

Press release: May 2018

South East Health Technologies Alliance (SEHTA) partner with CW+ to identify new health innovations for patients at Chelsea and Westminster Hospital NHS Foundation Trust

South East Health Technologies Alliance (SEHTA) and CW+, the charity of Chelsea and Westminster Hospital NHS Foundation Trust, are pleased to announce a working partnership to identify new health innovations and technologies for evaluation and adoption in healthcare.

The partnership will aim to provide a range of SMEs with an innovative idea, prototype or product, the opportunity to meet with clinicians from Chelsea and Westminster Hospital NHS Foundation Trust to showcase their invention. CW+ will then work with these companies and clinicians to evaluate if the innovations can be adopted at the Trust to help care for patients.

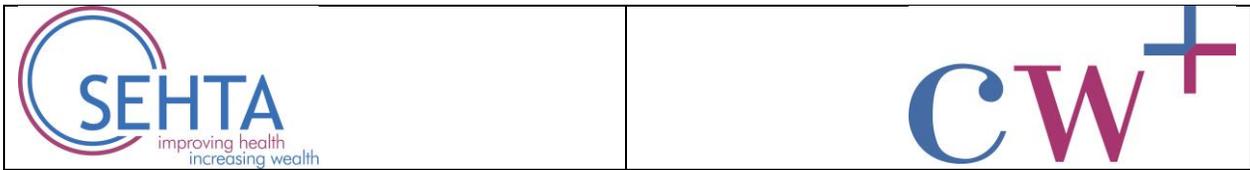
SEHTA has been working with Queen Alexandra Hospital in Portsmouth since 2017, supporting partnerships between innovative companies and the hospital which has been a big success so far.

Dr David Parry, CEO, SEHTA, says *"This is another great opportunity for SMEs to work directly with a major prestigious NHS Trust. We look forward to seeing the benefits to all partners, especially patients"*.

Chris Chaney, CEO at CW+ added *"We are excited to be partnering with SEHTA to identify new, innovative solutions to the challenges our clinicians face. Accessing new products and services through experienced partners is key to making innovation work in healthcare, and we are looking forward to working together to benefit our patients."*

Further information will be announced in due course.

ends



Notes to editors

About SEHTA

South East Health Technologies Alliance

Founded in 2005, the **South East Health Technologies Alliance (SEHTA)** is now one of the biggest health technology networking organisations in the country. Since its inception, it has grown to **1300 members from 20 different countries**. SEHTA provides significant support to companies, universities and public and private health providers through publicly-funded resources and programmes and private consultancy services. SEHTA has built excellent relationships with Academia, Business and Care/Clinicians and it sees itself in a unique position as the interface between them. The company has particular expertise in digital health.

For further information please click [here](#)

For all media enquires please contact

Clare Ansett, Head of Marketing

SEHTA

clare.ansett@sehta.co.uk

About CW+

We are the charity of Chelsea and Westminster Hospital NHS Foundation Trust and our two hospitals - Chelsea and Westminster Hospital and West Middlesex University Hospital. Our Grants and Innovation programme supports innovative projects to advance the delivery of healthcare and improve healthcare outcomes in our hospitals. We also collaborate with health and technology companies to bring together the latest innovations from the wider health ecosystem to match healthcare needs at the Trust.

CWPLUS Registered Charity No.1169897

For further information please click [here](#)

For all media enquires please contact

Sarah Holland, Head of Communications

CW+

sarah.holland@cwplus.org.uk