

Unit 11b: Health IT in the Future

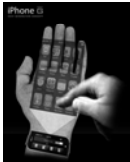
Component 7: Working With HIT Systems

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Other Ideas



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Look! National Eye Institute: 1R43EY016953-01
<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1f-00R55gY>



5 Reasons Why Health Information Technology Needs an Apple Inc.

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Intersections

- How might “general data” contribute to health of persons and populations?

“Infodemiology”

“The Internet has made measurable what was previously immeasurable: The distribution of health information in a population, tracking (in real time) health information trends over time, and identifying gaps between information supply and demand.”

Eisenbach G. Infodemiology and Infveillance: Framework for an Emerging Set of Public Health Informatics Methods to Analyze Search, Communication and Publication Behavior on the Internet. Journal of Medical Internet Research. Available from: <http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pmc/articles/PMC2931461/>

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“Infodemiology”

“Infodemiology can be defined as the science of distribution and determinants of information in an electronic medium, specifically the Internet, or in a population, with the ultimate aim to inform public health and public policy”

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Infodemiology in Action



http://www.google.org/flutrends/video/GoogleFluTrends_USFluActivity.mov

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Summary – Reviewing the Objectives

- Speculate the relationship between HIT and health reform
- Suggest alternative designs for usable & supportive HIT
- Hypothesize how HIT may intersect with publicly available data to improve health (i.e. Point of Sale, Weather, GIS, foods, etc.)
- Predict avenues of future innovations in HIT

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*"When it comes to the future, there are three kinds of people:
those who let it happen,
those who make it happen,
and those who wonder what happened."*

Thank you

Steve Jobs

**Thank you
This completes Unit 11
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"Working with HIT Systems"**

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