

## **COCIR Conference**

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# **Current health trends offer new opportunities for ecosystems...**

# ... which are already visible today

**Demand and supply** are increasing and generate an opportunity

**New opportunities** in regulatory environment have come up





Acceleration due to Corona leading consumers to change their behavior shifting towards digital

**An integrated ecosystem** can drive substantial value for orchestrating healthcare players Why are health ecosystems exciting right now?



Patient expectations have already evolved toward digital



**Regulatory momentum,** particularly in the context of reimbursement



European teleconsultation market is growing by ~2-3x each year<sup>1</sup>



#### **Activities of competitors**

demonstrate the high pace and the ambition to achieve a win-takes-it-all-effect

Source: HBI Intelligence (May 2020), McKinsey analysis

<sup>1:</sup> in terms of the financial market volume in  $\in$ 

## What is a digital health ecosystem?



...based on technology foundation that allows a **convenient** and **seamless user experience**...



...differentiates itself from single solutions through access and control of **large volumes of data**...

...by connecting **existing** digital health applications...



...helping the orchestrator to **navigate patients** through an **online-offline care continuum** of the health system of the future

#### A Digital Health Ecosystem...

...enables personalized patient journeys...

#### eHealth and digital health are "different universes" – with little connection so far



Nationally focused	High stickiness	Global scale	Test & learn & improve: Data ownership &
Perceived benefits for HCPs low	Change resistance	Intrinsic interest in connecting	algorithms
Fragmented IT, many with old SW architecture		Modern IT	Hyper competition -> Winner-takes-it-all logic

## Patient behavior largest predictor for Health outcomes – Digital Health an important lever



Source: Health policy brief: The relative contribution of multiple determinants to health outcomes, Health Affairs, August 21, 2014

**Digital Health** 

# While single solutions exist already, patient expectation for seamless and integrated care journeys yet to be met



# These value pools can be addressed by various digital health providers



#### Value pools in Germany and exemplary digital solutions addressing them

#### **Σ 34.0 bn EUR (100%)**

Note: Rounded figures may result in slight deviations

## Compared to other industries, healthcare lags behind in digital

Industry	Digital Quotient <sup>1</sup> (out of 100)			Platform & ecosystems with access and control of large volumes of data
Retail			42	.2
Travel / hospitality			39	
Telecom			38	
Insurance		37	,	
Media / entertainment		36		
Banking		34		
Energy / materials	31	1       		
Healthcare	28	>100.000 Hea Massive VC fr		00.000 Health apps, but only few with relevant size ssive VC funding, but most still lack a sustainable business model
Industrials	23 Global ave	rage: 33		

1: Includes 4 dimensions: Strategy, Organization, Capabilities and Culture / is a proprietary tool of McKinsey

Source: McKinsey Digital Quotient

In today's world, patient face digital health solutions that cover most steps in a digital care journey

However, they are not connected and can't share data

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Digital health ecosystems will connect digital health solutions across categories and allow patient control flow of data – managed via the ecosystem platform

Such an ecosystem requires an orchestrator

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Digital Health solutions Ecosystem platform Health infrastructure Offline world

Over time we expect that digital health ecosystems will build a bridge to traditional care and allow an online-offline care continuum

Existing stakeholders will have to redefine their position vis-à-vis the ecosystem

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# Stakeholders in any health system have to address the following questions

- **1** What role do we want to play in the emerging world of digital health ecosystems?
- 2 How will it affect our business? Do we need to get closer to patients?
- **3** Are we in the position to play the orchestrator role? And what is our model to capture the value?
- 4 Are we building data assets that we allow us to build innovate and patient centric solutions?
- **5** Do we have the necessary skills and the DNA to thrive in the digital space?

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