



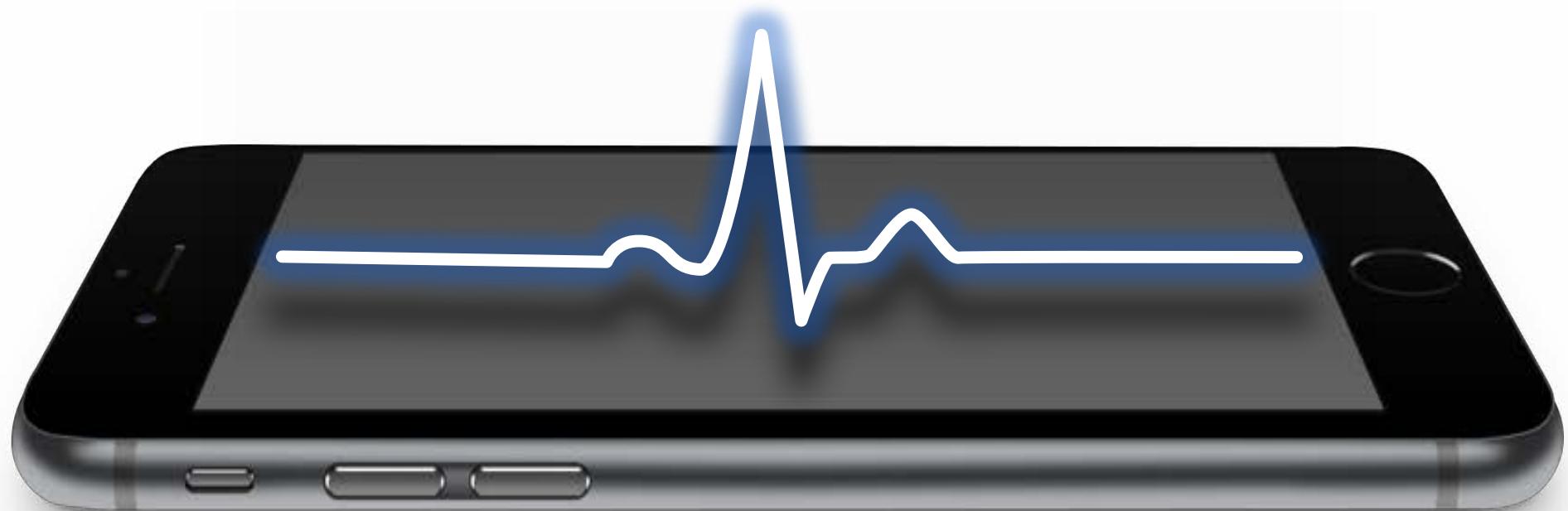
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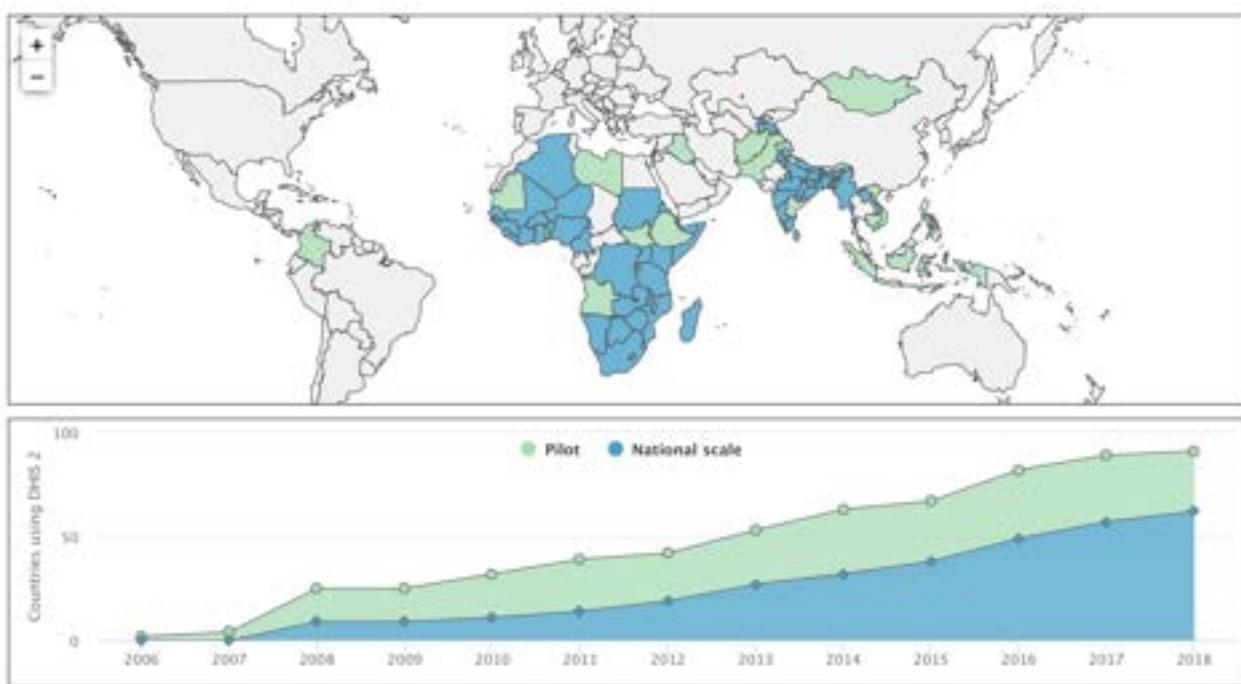
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Advances in Global Digital Health



