Healthcare Information for All
An online global health community
>15,000 members in 175 countries
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Help create a world where people are no longer dying for lack of knowledge

Every day thousands of children and adults die needlessly because they do not receive basic life-saving interventions – interventions that are often locally available but are simply not provided due to indecision, delays, misdiagnosis, and incorrect treatment. Many would still be alive today if those responsible for their care had access to basic healthcare information.
Why HIFA is needed

Thousands of children and adults die needlessly every day because they do not receive basic life-saving interventions. These interventions are often locally available but are simply not provided due to lack of healthcare information.
Healthcare Information For All:

“Every person and every health worker will have access to the healthcare information they need to protect their own health and the health of others”

“HIFA is an ambitious goal but it can be achieved if all stakeholders work together.”

World Health Organization
The HIFA Strategy

Better advocacy

HIFA Advocacy

HIFA Voices

HIFA Forums

Better understanding

Action: Increased effectiveness of health information services worldwide

Sharing of experience

Better communication

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HIFA vision
The HIFA Forums

15,000 members
Support for HIFA Forums

- 15,000 members
- 175 countries
- 280 supporting organisations
- 40 financial contributors

Main funder: BMA
Main strategic partner: World Health Organization
Where we are (main HIFA English forum)

Health professionals – Librarians – Information Professionals – Publishers – Researchers – Policymakers
Reader-focused moderation

- Maximise the value of every message
- HIFA signature profiles
- Build a global network of volunteers with a range of levels of engagement

Volunteers 1: 150 Country Representatives
Volunteers 2: Working Groups

• Mobile Healthcare Information For All
• Information on Medicines For All
• Community Health Workers
• Citizens, Parents and Children
• Access to Health Research
• Evidence-Informed Policy and Practice
• Evaluating the Impact of Health Information
Volunteers 3: Steering Group
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