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The Hon. Karmen Joller
Minister
Ministry of Social Affairs
Republic of Estonia

Dear Madam Minister,

On behalf of the Taipei Mission in the Republic of Latvia, I have the honour to draw your attention to the **“Workshop on AI in Smart Healthcare: Telemedicine Infrastructure and AI Benefit Analysis (II),”** organized by Taiwan’s International Cooperation and Development Fund (TaiwanICDF), which is now open for applications.

Earlier this year, 24 medical and healthcare professionals from various countries around the world participated in the first workshop in the series, the **“Workshop on AI in Smart Healthcare (I).”** The participants not only learned about Taiwan’s telemedicine infrastructure and legal framework, but also took part in several field visits, including visits to the Multi-functional Assistive Technology Resources and Promotion Center, National Taiwan University Hospital, Taichung Veterans General Hospital (TCVGH), and the world-renowned ASUSTeK Computer Inc.

Your esteemed Ministry kindly recommended Ms. Anna Dudkina, an adviser of Department of Development of your Ministry, to participate in the aforementioned workshop. Her active engagement and participation left a deep impression on the organizers, TaiwanICDF and fellow participants as well. Her participation also served as an excellent example of how such programs can promote medical exchanges and cooperation between Taiwan and Estonia.

In this regard, I cordially invite your esteemed Ministry to recommend officials from public health and disease control units, healthcare professionals, biomedical engineers, medical

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device developers, or health data analysts to participate in the “**Workshop on AI in Smart Healthcare (II)**,” which will **be held from 4 to 13 November 2026**.

For qualified participants, TaiwanICDF will cover the costs of round-trip economy-class airfare, course fees, meals, and accommodation. Participants will be responsible for their own personal daily expenses.

Enclosed please find the workshop information for your reference. Applications should be submitted through this Mission no later than **2 September 2026**.

Should you have any questions, please feel free to have your colleagues contact Mr. Eugene Wu at +371-2800-9952, or via email at hxwu@mofa.gov.tw. Alternatively, they may contact the Mission at +371-6732-0610, or via email at lva@mofa.gov.tw.

I avail myself of this opportunity to renew to you, Madam Minister, the assurances of my highest consideration.

Sincerely yours,


Winston Wen-yi Chen
Representative

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Workshop on AI in Smart Healthcare: Telemedicine Infrastructure and AI Benefit Analysis(II)

Dates : Nov 4 - 13, 2026

Application deadline : Sep 7, 2026

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Overview

Global health faces mounting pressures from aging, chronic disease, and resource gaps. In response, nations are pivoting to smart healthcare and AI. Leveraging its technological advantages, Taiwan has achieved significant clinical AI milestones. This workshop explores Taiwan's strategic frameworks through medical center site visits and examines the evolution of telemedicine in addressing rural and home-based care challenges.

Objectives

- **Smart healthcare & AI integration:** Gain insights into Taiwan's strategic frameworks and clinical AI applications to evaluate their tangible benefits in medical settings.
- **Telemedicine & infrastructure solutions:** Learn about Taiwan's implementation expertise and explore satellite-based alternatives (SES, Eutelsat OneWeb) to overcome connectivity barriers in resource-limited areas.

Contents

- **Strategic frameworks & infrastructure:** Examine Taiwan's smart healthcare evolution, focusing on big data medical platforms and the strategic promotion of dedicated AI centers.
- **Clinical AI deployment:** Explore AI integration in precision and preventive medicine, specifically regarding diagnostic auxiliary systems and clinical care support embedded within hospital information systems.
- **Benefit analysis:** Analyze the substantive impact of AI technology on enhancing clinical care, precision diagnostics, and preventive health outcomes.
- **Telemedicine & connectivity:** Present integrated tele-health solutions and implementation strategies, including alternative communication protocols for network-constrained environments.

Who may apply

- **Background:** Senior officials from public healthcare sectors or executives in medical and healthcare-related industries, with 2+ years of relevant work experience.
- **Expertise:** Senior officials from public health and disease control units, healthcare professionals, biomedical engineers, medical device developers, and health data analysts.



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