1. Rapidly expanding (big) health data



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Digital health Systems in Kenyan Public Hospitals: a mixed-methods survey



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2. Machine Learning for Rapid Diagnosis



LIFE: Decision Support



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3. Machine Learning for Monitoring Patients



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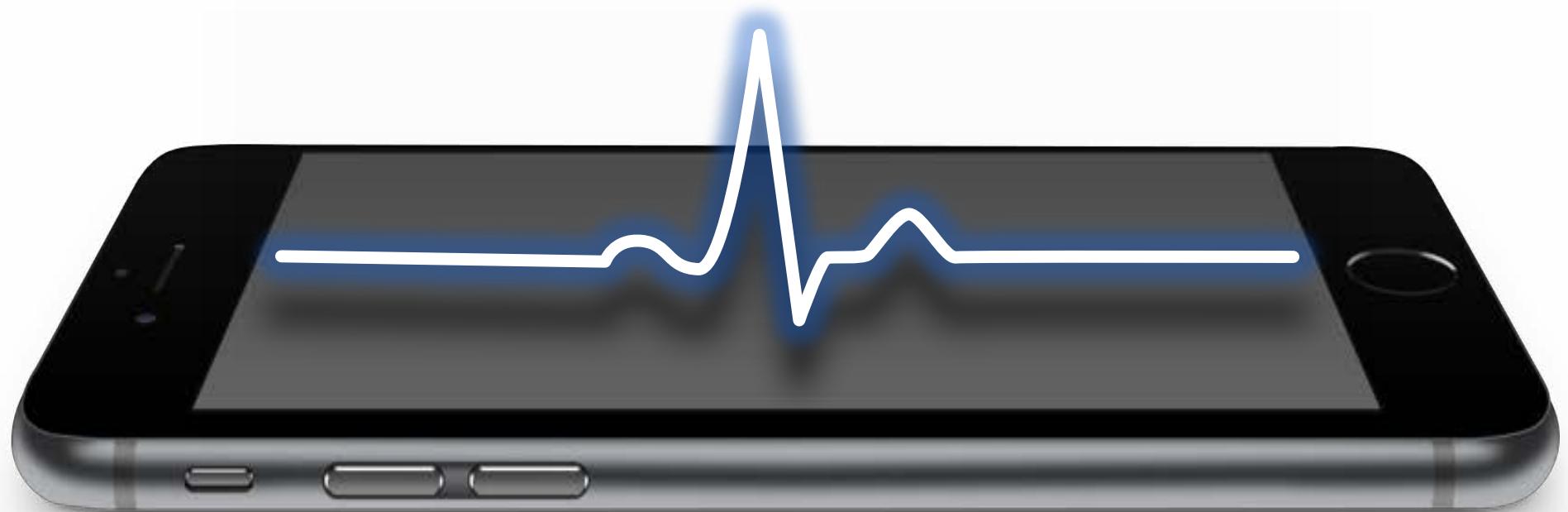
4. Training healthcare workers in the metaverse (LIFE)



