of evaluating **risks** 
  - O Broad risk surface
  - Vacuum of robust methodologies

International Scientific Report on the Safety of Advanced Al

INTERIM REPORT

May 2024



# **Risk Assessment**

- 1. Model testing
- 2. Red-teaming
- 3. Field testing

# ARIA ASSESSING Risks and Inducts of A Acompelling set of scenarios will aim to explore risks and related Inducts across three levels of testing: model testing, red-teaming, and Identities Identities Identities

# Upcoming Event at CMU

Generative AI, Ethics, and Governance

- Early 2025 (stay tuned!)
- Expert panels and roundtables



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## Navigating Ethical Challenges in Artificial Intelligence in MedTech

## **Introduction: Use Cases and need for governance**

- Blood loss AI tool
- Iron deficiency AI tool
- Is there a need for governance frameworks?

# **Focus: Existing frameworks and guidelines in healthcare**

- World Health Organization
- Singapore Health Sciences Authority
- US Food and Drug Administration
- Japan Pharmaceutical and Medical Devices Agency
- Korea Ministry of Food and Drug Safety

# **Main AI Ethical Principles identified**

- Human centricity and oversight
- Explainability and transparency
- Fairness
- Safety and security
- Equity and quality of access
- Social and environmental well-being

# **Risk-based approach considerations**

- EU AI Act Regulation (EU) 2024/1689
  - Unacceptable risk AI systems (Article 5)
  - High-risk AI systems (Article 6)
  - Limited risk AI systems
  - Minimal risk AI systems



# Questions?

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