



## Parliamentary Questions



## Strategy and Policy

- Can the Minister outline how digital health transformation is being prioritised in our national health strategy and plans to achieve Universal Health Coverage by 2030?
- Can the Minister update on the progress of the development/implementation [depending on national context] of a costed national digital health strategy to guide the digital transformation of our health system to achieve UHC? How are communities and health workers being engaged in this process?
- What policies are being developed to foster innovation and ensure digital health solutions are tailored to our national healthcare needs and the needs of the population and health workers?



## Funding and Sustainable Financing Models

- Can the Minister provide information on the budget allocation for digital health transformation and how these funds are being utilised to support UHC goals?
- What investments are being made/planned in the foundational areas for digital health transformation - such as digital health and digital public infrastructure - to support the widespread use of digital health technologies and ensure everyone benefits from the digital health transformation?



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## Health Data Governance

- What legislative and regulatory frameworks are being put in place to ensure the ethical use, privacy, and security of health data, while also enabling the responsible use of that data for public benefit and improved patient outcomes?
- What actions will the government take to support the development and endorsement of a Global Health Data Governance Framework through a World Health Assembly Resolution to provide a global standard and blueprint that can be used by used by countries to strengthen national approaches. What action will the government take to ensure that health data governance is on the World Health Assembly agenda, to enable this discussion across governments?



## Bridging the Digital Divide

- How is the government addressing the digital divide - such as access to digital health solutions, divides in internet coverage and access, affordability and digital literacy gaps – to ensure that all citizens, regardless of socioeconomic status or location, can access digital health services?



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## A Digitally Enabled Health Workforce

- How is the government ensuring that healthcare professionals are equipped with the skills needed to effectively use digital health tools to support their work, while ensuring that these enhance, rather than hinder their job?
- What initiatives are being taken to integrate digital health curricula into the education and training programs for healthcare professionals to ensure they are well-prepared to utilise emerging digital health tools effectively and carry out their role in the digital age?
- What ongoing support and professional development opportunities are planned for current healthcare workers to continually enhance their digital health competencies and ensure they can efficiently leverage these technologies in their daily practices?



## Interoperability

- How is the government ensuring interoperability between different digital health systems and platforms to ensure that all systems can communicate effectively with each other, creating a seamless healthcare experience for patients and providers?
- What steps is the government taking to ensure interoperability standards are established and enforced across different digital health platforms to facilitate seamless data exchange, improved data-driven decision making, and improved patient care?