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Challenges for Global Digital Health



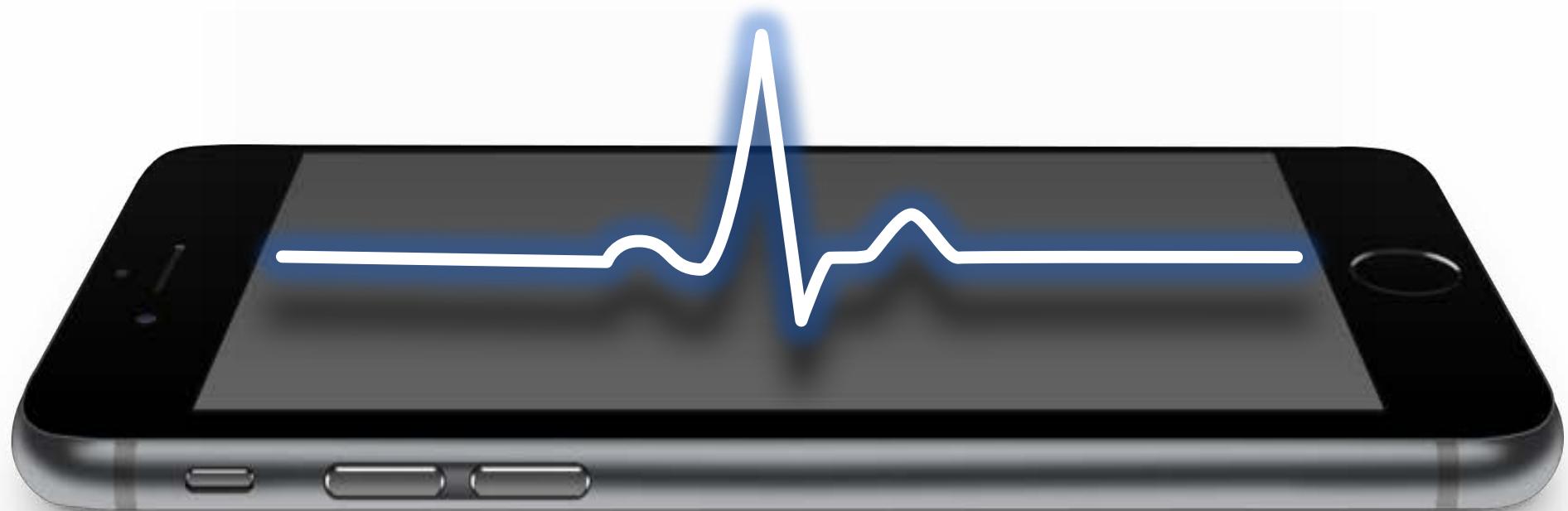
Three Interlinked Challenges for Global Digital Health

1. Clinical usability

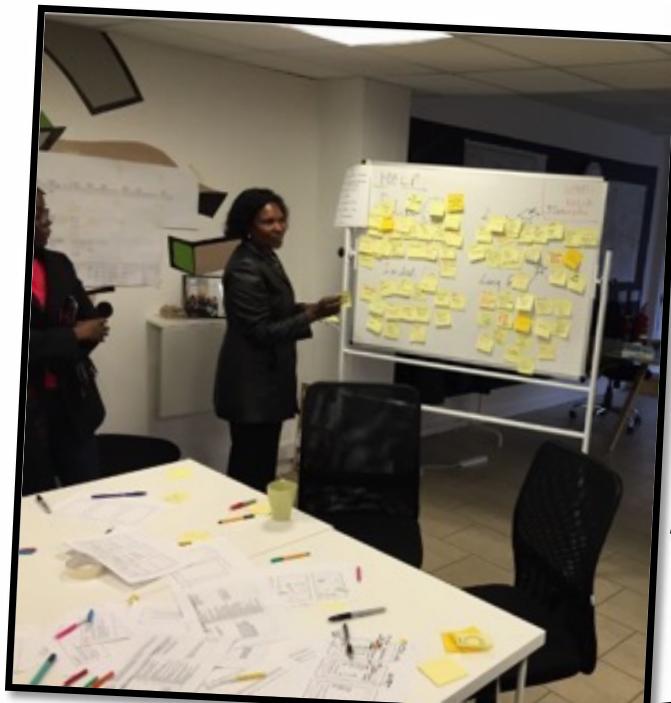
2. Poor quality data

3. Safety and effectiveness

Addressing the Challenges



1. Conducting **design research** with clinical users



2. Making data collection useful for clinicians



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Using a human-centred design approach to develop a comprehensive newborn monitoring chart for inpatient care in Kenya

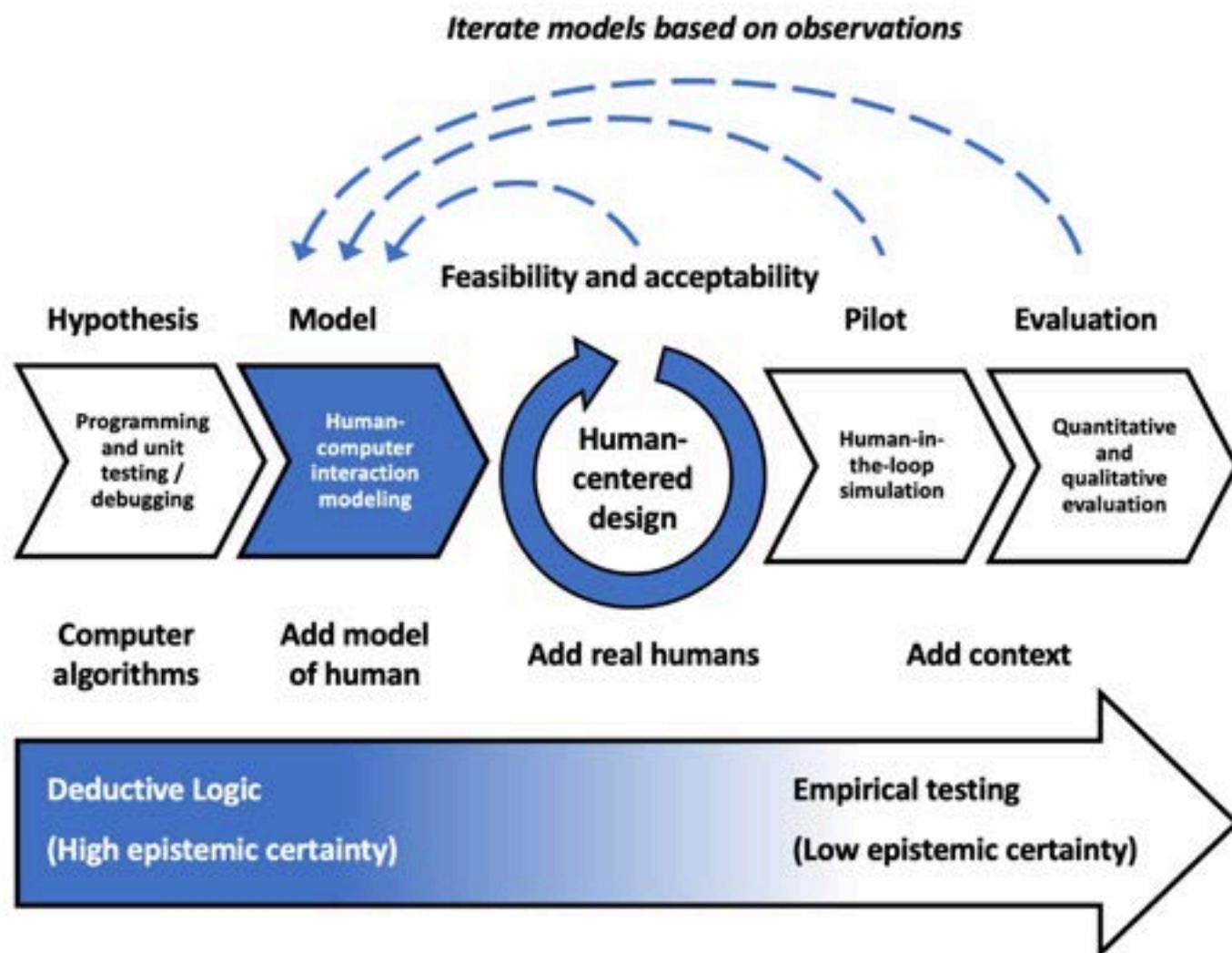
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COMPREHENSIVE NEWBORN MONITORING CHART

Name	IP NO	Sex: M <input type="checkbox"/> F <input type="checkbox"/> Indeterminate <input type="checkbox"/>	D.O.A	D.O.B
Date today	Diagnosis			
Birth Wt gm	Interventions: CPAP <input type="checkbox"/> Oxygen <input type="checkbox"/> Phototherapy <input type="checkbox"/> Blood transfusion <input type="checkbox"/> Exchange transfusion <input type="checkbox"/> KMC <input type="checkbox"/>			
Daily Clinician Feed and Fluid prescription		Monitoring Freq ___ hrs Time		
Day of Life	Current Wt = gm	Temp (°C)		
Total feed + fluid = mls/kg/day = mls	Pulse (b/min)			
Feed: BF <input type="checkbox"/> EBM <input type="checkbox"/> Term Formula <input type="checkbox"/> Pre-Term Formula <input type="checkbox"/>	Resp Rate (b/min)			
Route: Cup <input type="checkbox"/> NGT <input type="checkbox"/> OGTT <input type="checkbox"/>	Oxy Sat (%) or Cy ³ Cy ⁴			
Volume & Frequency = mls 3hrly <input type="checkbox"/> 2hrly <input type="checkbox"/>	Resp Distress 0,+,++,+			
24hr Feed Volume = mls	CPAP Pressure (cm H ₂ O)			
IV Fluid & Additives	Vol (ml)	Duration	FIO ₂ (%)	
			Jaundice 0,+,++,+	
			Apnoea Y/N	
			Blood Sugar (mmol/l)	
			Completed by (name)	
Other prescribing instructions			Feed	
			EBM vol given (ml)	
			Formula vol given (ml)	
			IV volume given (ml)	
			IV Line working Y/N	
			Vomit Y/N	
			Urine Y/N	
			Stool Y/N	
			Completed by (name)	
Total feed+fluid in this shift _____ mls Completed by (name)				
Shift deficit _____ mls				
Total feed+fluid in this shift _____ mls Completed by (name)				
Shift deficit _____ mls				
Total feed+fluid in this shift _____ mls Completed by (name)				
Shift deficit _____ mls				
Total feed+fluid input in 24hrs _____ mls 24hr deficit _____ mls				
Tick the category of baby after assessment				
Alerts : circle readings outside normal range with red pen and action				

3. Integrating design/development/evaluation



4. Building the Global Digital Health workforce



A composite screenshot showing a Microsoft Teams meeting interface and a PDF document viewer. The Teams interface shows a video feed of a person, a Microsoft Edge browser window displaying a course page for "DIGH 701: Principles of Digital Health and Informatics" (Semester 1, 2021), and a "Meeting chat" sidebar. The PDF document viewer shows the first page of a paper titled "Friedman 2015 - Toward a science of learning systems.pdf", which discusses the need for a research agenda for Learning Health Systems.

Fully Online Course:

- Microsoft Teams
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